

Director of Youth and Education
Greenfield Lutheran Church
Harmony, MN

POSITION SUMMARY:

The Director of Youth and Education will be responsible for the development, implementation and maintenance of a Christ-centered Education and Youth Program at Greenfield Lutheran Church. Envisioned, at this time, a three-quarter position.

QUALIFICATIONS:

A Bachelor's degree and /or previous experience in Education or Youth Related Field.

Proven leadership and administrative ability.

A sense of the Church's mission and vision of youth participation in that mission.

Personal commitment to the Lordship of Jesus and the ability to articulate a personal faith statement.

Enjoys working with youth.

Demonstrates a willingness and motivation towards working with youth.

Pass background check.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

Administration

Willingness to consult and work in concert with Pastoral Leadership.

Work closely with the Education Committee and Youth Committee members to achieve the goals of the Youth and Education Programs by:

1. Meet monthly with the committees to set goals, plan activities, determine volunteer needs, select and order resources for the Education and Youth Programs, and assist to recruit teachers and helpers.
2. Delegate responsibilities and duties to empower youth and Advisors to use their spiritual gifts.

Programming

Plan and direct annual calendar of events for Sunday School and Youth Programs, including:

Coordinate Junior and Senior Leagues (LYO / Lutheran Youth Organization).

Assist Pastor with Confirmation classes.

Provide activities for youth to gather, serve, and work in a Christian environment.

Encourage and coordinate participation at local, local synod, and national gatherings.

Outreach and Discipleship

Coordinate and promote Education and Youth events through church newsletters and bulletins.

Develop personal relationships with youth and their families

Establish a welcoming and safe climate for youth ministry. Occasionally, attend school events (a yearly pass will be provided.) Counsel and guide youth in their moral, spiritual and social development. Involve youth in worship.

Other Responsibilities as determined by the Education and Youth Commissions, Pastors and / or Church Council by mutual agreement.

Salary and Benefits of Director of Youth and Education Ministry will be based on Synod guidelines.

Starting salary-

Benefits

Health Insurance-

Professional Expenses

Continuing Education

Mileage- 50.5%

Workman's Compensation-

Vacation-

Support Mutual Ministry Committee.

There will be an annual job performance evaluation.

A written resignation / termination notice of 30 days is required to end agreement.