Youth Ministry Intern JOB DESCRIPTION
Christ Episcopal Church
510 Belknap Street, San Antonio, TX 78212
(210)736-3132  www.cecsa.org

Duration and Time Commitment:
- Average 10 hours / week
- Sunday mornings from 9:30-12:30
- Weekday youth group (2 hours) and youth activities

Purpose:
- Gain valuable youth ministry experience by assisting in outreach and spiritual formation of the Jr High and High School students.
- Be mentored by and accountable to the youth pastor.
- Be submerged in the life of the congregation in order to learn about the integration of youth ministry with congregational life.
- Discover the relationship of the youth worker with parents, church and community leaders, and the congregation as a whole.
- Learn about balancing the demands of ministry with personal spiritual development, friendships, and the other responsibilities of life.

Qualifications:
- Have a vibrant and growing relationship with Christ and a passion for ministry to youth.
- Knowledge of the Episcopal tradition and/or an openness to learn and teach within the Episcopal tradition.
- Be teachable, humble, and have a servant’s heart.
- Be an example to others in Christian character and integrity.
- Be a self-starter as well as a team player.
- Possess gifts for ministry, such as teaching, leadership, compassion, administration, or music.
- Must be at least a sophomore in college, preferably a junior or older.
- Must provide own transportation to/from the church.
- Must adhere to our church’s Policy for the Protection of Children, Youth, and Adults with Developmental Disabilities, including completing the Safeguarding God’s Children training and passing a background check.

Job Description:
- Fully participate in both Sunday morning and weekday church activities and other youth/church activities.
- Attend Sunday worship and Sunday School, 9:30 am -12:30 pm.
- Assist in the teaching rotation of Jr High or High School Sunday School.
- Assist in the planning/implementation of most youth events, including retreats and mission trips.
- Meet with youth pastor, priests, and youth ministry team regularly for mentoring and planning.
- Attend staff meetings when possible.
- Mentor youth by attending their activities or meeting with them outside of regularly scheduled program time.
- Ask questions, be creative, offer and implement your ideas, seek servant-leadership opportunities, learn, and see God work through you to make in impact on others.

Stipend and Benefits:
- $10,000 / year
- All expenses paid on trips, special events, and ministry expenditures
- Time off (with pay) for the major holidays (Thanksgiving, Christmas, Spring Break) and occasionally as needed (within reason) and agreed upon in advance with the youth pastor.
To Apply:
- Submit completed application, with references, to Youth Director Amy Case.
- For additional information, contact Amy at (210)723-6350 or amygcase@gmail.com

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CONTACT INFORMATION

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EDUCATION

School: ______________________________________
Classification: ____________________________ Major: ____________________________ GPA: ____________

EXPERIENCE

Please answer the following questions to the best of your ability. If you run out of room in the blanks provided please write on the back of the page or attach a separate sheet with the remainder of your response.

1) When did you become a Christian? Tell us a little about your decision to follow Christ, your church and family’s influence, and your church background/affiliation.

2) Describe your spiritual life. What are you doing to keep yourself in a growing relationship with God?

3) Why do you want to be a youth ministry intern?

4) What experience do you have in the church? Have you ever served as a volunteer, youth worker, or intern before? If “yes,” please indicate where you served and tell us a little bit about that experience.

5) Please list any experiences that you have had which would be beneficial to this internship.
6) What do you consider to be your strengths/spiritual gifts as they relate to ministry? What do you consider to be your weaknesses as they relate to ministry?

7) Describe your talents, interests, hobbies, and extracurricular activities.

8) Do you have any other responsibilities that might hinder your availability for youth ministry activities on weekday evenings and Sunday mornings/afternoons?

9) What is your philosophy of youth ministry? What do you think is the role of the youth minister, family, and church as they relate to youth ministry?

10) What steps would you take or what policies would you implement to protect yourself from ever being accused of impure conduct while serving as an Intern?

11) What do you hope to gain from your internship experience at Christ Episcopal Church?

Please list three references (not relatives) that will be able to speak to your Christian character, leadership ability, emotional maturity, and ministerial potential. Please provide one reference who is a pastor, one who is a college professor, and a third of your choosing. Provide name, email, and phone number for each.

**Pastor:** Name: __________________________________________ Phone: ______________________
Email: _____________________________________________________________________
How do you know him/her? ___________________________________________________

**Professor:** Name: __________________________________________ Phone: ______________________
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Please complete this application and e-mail or mail it to Jeff:

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