

Venice Presbyterian Church – Youth Director

Venice Presbyterian Church in Ross, Ohio is an older church, seeking a young adult called to make a lifetime of difference for middle school students by being a role model for the power of Christ's love as they grow into adulthood. There will be some contact with high school students. This is a part time position (5 hours/week @\$15/hour) reporting directly to the minister and working with the Session's Christian Education Committee chairperson. You will manage a budget determined by the scope of your ideas that the Session approves. If you are interested in this position, contact Venice Presbyterian Church at churchoffice@thevenicechurch.com.

Purpose

- Nurture the spiritual growth of middle and high school youth by being a Christian leader and role model.
- Build connections within and outside the church to help attract more youth to our church.

Responsibilities

- Coordinate and develop the youth program, planning events at least a month in advance.
- Show youth how meaningful, joyful, loving, and fun Christian faith can be.
- Manage event planning and logistics (communications, staffing, food, programs, registration/records, fund raising) in a cost-effective manner.
- Communicate the needs of the Youth Ministry with the minister, church leadership groups, and the congregation.
- Build relationships with students and their families.
- Recruit and train volunteers to create a welcoming, safe, faith environment.
- Provide opportunities to reach out to the congregation and community through service and other acts of Christian love.
- Be present for youth by attending their extracurricular and other activities.
- Network with other churches in the community.
- Challenge the youth to serve God in their own communities and seek wider missions.
- Maintain work hours and travel logs.
- Establish and maintain a budget.

Required Skills

- Be organized, creative, enthusiastic, charismatic, and self-motivated.
- Have excellent communication skills (verbal and written) and be comfortable with leadership, teaching and public speaking.
- Have conflict management skills.
- Computer and social media skills (prefer someone familiar with Microsoft Office)
- Musical ability to lead youth in singing a plus.
- Legal background check required.