KidVenture Minister

Countryside Christian Church - Keizer, Oregon

About Countryside:

Countryside Christian Church is a Christ-centered, Bible-teaching church committed to helping people know Jesus and make Him known. We are a staff-led, elder-protected congregation that values authentic community, biblical truth, and serving our neighbors.

We're looking for a **KidVenture Minister** who will lead our Children's Ministry with vision, passion, and a heart for discipleship.

Position Summary

The **KidVenture Minister** provides leadership and oversight for the Children's Ministry, creating a Christ-centered environment where children can grow in faith. This part-time role includes planning and coordinating programs, supporting volunteers, communicating with families, and organizing events and activities.

Key Responsibilities

Program Oversight

- Coordinate weekly children's programs, including lesson planning and classroom preparation.
- Ensure all classroom activities and lessons are supported and properly staffed.
- Maintain supplies and resources for programming as needed.

Volunteer Leadership

- Recruit, train, and support volunteers for children's ministry roles.
- Provide guidance and encouragement to team members.
- Conduct quarterly team meetings or training sessions.

Family and Community Engagement

- Communicate with families about weekly programs, upcoming events, and other important updates.
- Encourage family involvement in children's spiritual growth.
- Support children and families during significant milestones, such as dedications or baptisms.

Events and Special Activities

- Plan and coordinate seasonal or annual events for children and families.
- Oversee special programs such as Vacation Bible School or holiday celebrations.
- Collaborate with staff and volunteers to ensure events run smoothly.

Administration and Communication

- Maintain clear communication with staff, volunteers, and families.
- Keep calendars and schedules organized.
- Ensure all activities align with church policies and safety standards.

Professional Growth

 Participate in ongoing development and training to enhance ministry effectiveness.

Qualifications

- A growing personal relationship with Jesus Christ.
- Agreement with the mission, vision, and core beliefs of Countryside Christian Church.
- Experience in ministry leadership, preferably with children or families.
- Strong communication, organizational, and relational skills.
- Ability to teach Scripture clearly and engage children effectively.
- Bachelor's degree in ministry, theology, education, or a related field preferred.

Personal Attributes

- Spirit-led and prayerful.
- Relational, approachable, and compassionate.
- Organized and dependable with a servant's heart.
- A team player who enjoys collaboration and creativity.

Reports To:

Associate Pastor

Hours & Compensation:

Part-time, hourly position, with details provided upon inquiry.

How to Apply:

To apply, please send the following to **jolene@countrysidechristianchurch.org**:

- 1. Resume
- 2. Cover letter
- 3. A brief video of your ministry philosophy.