

Paonia Friends Church Student Ministry Pastor

Our Mission:

We are becoming people who love God, love others, and serve the world.

Our Vision:

To become a people where every believer, as a part of God's community, passionately responds to Jesus' call to take the Gospel to all cultures for the sake of the King and Kingdom.

Our Core Values:

We seek to have all church ministries aligned to our core values. (These are currently being refined and developed – you may ask for our latest version of these values from Chris Stanfield)

Position Purpose Statement:

Partner with families to

- Lead Junior High and High School students into a growing relationship with Jesus Christ.
- Encourage spiritually developing teenagers to be an active part of the body of Christ.
- Work with the Lead Pastor to create an atmosphere of transformational discipleship within our PFC families.

Reports to:

- Lead Pastor

Work Schedule:

Full Time Position

- The weekly hours of this position vary in nature and are not expected to be entirely in the office.
- A balance of time spent between events, school campus events, visitation, ministry prep, leadership development, office hours and personal spiritual health and family.

Responsibilities:

- **Parents and Families**
 - Connect with parents to understand the needs of each family.
 - Develop ways for the church to come alongside families to help all family members thrive.
- **Student Ministry**

- Provide opportunities for spiritual growth of Junior High and High school students (inside and outside the congregation) by coordinating activities including, but not limited to, the following:
 - Weekly small group bible studies
 - Large group fellowship activities
 - Spiritual retreats
 - Mission trips
 - Community service opportunities
 - Denominational conferences and camps
 - Meet with students on a one by one basis to provide prayer, support and counsel.
 - Encourage and equip students to serve in all phases of church life to create a church that is intergenerational, striving to unite our community of believers.
- **Youth Ministry Volunteer Staff:**
 - Recruit, train, coach, supervise and encourage volunteer adult staff who will share in the leadership of the Junior High and Senior High youth ministry.
 - **Church Leadership:**
 - Work together with Lead Pastor and staff.
 - Provide counsel and feedback to Lead pastor and staff.
 - Act on behalf of Lead Pastor in his absence, as needed.
 - Assist with other duties as required by the Lead Pastor.
 - Help develop worship culture at PFC under the guidance of the Lead Pastor
 - Within the youth
 - Provide opportunity for worship and development of gifts to lead others in worship.
 - Within corporate worship times of entire PFC gatherings
 - Set the worship leader schedule and help facilitate a unified vision of corporate worship creating participation in PFC's heartfelt worship of Jesus.
 - Provide support and encouragement to worship leaders and members of music, sound and presentation teams.
 - Be able to share the responsibility of worship leading as needed so the responsibility doesn't become overwhelming for any one leader.

Personal:

- Seek out opportunities for spiritual growth and refreshment

Qualifications:

- Must have at least 2 years of full-time ministry related pastoral experience
- Must have directed in Student ministries with a successful track record
- Must be a team player with a high energy level
- Must have the ability to plan, budget, and delegate
- Must be able to lead teams and recruit volunteers
- Must be passionate about serving Jesus Christ and His church

Please send resumes to:

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