## JOB DESCRIPTION: YOUTH MINISTRIES DIRECTOR

Hosanna! Lutheran Church, St. Charles, Illinois

MINISTRY MISSION STATEMENT: Provide a safe and engaging environment so that youth can grow in relationship with Jesus and one another.

HOSANNA! IS: A large, vibrant member of the Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ (LCMC). We invite you to join us for Jesus as we joyfully BELIEVE + BELONG + BECOME. www.hosannachurch.com

PURPOSE: Provide vision and leadership for overall youth ministry development; and coordination, implementation, and direction to staff and volunteers who are committed to guiding youth in their faith from 6th grade through 12th grade.

REPORTS TO: Hosanna!'s Head of Staff, the Senior Pastor

## QUALIFICATIONS:

- Strong Christian faith and a commitment to sharing the Gospel.
- An understanding and appreciation of the Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ Statement of Faith.
- Committed to the <u>Vision</u>, <u>Values</u>, <u>and Beliefs</u> of Hosanna! Lutheran Church.
- Passion for developing a student's faith and personal journey with Jesus.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills.
- Facilitate creative, dynamic, and engaging discussions with students.
- Self-motivated; ability to establish professional and ministry goals.
- Basic technology and social media skills.
- Ability to delegate.

## PRIMARY DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- 1. Lead and oversee middle school and high school ministries which include:
  - a. Christian youth education,
  - b. Youth group meetings,
  - c. Confirmation programming,
  - d. Retreats/mission trips,
  - e. Fellowship activities.
- Create and implement an annual curriculum for students to grow in Jesus.
- 3. Present Christian teachings from an LCMC perspective.
- 4. Communicate with the congregation and community about Youth Ministry's ongoing programs and activities.
- 5. Recruit, train and encourage volunteer adult and youth ministry leaders to help implement ministry programs and events.
- 6. Effectively communicate with parents to ensure they are engaged with Youth activities and teachings.
- 7. Participate in staff meetings, retreats, and other leadership activities as requested.

- 8. Be accountable for managing the Youth Ministry budget.
- 9. Continue to develop ministry skills and strengthen personal faith through continuing education.
- 10. Doing what it takes to accomplish God's plan.

COMPENSATION PACKAGE: Hosanna! is blessed to be able to offer an attractive compensation package which is dependent upon experience and includes paid annual vacation.

WEEKLY HOURS & EXPECTATIONS: 40 hours per week in-person, exempt status, position. Sunday worship attendance is expected when school is in session. Many evenings and weekends as required to support programming.

HOW TO APPLY: If you are interested in exploring this exciting ministry opportunity, please visit <a href="www.HosannaChurch.com">www.HosannaChurch.com</a>, submit your resume to the Search Team at <a href="jobs@hosannachurch.com">jobs@hosannachurch.com</a>, and type "YMD" followed by your first and last name in the subject line of the email.