



**Position Title: Youth Ministry Leader**

**Position Description:** The Youth Ministry Leader will collaborate with a Youth Ministry Council to facilitate the spiritual growth of the church's youth; actively lead a supportive and engaging youth ministry; recruit, train, and resource teachers and leaders; and supply direct leadership to youth programming, including Youth Group, Small Groups, Confirmation, Youth Trips and Retreats, and worship-related activities.

**Accountability and Relationships:** Serves under the direct supervision of the Associate Pastor. Will interact regularly with the Director of Family Ministries, Youth Ministry Council, and Chair of the Christian Formation Commission.

**Position Scope and Compensation:** 20 hours/week; \$25,000 salary; Benefits eligible

Essential On-site Time:

Sundays, 8:45 - 11:45am and 5:30 - 7:30pm

Wednesdays, 5:30 - 7:30pm

One weekly meeting with supervisor

One monthly meeting with Youth Ministry Council

**Youth Ministries Responsibilities**

- Gather and chair the Youth Ministry Council, which will envision, create, plan, and staff programs for youth in grades 6 to 12, including Sunday School possibilities, Youth Groups, Retreats, Special Events, Summer Trips, Fundraisers, and Confirmation Class.
- Offer opportunities to serve both inside the walls of CPC and outside in order to better understand how to put faith in action.
- Provide an environment and ethos of active outreach, welcome and invitation to the unchurched and the nonchristian.
- Actively promote direct, relational youth ministry by leading and teaching in youth ministry programs, and developing relationships with youth.
- Be available to youth in a variety of ways (in person, in prayer, attending extra curricular activities, through social media and electronic communications, etc).
- Communicate regularly with the congregation through printed and online publications.
- Provide training (including security and sexual misconduct), resources, and background screening for all lay leaders in youth ministries.

## **Qualifications**

- Spiritual maturity, social-emotional health, and a desire to learn and grow in faith
- Education and/or experience in reformed theological traditions
- A commitment to the long-term health, vitality, and witness of the church
- Strong written/verbal communication skills
- Ability to envision this position as a ministry that has a heart for youth and their families.
- Previous youth ministry experience preferred
- Displays a desire to incorporate youth into all ministries of the church, not operate as a siloed ministry

**To apply, send cover letter, resume, and references to [info@cpcmadison.org](mailto:info@cpcmadison.org).**