

Opportunity Profile

For

Director of Youth Ministries or Associate Pastor Position

St. John's Lutheran Church, Mound, MN

St. John's Lutheran Church, an ELCA church located in the heart of Lake Minnetonka area (Minneapolis, MN), has been a significant presence in the community since 1927. Having just completed a strategic planning process, St. John's stands ready for new leadership to help implement this vision and plan into the overall life and ministry of our Church.

Currently, a strong children's ministry exists. The youth ministry has a strong and robust history but has diminished to some degree in recent years. While a number of programs including Confirmation are in existence, there is great anticipation for new leadership that will start with what exists and develop creative and exciting new ministry programs as well. The ideal mix of skills, gifts and motivations will lead a person to work effectively with existing systems and structures and to develop new, innovative and sustainable ministries.

We are looking for a person with deep passion and a commitment to God who will share this with our children, youth, families and community. You will be the one...

- To initiate ministries, then develop potential out of the congregation to put ideas into action and sustain them;
- Perceives and then actualizes the opportunities for spiritual growth among youth and families;
- Identifies, equips and empowers ministry leaders.