### **Student Ministry Associate - Job Summary**

- Do you light up at the thought of Jesus transforming the lives of teenagers?
- Do you thrive in a ministry that's both fast-paced and deeply purposeful?
- Do you believe in equipping adults to disciple the next generation?
- Are you ready to lead, recruit, and launch a dynamic team-based student ministry in a vibrant local church?
- If this sounds like you, check out the full job description here: <a href="www.coswayne.org/join-our-team">www.coswayne.org/join-our-team</a>.
  We'd love to connect!

#### **Position Overview**

At Church of the Saviour in Wayne, Pennsylvania, we're seeking a passionate *Student Ministry Associate* who will help lead an engaging and Scripture-centered ministry specifically designed for middle and high school students.

# **Primary Responsibilities**

- 1. **Shepherding Students**: Along with the Student Ministry Director, you will focus on nurturing the spiritual growth and discipleship of students in grades 6-12. You'll walk alongside them, providing guidance, and fostering their faith journey.
- 2. **Structured Ministry Approach**: As the Student Ministry Associate, you'll help to implement a well-defined ministry strategy. This includes stages like "Come & See," "Come & Grow," "Come & Serve," and "Come & Lead". Additionally, you'll help to organize regular meetings and events to create meaningful connections.
- 3. **Student Leadership Development**: Mentorship and training are key. You'll empower student leaders, equipping them to impact their peers and community positively for Christ.
- 4. **Collaboration with Parents**: Supporting parents is essential. You'll be a resource helping them guide their children's faith at home.
- 5. **Community Engagement**: Building relationships beyond the church walls is vital.

## **Leadership and Coordination**

- **Student Ministry Team (SMT)**: You'll help to lead the Student Ministry Team (SMT), recruiting and training volunteers. Effective teamwork ensures impactful ministry.
- **Communication**: Regularly engage with parents, students, and SMT members across various platforms. Clear communication fosters unity.
- **Mission Alignment**: Working with the Student Ministry Director, you help to oversee the ministry budget and long-term planning, aligning with the church's overall mission and vision.

# Qualifications

- Strong Personal Faith: Your unwavering faith in Christ will inspire and guide your ministry.
- **Youth Ministry Experience**: Ideally, you'll have 2-3 years of experience in youth ministry, understanding the unique dynamics of this age group.
- Education: Undergraduate degree required; seminary degree a plus.
- Effective Proclamation: Your ability to communicate biblically and relevantly is crucial.
- **Adaptability**: Diverse environments won't faze you; you'll thrive in various settings with people of different backgrounds.
- **Statement of Faith**: Active participation in church life, aligned with the church's Statement of Faith, is essential.

## Compensation

This is a full-time position. We offer a competitive salary and solid benefits package for the right combination of education, experience, and passion in a humble, hungry, and emotionally intelligent person who has been called to student ministry.

#### Ready to apply?

If your heart is stirring and you sense God's nudge, we'd love to hear from you. Send your cover letter, resume, and personal testimony to **cos@coswayne.org**. Our Search Team is already praying for you.

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