

City Reformed Presbyterian Church, a congregation of the Presbyterian Church in America (PCA) located in Pittsburgh, PA, seeks a Director of Youth Ministry for 6th-12 grade students. This is a part-time (25 hours/week) position.

This position is not a pathway to ordination, though ordination could be pursued, if desired. The Director of Youth Ministry would be expected to become a member of City Reformed, in agreement with both our membership vows as well as a statement of faith for church leaders. For more information:

<https://www.cityreformed.org/papers/seven-points-of-agreement-for-church-teachers> and <https://pcanet.org/>

Director of Youth Ministry (25 hours per week)

Requirements:

- Bachelor's degree and demonstrated experience successfully working with youth, ages 6th through 12th grades, and their families.
- Understanding of spiritual and developmental needs of youth, as well as the ability to connect with and relate to middle and high school youth.
- A heart and vision for encouraging our youth to know and follow Jesus and participate in the life of the church.
- Mandatory state clearances and background check.

Responsibilities:

- Facilitate Middle School youth group meetings on a weekly basis during the Fall and Spring terms, as well as meet with students individually or in small groups for discipleship and mentoring.
- Plan and oversee High School youth group meetings.
- Oversee Sunday School classes for Middle and High school students by recruiting, training, and collaborating with current and new volunteers, and teaching and supporting classes as needed.
- Communicate regularly with families of youth.
- Collaborate with other church staff to connect youth to ministry/service opportunities within the church, and partner with other youth ministry programs in the city and in the Presbytery to encourage the larger "Gospel ecosystem" (e.g., annual Snow Camp retreat). Support, as needed, the Confirmation program of the church, which would remain under the oversight of the pastoral staff.

Oversight: DYM will serve under the direction and with the support of the Youth Ministry Committee, as a Committee of the session. Final decisions on the position would necessarily lay with the session.

Compensation: \$22,000/year + ministry account + assistance with health/disability ins.

Vacation: 3 weeks' vacation + 1 week of study leave.

Commitment: We ask for a three-year commitment to the ministry.

Application Instructions: Please submit resume, cover letter + 3 references (including 1 pastoral reference) to youth@cityreformed.org