Job Title: Student Minister

Location: Lebanon Road Church of Christ, Nashville, TN

Position Overview: The Student Minister is a full-time role dedicated to leading and nurturing the spiritual growth of children and youth from Kindergarten through high school. This position involves planning, organizing, and executing programs and activities that foster spiritual development, community involvement, and personal growth. The minister will work under the direction of the elders and collaborate with volunteers and families to create a supportive and engaging environment.

Key Responsibilities:

Spiritual Leadership and Development:

- Lead youth and children to Christ, fostering spiritual growth through Bible study, prayer, and worship.
- Counsel youth and children on spiritual life, education, and social relationships.
- Establish genuine relationships with each child in order to help build a strong foundation in the Christian faith.

Program Planning and Execution:

- Plan, direct, and evaluate a comprehensive ministry program, including devotionals, lessons, bible classes, service projects, and special events such as mission activities, retreats, youth rallies, etc.
- Organize and execute a Bible Camp, Children's Day Camp and Vacation Bible School in the summer.
- Guide participants in the Lads to Leaders program and support families in their preparations.
- Lead the mentor/mentee program to continue fostering relationships with members of the church and our 7-12th graders.

Community and Family Engagement:

- Communicate effectively with students and parents, providing materials and resources to support spiritual growth.
- Develop outreach strategies to engage any visiting families with children who come to worship or other events.

Volunteer Coordination:

- Utilize the three student ministry deacons to help in all aspects of the ministry.
- Recruit, motivate, and coordinate adult volunteers to support ministry activities.
- Ensure adequate adult supervision for all programs and activities.

 Building relationships with other church family members to maintain support for the student ministry

Other Duties:

- Prepare and present an annual budget for ministry needs and manage expenses.
- Maintain accurate records of expenditures and provide accounting to the elders.
- Participate in worship services and other church activities as directed by the elders.

Qualifications:

- Strong spiritual foundation with a commitment to maintaining a positive influence and high moral and ethical standards.
- Excellent organizational and communication skills.
- 3-5 years experience in student, youth and/or children's ministry.
- College degree preferred; candidates will be evaluated on the entirety of their qualifications.

Work Expectations:

- Full-time position with variable hours based on activities and events.
- Regular office hours are required each week, with Sunday as a workday and a day off during the week.
- Attend workshops and professional development opportunities as approved by the elders.

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