

White Memorial is now receiving applications for an opening for a Youth Ministry Intern. This is a full-time working and learning experience which is paid with benefits. The position is designed to be a two-year position with the possibility of it being only one year. A position description with application information is enclosed.

The program is now in its eleventh year and has proven very successful for the church and for almost all who have filled the position.

Interns are usually recent college graduates with a strong and growing faith. Most of our interns have had experience on staff at Montreat or a presbytery camp and/or good involvement in a campus ministry. All interns have been interested in working with youth, exploring their own faith further and possibly a call to ministry.

Interns work in a collegial relationship with the Director of Youth Ministry and another youth intern. Usually, two interns are on staff, one a first-year intern, the other a second-year intern.

Please share this information with any potential applicants who should respond asap.

Sincerely,

Natalie Raygor  
Director of Youth Ministry

Phillip Cowan  
Chair, Intern Search Committee

White Memorial Presbyterian Church  
Raleigh, North Carolina

Youth Intern

Title of Position: Youth Intern

The Youth Intern program is designed to be a full-time working and learning experience. It is a one or two year position for recent college graduates who have been shaped by the Presbyterian/Reformed tradition. Ordinarily two interns are in the program at a time, having started on alternating years. Participating for one year is an option that can be discussed with the intern and the pastor.

Summer 2010 – July 31, 2011 (or July 31, 2012)

A. Responsibilities:

In consultation with staff and appropriate committees, the Youth Intern shall:

1. Assist in program planning and leadership of youth fellowship (PYC)
2. Assist in advisor and youth council training
3. Assist in coordinating and leading youth retreats, lock-ins and ski trips
4. Assist in planning and implementing all fundraising events
5. Assist in visiting our confirmation youth
6. Attend Sunday morning church school with youth
7. Participate in recreational activities and supervise Open Gym times
8. Assist in Youth Bible Study
9. Assist in leadership of mission and conference opportunities, including Spring Break, Presbytery Events, and Summer opportunities
10. Take an active part in youth outreach by attending youth sporting events and activities
11. Develop and maintain publications for all youth events, including quarterly youth newsletter and weekly church newsletter updates
12. Assist as needed in Christian Education department, including assistance in church computer lab and/or library

B. Educational Component:

The Intern will:

1. Read and reflect on a book to be selected
2. Read and reflect on youth ministry resources
3. At the conclusion of the internship, write a brief reflection paper on experiences
4. Meet with a staff mentor at least once a quarter
5. Receive mid-term and end-term reviews

C. Working Relationships:

The Youth Intern is expected to work collegially with all church staff, specifically with the Director of Youth Ministry.

Benefits: Individual Major Medical (90% of premium paid by church), life insurance, long term disability, two weeks vacation and ten holidays per calendar year, sick leave, and flexible reimbursement account.

Send inquiries with cover letter and resume to:

Youth Intern Search Committee  
Attn: Natalie Raygor  
White Memorial Presbyterian Church  
1704 Oberlin Road  
Raleigh, NC 27608

Cover letter should state the position applying for, why the applicant is interested in the position, and what the applicant can bring to the position. Information about White Memorial can be found at the church's web site: [www.whitememorial.org](http://www.whitememorial.org)

Contacts:

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