



St. Paul United Methodist Church

is a fellowship of believers

UNITED by God's Love

GUIDED by God's Word

EMPOWERED by God's Grace and

COMMITTED to sharing our faith in Jesus Christ with everyone.

Position Description

Position: Full Time Youth Director

Purpose of Position:

For a dedicated Christian leader to model the vision of St. Paul United Methodist Church and create an inviting Christian atmosphere where 6th to 12th grade students (or those of equivalent age) can develop a stronger relationship with Jesus Christ and integrate His teachings into their life. This individual should feel called to ministry and be able to communicate the message of Jesus Christ to youth in our community.

Key Responsibilities / Essential Functions of Position:

- Serve as a Christian role model through prayer, presence, gifts, service and witness
- Develop engaging youth programs that provide spiritual enrichment and Christian fellowship
- Organize a pro-active and diverse Youth Council to contribute to the planning and coordination of youth activities
- Organize a representative Parent Advisory Group to serve in a consultative capacity
- Coordinate fund-raising events, camp and assembly events, mission trips, and other opportunities for youth involvement in church-related activities
- Create opportunities for youth to identify, cultivate & showcase their talents
- Build & maintain healthy relationships with churched & unchurched youth
- Recruit new members into the fellowship of St. Paul youth
- Foster quality relationships with parents, volunteers, fellow church staff and the congregation and community at-large

- Facilitate youth participation in a variety of St. Paul activities, such as Sunday School, Worship Services, etc.
- Promote regular opportunities for youth to become active participants in service & outreach
- Utilize current technology responsibly to communicate with and engage youth
- Support youth in their activities outside of church
- Counsel youth as they face (or prepare to face) life challenges
- Network with fellow youth leaders in the community, district and conference to create multi-church youth opportunities
- Represent youth ministries at appropriate meetings
- Participate in the annual budgeting process and manage appropriated funds
- Adhere to the church Safe Sanctuaries policy to ensure a physically and emotionally safe environment for youth at all times
- Perform other duties as they may be assigned by the Senior Pastor