

Middle School Youth Minister and Worship Leader

St. Francis of Assisi in Grapevine, Texas

About us:

St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church in Grapevine, Texas is searching for a full-time Middle School Youth Minister and Worship Leader to serve 400 students between 5-8th grade. Our ministry program focuses on events/retreats, evangelistic catechesis, and discipleship through relational ministry. As a parish striving to live out the new evangelization, our mission is to create life-long disciples by connecting students to authentic worship, life-giving community, and discipleship mentors within the parish. You can find our parish website at www.sfatx.org

About the Position:

This position will work in collaboration with the Director of Youth Ministry to produce a comprehensive youth ministry program for 5th-8th graders. This position will be responsible for weekly programming. The position also facilitates retreats and one summer trip, as well as participation in other grade appropriate diocesan events. The middle school youth minister would be expected to participate in outreach opportunities such as school visits and events within the community as well as occasionally help with our high school youth ministry program when needed. The position would also be responsible for recruiting/training/leading a team of adult volunteer ministers to lead small discipleship groups.

The position would also be responsible for leading a Worship Team for a weekly Sunday Evening Mass. The position would recruit, lead, and train a worship team of volunteers, as well as prepare the Liturgical Music for this Sunday Evening Mass and help lead praise and worship for some retreats/events when needed.

Expected Qualifications:

- Authentically Catholic and passionately seeking a deeper relationship with our Lord
- Creativity that will keep 5-8th graders engaged and excited to be present
- Captivating and Polished Speaking Ability
- Project Management and Organizational Skills
- Able to play guitar and/or piano confidently for large crowds and lead worship
- An ability to engage students as well as parents on a personal level
- Can strongly and confidently lead praise and worship with large crowds/Adoration/Retreats/Mass/etc
- Knowledge of audio equipment, sound mixing, recording, etc involved in live performances
- Ability to lead and train a Worship Team and prepare Liturgical Music for a Sunday evening Mass
- Experience both planning and implementing programs within a parish ministry program
- Willingness to make goals, seek criticism and improvement, and experiment creatively
- Foundational understanding of theology, scripture, morality and Catholic social teaching
- Proficient use of social media, and Microsoft Office
- Background in theological studies or previous ministry experience
- Commitment to a long-term vocation as a youth minister at our parish

Preferred qualifications:

- Experience with PowerPoint, Social Media, web development/design skills
- Knowledge of video/editing, podcasting, audio editing
- Experience with Photoshop/Inkscape/Gimp or Final Cut Pro/etc

Applicants must submit a resume and to j.flynn@sfatx.org

Salary commensurate with experience and education. Full benefits package included.