

Volunteer Opportunities

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Ministry Name	The Crossroads Youth Group Senior High Mentors
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Ministry and Task Description

Our youth ministry program provides a weekly large group and small group environment for junior and senior high school students. We divide our small groups by gender and grade. It is our aim to provide each group with two mentors who commit to spending the school year with them. You will have the opportunity to meet with your group weekly and participate in their lives. This is a sincere honor and responsibility that we take very serious here at CUMC. If you are up for the challenge, we invite you to join us. You can make a difference in the future generation!!

Time Commitments

	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat	Sun
Start Time:							4:30 pm
Stop Time:							7:15 pm

Special Notes: _____ There are occasional weekend retreats and gatherings.

Minimum Commitment Length (in weeks): _____ 35 weeks

Meeting Frequency & Location

Weekly
 Every Other Week
 Twice a Month
 Monthly
 Other: _____

Is this ministry seasonal? (If yes give available dates.)
 Yes
 No
 Dates Available: _____ Early September – Late May

Service Location: _____ Student Ministry Area in the rear of the church

Childcare Options

1-12yr old care provided? Yes No
Children can be present? Yes No
Children can serve? Yes No
 Age Limits: _____ 18 or older

Prerequisites / Required Training

SLED background check; student ministry team training in late August; weekly mentor huddles; periodic meetings with the youth coordinator

This ministry is the best fit for people who: (list gifts, abilities, passions)

Mentors must have the passion and desire to walk with young people along their faith journey. Listening, caring, and being available are imperatives. Mentors are persons who model the Christian life through action and word.

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Sunday night large group speakers

- Time: Sunday nights from 5-7
- Training: Cyndi will help develop the talks as needed
- Duration: Sunday nights during the school year, however there are several Sunday's that we attend events or are off for school breaks
- Qualifications: Needs to be someone who has a heart for teenagers and can connect with them on a level that is relevant to their lives. This person also needs to be committed to the prep time to prepare the message based on biblical principles.

Worship Leader Assistant

- Someone to assist Brea with worship practice setting up and tearing down, putting all song lyrics into Easy Worship.
- Time: Sunday afternoons 3:30 until 7:00
- Training: All training will be provided
- Duration: Sunday nights during the school year, unless we are off due to an alternate event or school break
- Qualifications: Someone with musical experience and talent would be great

Video Team

- We need a team of people who connect with teenagers and would be willing to help write, film and edit youth videos covering various topics. The youth are great at coming up with ideas and LOVE to film videos!!
- Time: Ongoing project
- Qualifications: Experience in video editing and/or directing

Small Group Trainer for Leaders

- Time: To be determined based on availability of coordinator and leader
- Duration: Ongoing
- Qualifications: Someone who has a heart for training leaders and is knowledgeable in various subjects relating to teens such as cutting, suicide, alcohol and drug use, pornography addictions etc...

Small group leaders for students

- Time: Sunday nights 5:00-7:00 during large group/small group teaching time
- Duration: Calendar School year except when we are off due to an alternate event or school break
- Training: Will be provided by the Small Group Trainer for leaders
- Qualifications: Anyone who loves teenagers and has a heart to influence this generation of youth to strengthen their walk with Christ.

