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## Youth Pastor Job Description

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### **Purpose**

The purpose of the Youth Pastor is to support the Lead Pastor in the overall vision and leadership of the church's weekend service planning (design and execution), developing and leading the youth program and in the developing of goals and objectives in line with the strategic plan.

### **Accountability**

The Youth Pastor will report to the Lead Pastor. The Youth Pastor should maintain an open teachable attitude concerning their work in the assembly.

### **Qualifications**

The Youth pastor must have a completed or be in process of completing a pastoral diploma/degree program from an accredited bible college.

The Youth pastor must have or be eligible for credentials in the PAOC.

### **Responsibilities:**

- The first responsibility is to mature as a follower of Jesus. The youth pastor must be connecting with Jesus out of what they do for Him.
- To recruit, oversee, support and coach the volunteer leaders who lead and volunteer in the respective department.
- To develop leadership and ministry outreach plans with the youth ministry leadership team.
- This is a part-time position.

### **Employment Type:**

Part-Time, 25 hrs per week.

### **Youth Ministry:**

- The Youth Pastor will oversee and direct the Jr. High and Sr. High Youth programs of the church including, but not limited to, weekly meetings on Sr. High & Jr. High nights and small group discipleship.
- Will recruit and disciple a leadership team of adults & young adults who will work with him or her in the Jr. High and Sr. High Youth Ministries.
- Will be involved in community outreach including but not limited to the local schools.
- Maintain contact with students and parents, keeping them informed of ongoing

activities through social media and email. Keep parents updated on ministry strategies and plans in a way that encourages partnership and involvement.

- Plan spiritual retreats and outreach/mission projects for the youth to be involved in.

At Encounter Church our vision is to reach out into our community. We define our purpose as being here to Love, Equip, Go. LOVE: We love God through our worship, and we love those around us through service. EQUIP: We equip people by teaching and training in spiritual formation and personal growth. Preparing them to be great witness in the church and community. GO: To go out and impact the community for Christ. Serving and giving back to Amherstburg and the surrounding county and reaching the world by supporting local and overseas missionaries.