

Job Title: Children's Minister

Location: Grace Methodist Church of Sulphur Springs, TX

Position Type: Part-Time

About Us:

Grace Methodist is a congregation of the Global Methodist Church, located in Northeast Texas. Our mission is to make disciples of Jesus Christ who worship passionately, love extravagantly, and witness boldly. Our vision is to nurture generational relationships in the Word that help us hear the call of God on our lives and respond faithfully as disciples of Jesus Christ

Position Overview:

The Children's Minister shall be a committed follower of Jesus Christ whose life bears witness to the Lord and who seeks to develop and nurture children in their relationship with Jesus Christ. The Children's Minister shall affirm historic, orthodox, Biblical Christianity. They will work with the pastor and other church leaders to create programs for the discipleship of children from the nursery through the fifth grade. They will work with the Children's Council, volunteers, and parents to create an environment that is safe, caring, and fun for the purpose of teaching who Christ is so children may grow in their faith and learn to serve others.

The Children's Minister is the primary leader and organizer for the children's ministries of Grace Methodist Church. The Children's Minister will report directly to the pastor. The work week will average 10-15 hours to include Sunday worship and Wednesday evenings. Times of heavy scheduling (VBS week, camp, ect.) may be balanced with a lighter workload at other times.

Responsibilities:

1. Facilitate the planning, organizing, and implementation of the programs at Grace Methodist Church. Current programs include:
 - a. Sunday School (PreK 4 yrs. through 5th grade) and Nursery (infants through age 3)
 - b. Wednesday nights (for nursery through 5th grade)
 - c. Vacation Bible School
 - d. Special events such as the annual Easter Egg Hunt, Family Gingerbread Night, Mother's Tea, Back to School Bash, Summer Kick Off
2. Recruit volunteers for nursery and Sunday School. Create and maintain a schedule for volunteers.
3. Maintain communication with families and children (using Facebook, Instagram, Remind App, etc.) so that all can stay informed of upcoming events.
4. Maintain supplies for nursery and children including purchasing and organizing materials for Sunday School and special programs. (Our current Sunday School Curriculum is Simply Loved from Group Publishers.)

5. Attend Sunday classes and be present in the nursery and/or Sunday School Classroom.
6. Attend Wednesday evening discipleship and facilitate the children's midweek gathering for the children of Grace Methodist.
7. Meet with the pastor and other church leaders as necessary.
8. Perform other tasks, as it relates to Children's Ministry.

Salary:

- **Salary:** Competitive and commensurate with experience.

How to Apply:

Interested candidates should submit the following:

- A cover letter expressing your interest in the position and describing your faith journey.
- A resume detailing your relevant experience and qualifications.

Please send your application to our Executive Minister, Jason Dietze, at jasondietze@ssgmc.org

Contact Information:

Grace Methodist Church of Sulphur Springs
PO Box 132
Sulphur Springs, TX 75483
903-439-5764
jasondietze@ssgmc.org

Website:

www.ssgmc.org