

New Life Evangelical Free Church is Seeking for a youth pastor. This position will plan, oversee, and coordinate the activities of Youth & children's ministries from grade 1 to grade 12.

The ideal candidate will possess the following qualifications:

You possess a theological degree and the qualities written in 1 Timothy 3:1-7 and Titus 1:7-9 including being: noble, faithful, self controlled, respectable, hospitable, able to teach, gentle, a good manager, holy and disciplined. It would also be an asset to have some basic knowledge of Mandarin as well as the Chinese culture.

Please send your resume to:

Search Committee: info@calgarynewlife.org

JOB DESCRIPTION

POSITION: Youth Pastor (Full time / Part time)

Position Purpose: New Life Evangelical Free Church is a bilingual Church with both a Mandarin and an English congregation. The Youth Pastor is to provide spiritual and pastoral leadership to the membership of New Life Evangelical Free Church. The Youth Pastor will serve as the chief administrator of the English youth congregation, and work together with the Senior Pastor and the Deacon Board so that the church might fulfill its mission and purpose as the body of Christ. The Youth Pastor will preach, teach and give primary leadership in the ministries of Worship, Administration, Stewardship, and Outreach within the English congregation.

Supervision: The Youth Pastor serves under the supervision of the Pastor of Mandarin Congregation.

Responsibilities: Subject to review and adjustment in conjunction with the Senior Pastor and Deacon Board, the following constitute the major responsibilities of the Youth Pastor:

I. Worship

1. To regularly preach and teach the Word of God in the English congregation. This also includes periodically preaching in joint English and Mandarin worship services.
2. To plan and lead the English worship.
3. To administer communion to the congregation and officiate special services such as baptisms.

II. Administration

1. To oversee the administration and management of all areas of the English congregation's ministry under the supervision of the Senior Pastor in consultation with the Deacon Board.
2. To support and assist in the ministries of education and fellowship. This includes teaching baptismal classes to those interested in becoming followers of Christ, helping plan and teach Sunday School, and also periodically helping lead fellowship.
3. To work with the Deacon Board to see that the facilities of the church are functional and in good condition.
4. To work in collaboration with the principal of the Sunday school in making decisions about teaching staff, textbook selection, and teachers' training.

III. Stewardship

1. To work with the Senior Pastor and Deacon Board to promote, educate, and advocate responsible biblical stewardship in the congregation.
2. To assist the Deacon Board with financial matters of the English congregation.
3. To oversee and promote congregational benevolence through ongoing support.

IV. Outreach

1. To develop and implement ministries that reach out to those who
 - a) do not know God,
 - b) do know about God, but are inactive Christians
 - c) new residents of our community with the good news of the Gospel of Jesus Christ.
2. To direct the integration of new members into the life of the congregation in conjunction with the Senior Pastor and Deacon Board.
3. To encourage the church to carry out their work with an emphasis on welcoming others to participate in the mission work of Christ.

V. General Pastoral Responsibilities

1. To live an authentic and growing Christian life.
2. To provide pastoral care by assisting the congregation and Deacon Board through visitation, counseling and prayer.
3. To maintain professional growth through personal study, reading and prayer life.
4. To make appropriate referrals when necessary and quickly respond to crisis situations which arise in the congregation.

Working Conditions

The position of Youth Pastor requires some flexibility in hours available for work, including evenings and weekends. The pastor should be in the office a sufficient amount of time for accessibility to members of the congregation.

Requirements

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How to apply

Please send the following to New Life Evangelical Free Church at: info@calgarynewlife.org

- Resume
- Testimony (1 page)
- Philosophy of ministry (1 page)
- Optional: Sermon/teaching piece (video)
- Three references