



IDALOU
METHODIST CHURCH

Position Title: Director of Youth Ministry

Reports To: Lead Pastor

Status: Part-Time (25 hours per week)

Primary Purpose:

The Director of Youth Ministry at Idalou Methodist Church seeks to partner with God in building His Kingdom through leadership in the ministry of the church; through the equipping of youth to become “Disciples who worship passionately, love extravagantly, and witness boldly,” and through coordinating the efforts of the church in ministry to youth and their families.

Christian Commitment:

- Profess faith in Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord.
- Commitment to personal spiritual growth.
- Regular participation in the worship services of Idalou Methodist and the life of the church.
- Regular participation in outreach and mission.
- Agreement with the doctrine of the Global Methodist Church.

Key Responsibilities:

- Lead weekly youth programming, to include Sunday School and YTH Nights (High School Sunday evenings and Middle School on Wednesday evenings)
- Recruit, schedule, and support volunteers: ensure all volunteers complete background checks and required child safety training.
- Create discipleship pathway for students (gathering, growing, serving, leading).
- Partner with parents through consistent communication and opportunities for involvement.
- Coordinate youth events, mission/service projects, and fundraising.
- Track attendance/engagement trends and implement strategies to increase youth participation and reach more students with the gospel.

Expectations for each Staff Member

- Agreement with the doctrine of the Global Methodist Church.
- Meet regularly with the Lead Pastor.

- Participate in staff meetings.
- Participate in the life of the church.
- Have the ability to maintain and keep confidences.
- Support the mission of the church.
- Model Christian behavior.
- Act in a professional manner.
- Engage in congregant care.
- Support other staff members and foster a healthy work environment.
- Any and all other responsibilities as assigned.

Ministry Wins:

- Increase youth participation and consistent student engagement.
- The gospel is proclaimed, students demonstrate spiritual growth, and take steps into serving/leadership.
- Parents report strong communication and trust in the ministry.

Application Information

Interested parties are invited to submit cover letters and resumes to the Search Committee. Visit our website on how to apply: www.idaloumethodist.org/jobs