

Sittingbourne Baptist Church Youth Worker.

Profile.

The successful candidate will be:

- A disciple of Jesus Christ as the one and only Son of God and Saviour, who acknowledges the entire scriptures as the word of God and the sole authority in matters of doctrine, and whose lives bear evidence of their Christian profession.
- Baptized by full immersion and become a member of this church.
- Trained or currently training in Christian Youth Work and having a clear and strong evangelical theology.
- Living out in a visible way their passion for Christ and passion to see young people discipled and nurtured into Christianity.
- Able to minister inclusively across a range of worship styles and be able to teach from the Bible.
- Able to engage and relate with young people and their families and be comfortable in dealing with the pastoral care issues of young people.
- Willing to commit to an initial three-year contract.
- Committed to wider church activities and supportive of overall leadership goals.

Main duties and responsibilities of the role.

- Encouraging the existing young people and leading them to maturity in their Christian lives. This will involve setting an example in their own personal and spiritual life, building strong relationships, and teaching the Bible.
- Develop and maintain strong Sunday groups as well as midweek activities that will develop our church youth in the Christian walk, as well as attracting new young people to participate. To disciple our youth leading them to decide for Christ and develop an interest in our church.
- Organising and leading holidays and events.
- Working with and developing the existing young people and the volunteer team.
- Building a strong presence and profile in the wider church.
- Working with other churches and local communities to build links and relationships with the wider church and to bring the Christian message to schools and the local community.
- Working in new and exciting ways using virtual media and social media to achieve the above.

Remuneration.

A competitive salary of between £25,000 to £27,000 based on a full-time 37.5 hour working week and dependent on qualifications and experience. We are willing to accommodate reasonable job share (for joint applicants) and flexible work patterns that would support the role requirements. No accommodation is provided.

Other benefits.

A mentoring structure and plan will be provided.