



Employment Opportunity ~ Youth Ministry Assistant

Report To: Youth Ministry Associate

Church Description

Grant Memorial Baptist Church ("GMBC"), a member of the Baptist General Conference of Canada, is a vibrant, evangelical congregation, averaging 1,100 in two Sunday morning services. Over 1500 adults consider GMBC to be their home church. GMBC is known for its emphasis on teaching the Scriptures and diverse ministry engagement opportunities.

Job Summary:

At Grant Memorial Youth, we invite students into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ. It is our prayer that students will grow in their relationship with Jesus when they are connected to a healthy community. A significant part of this healthy community is shared experiences, which happen when leaders and youth spend time together in life and various activities. Therefore, in collaboration with the existing Youth Staff this position will provide leadership and facilitate these relationships and shared experiences for both Jr and Sr high youth. Environments that encourage community are large scale events, small groups, service opportunities, and 1-1 discipleship. The Youth Leader will also provide leadership to the volunteer leaders in week-to-week activities and in spiritual support and growth. The Youth Leader will also support and encourage parents as a primary influence in the discipleship of youth.

Due to the importance of this position, participation in Grant Memorial as your church community home church is a requirement for this position.

Time Requirements:

37.5 hours per week, 1.0 FTE. General office hours are 8:30 to 4:30 Monday to Friday, alternative working hours will be required periodically to meet the requirements of the position.

Responsibilities:

- Work in collaboration with existing Youth Staff to engage youth and the youth community in becoming passionate disciples of Jesus.
- Provide as needed: large group teaching, lead worship, 1-1 discipleship.
- Emphasis to gender specific discipleship and connecting for spiritual growth opportunities with youth and youth leaders.
- Plan and implement youth programming such as: facility booking, church wide communications, transportation arrangements, service opportunities, weekly youth programming, Sunday morning programming, and event planning.
- Facilitate leadership opportunities for both Jr & Sr high youth environments such as worship, teaching, and serving.
- Partner with volunteer youth leaders to plan and execute activities.
- Provide spiritual support to youth leaders.

- Provide spiritual support and encouragement to parents of youth.

Qualifications:

- Passion to serve God and inspire His people through the development of personal relationships, community and small groups
- Self-motivated and outgoing
- Good analytical and problem-solving skills
- Ability to write and speak effectively to students, staff, volunteers, constituents and the public
- Proficient in use of current technologies and communication tools

Requirements:

- Committed, growing, mature follower of Christ
- Supportive of the vision and leadership of the church
- A completed Criminal Record check including the vulnerable sector search
- A completed Child Abuse Registry Check

Staff at Grant Memorial Baptist Church exemplify:

- A sincere love for the Lord evidenced by lifestyle
- Regular attendance at weekly services
- Commitment to a small group
- Faithfulness in tithing
- Adherence to Doctrinal Statement of Faith, Core Beliefs & Lifestyle Commitment

Other:

- Attend weekly staff prayer meetings and general staff meetings
- Be available for other areas to support the successful ministry of the church
- Be able to interact with others and demonstrate the values of GMBC
- Be available as opportunity arises to share faith, bible scriptures and principles based on the Statement of Faith and Lifestyle Commitment, to pray with individuals and to actively communicate a belief in the Lord Jesus Christ

Disclaimer:

- The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed by personnel assigned to this position. They are not to be construed as an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties and skills required of the personnel. All personnel may be required to perform duties outside of their normal responsibilities from time to time, as needed.

To apply:

Please send the following attachments to humanresources@grantmemorial.ca:

1. Resume
2. Cover Letter
3. One pastoral reference
4. Please use 'Youth Ministry Assistant' in the subject line of the email.

Interested candidates should review the Statement of Faith/Community Lifestyle Commitment that follows this employment opportunity.

Closing date: When position filled

