

Are you passionate about seeing middle and high school students come to know Jesus, grow in their faith, and live out their calling?

Oakridge Baptist Church is a warm, relational Southern Baptist congregation in the St. Louis Metro region in the city of St. Peters, MO. We are a church family that deeply values community, discipleship, and supporting the next generation. We are seeking a part-time Youth Minister to help lead, guide, and champion our youth (6th–12th grade) as they navigate their faith journey.

If you are looking for a ministry environment where you can disciple students and lead them to proclaim the gospel, we would love to meet you!

Why You'll Love Serving Here:

- **True Flexibility:** While you will have a dedicated personal office available for study, prep, and meetings, there are no required office hours. We value your time and encourage a healthy ministry-life balance.
- **Supportive Leadership:** You will work directly alongside our Senior Pastor and a collaborative Ministry Coordination Team that is genuinely invested in your success, growth, and family.
- **A Place to Build and Dream:** You will have the creative freedom to develop a fresh, vibrant vision for our youth ministry in alignment with our church's mission.

What You'll Do (Responsibilities):

- **Discipleship & Teaching:** Lead and oversee the educational side of the youth ministry (Sunday School, small groups, and other times). You will serve as the primary teacher for our youth on Wednesday nights.
- **Events & Fellowship:** Plan, organize, and execute engaging regular activities, including monthly events, camps, retreats, outreach, and Bible studies.
- **Team Leadership:** Counsel with church leadership to recruit, enlist, and equip adult volunteers who love working with students.
- **Partnering with Parents:** Maintain clear, regular communication with parents and volunteers regarding upcoming events, curriculum, and youth news.
- **Stewardship & Collaboration:** Propose and manage a yearly youth budget and serve as an active, collaborative member of our Ministry Coordination Team.

Who We Are Looking For (Qualifications):

- **A Committed Disciple:** A born-again believer with a clear personal testimony of faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior. Your life should reflect a priority on your personal relationship with God, spouse, and family.

- A Clear Calling: Someone with an open, authentic calling to serve youth and walk with them through these critical developmental years.
- Doctrinal Alignment: Full agreement with and adherence to the *Baptist Faith and Message 2000*.
- An Engaged Member: A commitment to attend weekly worship services and actively participate in the life of our church community.
- Experience: Prior experience in youth ministry is a plus, but it is not required. We are happy to mentor and walk alongside someone stepping into their first ministry role!
- Safety First: Must successfully pass a comprehensive background check.

Compensation & Benefits:

- Position Type: Part-Time
- Pay: Competitive part-time salary, paid weekly
- Work Environment: Dedicated personal office space provided on-site (no mandatory office hours)
- Time Off: Paid Time Off (PTO) included

How to Apply:

If you believe God is calling you to invest in the students of the St. Louis Metro area and want to grow with a loving, supportive church family, we want to hear from you!

Please submit your resume along with a brief cover letter sharing your testimony and your heart for youth ministry to:

pastor@oakridgebaptist.org

Or mail to:

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