

Children, Youth, and Family Ministry Director

Aldersgate United Methodist Church is currently searching for a Children, Youth and Family Ministry Director. The chosen candidate will serve as director for our Children and Youth Sunday School, and Family Ministry programs. Specific duties for this position include:

- Provide leadership for the church Teen and Youth program, including planning and implementing the weekly Sunday evening worship service, the summer mission trip, fundraising events, and special youth events in order to further its mission;
- Provide guidance and support to the children & youth of Aldersgate Church as they come to experience the Holy Spirit in their lives;
- Communicate and listen to parents in order to develop the best spiritual paths for the children & youth of the church;
- Review, implement, and oversee the curriculum for the church's Sunday School program for Pre-K to senior high students;
- Oversee and work with current Children, Youth and Family leaders, including leading a monthly meeting to plan and implement activities and events for children, youth and families;
- Identify, recruit and train new Children, Youth and Family leaders, as needed;
- Evaluate and provide feedback on strengths and weaknesses of ministry to Children, Youth, and Family to leaders; and
- Serve as the Children, Youth and Family Ministry representative on the church Administrative Board.

Candidates who qualify for this position should possess the following qualities:

- A strong faith-based background (knowledge of Methodist teaching would be beneficial);
- Desire to nurture youth and teens on their path to becoming Christian believers;
- Strong leadership skills;
- At least two years experience working with youth and children, preferably in a church or related environment;
- The ability to lead and work with a group of Children, Youth and Family Leaders; and the
- Ability to communicate and work with community organizations and local schools in order to build and/or enhance existing partnerships and provide guidance to local youth within those communities.

Candidates for this position should possess or be working towards a bachelor's degree. This is a part time position, averaging approximately 25 hours per week. The candidate selected for the position will be subject to a full background check. The Children, Youth and Family Ministry Director reports to the lead pastor and the Staff Pastor Parish Relations Committee.

Salary range: \$20,000-\$24,000 (Dependent on experience)

Interested applicants should send a cover letter and resume to:

Anthony Edgington, SPPR Chair
Aldersgate United Methodist Church
4030 Douglas Road
Toledo, OH 43613.

Application materials can also be submitted electronically to anthony.edgington@utoledo.edu.
*Review of applications will begin on June 17; applications will be accepted until the position is filled.
Expected beginning date: August 1, 2017.*