

Central Christian Church
Waco, Texas
2026 Ministry Internship
Description of Internship

Central Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) in Waco, Texas is seeking applicants for a ministry internship. To be eligible, applicants must be currently enrolled in an undergraduate program at an accredited college or university and have completed at least one year of study.

PURPOSES OF THE INTERNSHIP:

- 1) Support and work with the Associate Minister for Youth to lead and support summer ministries. Responsibilities will include participating in VBS and summer camp, local missions, teaching small groups, leading youth groups, participating in family ministries, and assisting with administrative tasks.
- 2) Explore different aspects of ministry in general and the intern's own sense of calling in particular. Experiences will include shadowing ministers in a variety of settings, assisting in worship leadership, and other informal ways of growing as a minister.

The intern will be supervised by the Associate Minister but will also work with the Senior Minister, and other CCC staff members and volunteers. The internship will last approximately 10-12 weeks beginning around June 1 and ending mid-August. The intern will be expected to work 30-35 hours/week. It will be the expectation that the intern attend one Disciples Crossing camp and our CCC Youth Mission Trip, if possible. There will be allowance for five days of vacation during the internship.

Each intern will receive a stipend of \$3,000 over the course of the internship. If needed, housing and some meals will be provided by a CCC "host family."

To learn more about Central Christian Church or the internship, contact Brian Coats, at 254.776.7768 or brian@cccwaco.org

Please email, text or mail completed application to:

Central Christian Church
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Waco, Texas 76710
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CENTRAL CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Ministry Internship Application

PERSONAL INFORMATION

First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Preferred: _____
Home Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
School Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____
Preferred Phone Number: _____
Gender: _____ Email: _____

CURRENT SCHOOL INFORMATION

Name of institution: _____ Location: _____
Degree program: _____ Date first enrolled: _____
Classification in 2023-24: __SO__JR__SR Major: _____

CHURCH BACKGROUND

Home church: _____ Location: _____
College church (if applicable): _____

RECENT EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Employer: _____ Location: _____ Position: _____
Start/End Date: _____ Phone: _____ Supervisor: _____
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Start/End Date: _____ Phone: _____ Supervisor: _____

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Preferred Start Date: _____ Preferred End Date: _____

Will you require housing with a host family in Waco?

Will you bring your own car with you?

REFERENCES

Please ask two adults to submit letters of reference explaining why this internship would be a good experience for you and for our church. One reference should be a minister or other church official you know from church or camp, the other can be any non-related adult who knows you well.

Please provide names of references who will be sending letters:

Name of church or ministerial reference:

Relationship to applicant:

Name of second reference:

Relationship to applicant: