

September 25, 2018

**Youth and Young Adult Minister**  
**Pleasant Grove Baptist Church**

**Job Description**

**GENERAL:**

The Youth and Young Adult Minister shall develop and maintain programs to promote spiritual growth and encourage involvement of youth and young adults in the total life and ministry of the church. In general, the "Youth" will consist of students in Middle School and High School and the "Young Adults" will consist of individuals who are post-High School through their mid-20s. The Youth and Young Adult Minister shall assist the Senior Pastor in all aspects of ministry as needed. As a spiritual leader, he is to follow the teachings of the Bible in leading the church and represent the Baptist faith in accordance with the tenets of the church.

**SPECIFIC:**

1. Lead youth and young adults to discover, develop, and nurture a personal relationship with Jesus Christ.
2. Plan, coordinate, and implement youth and young adult activities to promote Christian development through regularly scheduled and special events - spiritual, social and mission oriented.
3. Work with Volunteer Recruitment Committee to select, enlist, and train leaders in the Youth Department.
4. Arrange for adult or young adult leaders to attend each youth activity and/or gathering.
5. Oversee Sunday School and Wednesday night Bible studies for youth and young adults.
6. Serve as member of Church Council and ex-officio member of Youth Ministry Council by providing advice, counsel and guidance to these groups in furtherance of their service to the church and community.
7. Attend all church conferences with a prepared report. If attendance is not possible the senior pastor will present the report.
8. Partner with other area churches to initiate an on-site presence at the main campus of Wake Technical Community College (WTCC).
9. Seek opportunities to reach out to students at other local colleges and universities as well as other locations or activities frequented by non-college young adults.

**10. Seek opportunities to retain and keep youth leaving high school to remain actively involved in the church.**

**11. Initiate a Watchcare ministry for students or other young adults who may be in the area on a temporary basis.**

**12. Attend and participate in regular meetings with ministerial staff to:**

**A. Coordinate schedules with other ministers in recognition of shared ministry concept.**

**B. Coordinate schedules with ministerial staff to support the various activities of the church through personal appearances at such activities.**

**C. Coordinate and implement a focused annual plan with specific goals for the church year.**

**13. Report to Senior Pastor.**