# Libertyville Covenant Church Job Description Director of Children's Ministry

## Objective:

To provide godly leadership in a strong and healthy children's program, where children are led into a personal relationship with Jesus Christ through Biblical teaching, and nurtured in areas of worship: becoming Christ-like, forming Christian friendships, gaining Biblical understanding, learning about missions, and developing leadership skills.

#### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

- 1. Have a personal relationship with Jesus Christ and show evidence of continuing growth in spiritual life.
- 3. Have a desire to teach and mentor children with patience and an accepting heart.
- 4. Demonstrate and develop deep and meaningful relationships with children.
- 5. Demonstrate ability to be firm and gentle simultaneously, particularly in disciplinary issues.
- 6. Experience in Christian Ministries with children.
- 7. Excellent relationship-building skills with parents, children and lay volunteers
- 8. Excellent oral and written communication skills
- 9. Ability to recruit, supervise, motivate, train, and organize lay volunteers
- 10. Ability to initiate tasks and follow through on details
- 11. Ability to work as an effective team member with staff and lay volunteers
- 12. Preferably have a degree in Education, Biblical Studies, or a related field.

## **ACCOUNTABILITY:**

- 1. Responsible to the Christian Formation Committee and the Church Council.
- 2. Reports to the Associate Pastor to Youth.
- 3. Participates in staff meetings and Christian Formation Committee meetings.

### JOB DUTIES INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO:

- 1. Responsibility for the oversight, support, and leadership of the Children's ministries that include: Sunday School, Wednesday Kids Club, Children's Church, Special Events.
- 2. Scheduling and Coordination of volunteers
- 3. Coordinate and Communicate Children's ministry yearly calendar
- 4. Choose curriculum for Sunday School classes
- 5. Monitor and Coordinate classroom materials, and clean-up
- 6. Recruit, train, and pray for children's ministry volunteers.
- 7. Create and effectively manage the ministry's budget.
- 8. Communicates to the church through announcements, newsletter and website.
- 9. Communicate consistently with parents as well as provide the tools they need for spiritual leadership
- 10. Monitor the implementation of the Church's child safety policies and procedures.

**SALARY:** Hourly rate, approximately 25 hours per week.