

Position: Youth Ministry Leader

Reports to: Council Youth Ministry Liaison

Type of Position: Part-time Contract

Overview: A Christ-centered and growing multicultural and multigenerational Christian Reformed Church is seeking to fill the position of Youth Ministry Leader. The position requires a person with a warm and engaging personality with the heart and passion to see youth grow in their relationship with God. The Youth Ministry Leader will work closely with the pastor of Preaching, Care and Spiritual Formation, Pastor of Mosaic Ministry and the Council Youth Ministry Liaison.

Core Responsibilities: The Youth Ministry Leader is responsible to facilitate a safe and engaging environment for RPC youth for the purpose of contributing to RPC becoming an authentic and relevant place of worship and ministry. Specific responsibilities include:

1. CONNECTING WITH AND DISCIPLING RPC YOUTH

- Identifying and connecting with RPC youth with a focus on those in grades 7 - 12 both individually and in groups.
- Building supportive relationships and mentoring youth through one-on-one engagement, small group gatherings and larger group meetings
- Enabling opportunities for spiritual formation and discipleship through increasing the understanding and integration of Scripture into the lives of youth
- Foster leadership opportunities for RPC Youth

2. COORDINATING AND LEADING RPC YOUTH EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

- Initiating and helping facilitate youth events that fosters spiritual growth and social connectivity among youth.
- Regularly attending RPC Sunday services with the intention of connecting and building relationship with youth
- Communicating with parents and the congregation about youth events and activities as needed

3. EQUIPPING RPC VOLUNTEER YOUTH LEADERS

- Seeking out, recognizing and equipping potential volunteer youth leaders to use their gifts for the RPC Youth Ministry.
- Regularly engaging with volunteer youth leaders, supporting and encouraging them in their ministry.

Qualifications: The Youth Ministry Leader must possess:

- A personal relationship with Jesus Christ and a servant's heart to connect with and build relationship with youth.
- Thrives in interacting and communicating effectively with youth.
- Ability to effectively support youth through various challenges of figuring out life and faith.
- A team player, willingness to learn and flexibility to adjust in changing dynamics.
- Strong inter-personal skills to work easily and successfully with others of diverse ethnic backgrounds and cultures.

Hours: 10 hours per week (average)