

Part-Time Youth Worker for the Parish of Water Orton

Employed by Water Orton and managed by:

Vicar of Water Orton

Job Summary:

To support the current ministry of youth work in the Parish Church and to develop it. To engage with young people and present them with opportunities to learn about Jesus Christ and to become a disciple of Christ. To lead the discipleship of young people.

Principle Responsibilities:

- To support the existing youth work
- To be a Christian role model for young people
- To build relationships with young people and their families
- To draw alongside and work with the existing team

Additional Responsibilities:

- To meet with the vicar and other team members (such as the Children and Families Missioner) on a regular basis
- To prepare reports periodically including activity/progress and strategy for development for the Trustees of the Robert Lloyd Charity
- To develop new youth ministries designed to support evangelism and faith development
- To build relationships with young people on the fringes of the church
- To support young people in the sharing of their faith with their friends
- To contribute to the vision and ministry of Water Orton by upholding and demonstrating its values
- To contribute to the ethos of Water Orton's Parish Church by involvement in corporate and individual worship.
- To attend the Central Church of Birmingham Youth hub three times/year
- To explore the possibility of engaging with the two local secondary schools.
- Other activities as suggested by your line manager and in fitting with your role

Monitoring and Administration:

- To maintain accurate records and files, inputting and updating the database.
- To keep and present statistics as relevant to your work
- To help to continuously monitor personal performance in relation to agreed targets.
- To help monitor and evaluate the programme with young people with your line manager.

General:

- To work, at all times, within the policies of Youth for Christ
- To receive regular supervision and annual appraisals led by your line manager and supported by the project team.
- You will attend training days and conferences relevant to your work including the annual Youth for Christ Conference and regional Focus Day.
- To work outside normal office hours on evenings or weekends, as required.

Water Orton Community:

Water Orton is small village on the outskirts of Birmingham and very accessible with a train station located centrally. We are a vibrant community with an active Church, Cricket Club, Rugby Club, Scouts, Boys' Brigade, Tennis Club and open green spaces. We have two Pubs, a small Supermarket, Chinese Takeaway, Pizza Shop and Chip Shop. The Primary School is well supported and has strong links with the Church.

Summary Terms and Conditions:

- The starting salary will be circa £22,000 pro rata plus pension contributions. This job is for 18 Hours/week, but we are willing to negotiate on this to accommodate the right person
- There is six months probationary period
- The nature of the work is flexible but will necessitate a regular commitment to evening and weekend work.
- The holiday entitlement is 25 days pro rata plus bank holidays. These must be agreed in advance with your line manager and major festivals need to be avoided.

The post holder's permission is required for a Disclosure and Barring Service check.



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