

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
MIDLAND, MICHIGAN

We are a Church partnering with God by intentionally building the Kingdom of God, through abiding in Christ, discerning God's will and discipling others in the power of the Holy Spirit.

JOB DESCRIPTION – CHRISTIAN EDUCATION/YOUTH MINISTER

Position Summary: The Christian Education/Youth Minister (CE/YM) of First Baptist Church exists to coordinate, plan, direct and lead the Christian Education and Youth ministry programs. These programs may include: Sunday School of all ages, Children's Message, Youth activities, Life Groups and Bible studies. This will be done in collaboration with the Pastor and Christian Education team. The FBC of Midland, Michigan desires that these programs will help children, youth and adults grow in their faith and spiritual maturity.

Requirements:

- A passion for Christian Education and Youth Ministry.
- Excellent people, organizational, time management and communication skills.
- An ability to recruit, lead and motivate volunteers.
- Social media experience and skills.
- Have a passion for worship, a vibrant prayer life and personal Bible time walking with the Lord.

Expectations:

- Facilitate and works in a collegial style with staff
- Create meaningful programs that foster spiritual growth in the congregation
- Welcome and accepts persons with diverse theological beliefs – "soul freedom"
- Compatible with the direction and vision of the congregation
- Follow a model of Christian living, as shared in 1 Timothy 3, that people in the church and community can identify and respect
- Commit to the American Baptist Churches Covenant and Code of Ethics (Appendix 1)

Responsibilities:

- Develop meaningful Christian Education program with Pastor and Christian Education Team
- Coordinate Sunday morning Sunday School
- Recruitment and training of volunteers for Sunday School, Youth, Nursery and Children's Message
- Listen to and develop close caring relationships with youth
- Plan, direct and lead creative, fun and enriching youth activities
- Coordination of Life Groups and Bible Studies
- Attends staff meetings