

Effingham Presbyterian Church (ARP) in Effingham, SC seeks individual with a servant's heart for Summer Youth / Children's position:

Position Title: Children's Ministries Intern

Accountability: Accountable to the Pastor as head of staff, and ultimately to the Session.

Purpose: To provide leadership to the Children's Ministry, assist in the administration and care of the Effingham community, and build Christ-centered relationships with youth & children.

Qualifications:

1. A strong faith in Jesus Christ and a desire to nurture such a faith in others (Please see attached: "Definition of an Evangelical Christian").
2. A strong commitment to the work and ministry of the Church of Jesus Christ.
3. Though not required to be a member of the ARP Church, candidate must be willing to work within the guidelines of the *Westminster Confession of Faith*, *ARP Form of Government*, & *ARP Directory of Public Worship*, and adhere to ARP "Position Statements." (available at www.arpchurch.org)
4. Enthusiasm for Christian Education.
5. Basic experience in serving ages 16 and under.
6. A love for people and the ability to communicate with all ages.
7. Effective computer, organizational, time management, communication, and writing skills.
8. The ability to hold things in confidence.
9. A willing attitude to work as a generalist in a small church environment (less than 150 members).
10. Candidates must have completed Sophomore year of college.
11. Valid driver's license.
12. Clean criminal record.
13. Cell phone and computer.

Responsibilities (Part time to include):

1. Direction of the Children's Ministry; primarily nursery through 6th grade.
2. Ministry to Children and Families.
3. Administrative and Pastoral support as pertains to the Children's Ministry.
4. Additional duties as determined by the Pastor or Session.

Duties as Director of Children's Ministries:

1. Coordinate special events for the Children's Ministry, especially Vacation Bible School (July), and Wednesday Night activities, and Family Retreat (August).
2. Facilitate Children's Sunday School Classes, Children's Church, & Nursery (Scheduling, reminders, etc.).
3. Participate in Sunday worship & activities.
4. Driving church van as needed.
5. Confer with the Pastor regularly, meet with and report to the Session as needed.
6. Communication: Newsletter articles, Blog posts, Social Media participation, etc.

Duties as related to Administrative and Pastoral Support:

1. Be involved with the overall ministry of the church
2. Focus on children in a way which encompasses the entire family.
3. Contribute to the administrative and pastoral functions related to the activities of the church
4. Willingness to serve as part of the Body of Christ in areas of giftedness as well as general church needs.

Terms of Employment:

This is a paid, part-time internship (minimum of 20 hours per week).

June 1 - September 1 \$3,000 (\$1,000 per month).

The church will help with housing as needed.

More Info:

www.arpchurch.org

www.EffinghamARP.org

To Apply:

Please send a resume in PDF format and at least 3 references to EffinghamARP@gmail.com with "Children's Ministry Intern" in the subject line.

Associate Reformed Presbyterian Definition of an "Evangelical Christian"

The word "evangelical" comes from a Greek root meaning "good news," and it refers to the Gospel of Jesus Christ. In a broad sense, evangelicals are people who believe that the Bible is God's inspired Word and that individuals can become Christians only by accepting Jesus Christ as their personal Savior. Evangelicals believe:

1. The Bible alone, being God-breathed, is the Word of God Written, infallible in all that it teaches, and inerrant in the original manuscripts.
2. That there is one God, eternally existent in three persons: Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.
3. In the deity of the Lord Jesus Christ, in his Virgin Birth, in his sinless life, in his miracles, in his vicarious and atoning death through the shed blood, in his bodily resurrection, in his ascension to the right hand of the Father, and in his personal return in power and glory.
4. That for the salvation of lost and sinful man, regeneration by the Holy Spirit is absolutely essential.
5. In the present ministry of the Holy Spirit by whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to live a godly life.
6. In the resurrection of both the saved and the lost; that they that are saved unto the resurrection of life and they that are lost unto the resurrection of damnation.
7. In the spiritual unity of believers in the Lord Jesus Christ.