**Youth Minister**

First Baptist Church Whiteface is searching for a Youth Minister who is committed to Christ

**Job Description**

The Youth Minister will direct and oversee the youth ministry; educate, minister to and include teens in the ministry of the church and follow up with teen guests.

* Part-Time, paid position
* Reports directly to the Pastor and Personnel Committee
* Teach students in accordance with the church’s statement of faith (BF&M 2000)

**Responsibilities & Duties**

1. Give direction to and oversee the youth ministry.
	1. Identify the needs and interests of teens within the church and community
	2. Plan and develop programs for the youth ministry
	3. Evaluate existing programs to determine effectiveness
	4. Identify and provide ministry opportunities for teens.
2. Meet regularly with the youth committee to pray and discuss upcoming events, challenges, solutions and praises.
3. Recruit youth workers as needed. Provide training for youth workers as needed.
4. Provide spiritual direction to teens
5. Participate in outreach ministry to teens who have visited the church
6. Lead midweek Bible study for teens
7. Plan at least one yearly youth event for the purpose of spiritual edification
8. Visit teens who are hospitalized
9. Participate in training opportunities yearly, or as presented
10. Help develop the youth ministry budget and track expenditures through the year
11. Expected to be in church 48 Sundays and Wednesdays a year

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| **Ministry Area/Department** | Youth |
| **Position** | Youth Minister |
| **Accountable to**  | Pastor & Personnel Committee |
| **Ministry Target** | Teens |
| **Position is** | Paid Staff |
| **Position may be filled by** | Church Member |
| **Minimum Maturity Level** | Stable, mature Christian |
| **Spiritual gifts** | Pastoral/shepherding, mercy-showing, administration, teaching |
| **Talents or Abilities Desired** | Good role model, no criminal record |
| **Best Personality Traits** | Compassionate, dependable |
| **Passion for** | Ministering to and with teens, with a heart for understanding their special needs and a desire to include this valuable group of people in the ministry of the church |
| **Preferred length of service commitment** | Two years minimum |

Anticipated Time Commitments

1. Doing ministry
2. Participating in meetings/training: one hour a month

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Compensation

* Compensation for this part-time position will be determined based on experience, education, and other determining factors.