

Job Description – Summer Intern (Youth & Worship Focus) 2022

Devon Community Church

Position Title: Youth and Worship Ministries Summer Intern/Director

Status: Full-time during the summer (May-August, 35 hours per week, 8-12 weeks depending on funding). Hourly wage is negotiable. May require creative online ministry programs if AHS restrictions are in effect. Summer employment is dependent on government grant funding approval. Position is very suitable to fulfill Vanguard College's field education requirements. – See Note below

Reports to: The Senior/Lead Pastor

Church Description: We are a small, multi-generational church located in Devon. We are more contemporary than traditional. We have a passion for both discipleship and outreach. Our motto: loving God, loving people – is an honest description of who we are.

Position Description: Provide leadership to the church's Youth Ministries & Worship Ministries. In the summer these include weekly youth events, Sunday morning worship times, and special activities/events. You will also assist the Summer Children's Ministries Director with weekly kids' events and a Summer Day Camp.

Personal Profile:

- Passionate follower of Christ, relational
- Growing devotional life, strong work ethic, high self-initiative

Key Competencies:

- People skills; able to relate well to people of all ages, but particularly musicians, youth/children and their parents.
- Teamwork; able to work well within a team and to lead and foster healthy teams.
- Planning: able to develop a summer long ministry plan and execute weekly ministry activities.
- Worship leading: able to play an instrument and sing, pick songs, lead rehearsals and congregational worship.
- Biblical knowledge; able to teach the Bible to youth/children in an age-appropriate and practical manner.
- Outreach: able to reach community youth through various means.

Key Responsibilities:

- Lead weekly youth ministries gatherings, including preparing and delivering devotionals or sermons.
- Engage in special community outreach events (day camp, Devon Days, etc.).
- Recruit and equip the Youth Ministry leadership team and a ministry team made up of volunteer young adults/adults.
- Prepare worship schedules, recruit, equip and provide leadership to the worship leaders, worship team members as well as computer and sound volunteers.

Education/Experience/Qualification:

- Preference will be given to those with some post-secondary education (example: Education, Youth/Music/Children's Ministries/Christian Education, theology, etc.)
- Some experience in a church or para-church ministry, especially working with youth and/or Worship ministries.
- You do not have to be a student to apply but you must be aged 15 to 30 years, a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or person to whom refugee protection has been conferred and have a valid Social Insurance Number at start of employment.
- First Aid/CPR Training would be an asset.
- Valid Driver's Licence with a clean abstract and with access to a reliable vehicle
- Able to provide a clean Criminal Record Check (at your expense).

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NOTE: There would also be lots of opportunities to get involved in the many and varied activities of pastoral work (including preaching) depending on the person's interest/skills and time available.

DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS: April 20th, 2022