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## Director of Children & Youth

Christ Church Alexandria seeks a full-time person to be our Director of Children & Youth, helping us to nurture children ages 0-18 years and lead them in learning the Christian Episcopal faith. We are a resource-sized parish outside Washington D.C., thriving and growing in faith as an oasis of stability in uncertain times.

We at Christ Church seek to embody God's unbounded love by embracing, liberating, and empowering people at all places in the journey of faith.

The Director of Children & Youth actively leads, directs, and supports ministries with parish children, nursery through fifth grade, and youth, sixth through twelfth grade, including Sunday School, nursery care, seasonal programming, special events, and occasional weekend overnights. The Director of Children & Youth will be an experienced, creative, and energetic individual who loves children and works well with a staff team, understands how to lead volunteers, and displays maturity, grace, and welcome. Please note: this position requires a full workday every Sunday.

### **Duties include:**

- Organizing and executing Sunday morning programming for Pre-K-12 children in 6-9 age-based classes
- Recruit and provide active support and materials for volunteer teachers
- Be a visible and welcoming presence for children and parents on Sunday mornings
- Supervise Sunday nursery staff
- Create and lead weekly and seasonal child-centered worship in the Episcopal tradition
- Plan and execute special events throughout the year, including youth overnights, Christmas pageant, Easter egg hunt, and others
- Monitor program spending within budgetary guidelines
- Communicate frequently and effectively with families, vestry, and larger parish

The candidate we seek is an organized and supportive team member with clear communication skills and a deep sense of calling to ministry with children and service to God. While this position is conceived as a lay position, we will consider an ordained candidate that is committed to working with children. As Christ Church is a growing, changing organization in challenging times, a sense of humor and flexibility are required.

Salary is \$70k-\$80k, commensurate with experience

Please forward inquiries with resume and cover letter to:

The Rev Dr Noelle York-Simmons at [rector@ccalex.org](mailto:rector@ccalex.org)

*Please, no calls.*