

# **Children and Youth Ministry Leader**

**Stanley Park Community Church  
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## **About the Role**

Stanley Park Community Church is seeking to hire a full time Children and Youth Ministry Leader to *focus on the creation of a youth ministry* and to *provide oversight for our children's ministry*. The successful applicant will have a genuine love for both children and youth along with an active, contagious faith that models a connection with God and inspires people around them. This position will require a collaborative, relational approach to both ministry and community, along with initiative, good communication skills, and energy. We are looking for a community-builder who will guide youth in our church and community to build healthy relationships—with God, with each other and with the rest of our church family. As part of the leadership team at Stanley Park Community Church, the successful applicant will report directly to the Senior Pastor, and work closely with Area Leaders, lay leaders, and volunteers. The ideal candidate will be excited to have the opportunity to build a ministry from the ground up and have experience in leading group change.

## **Additional Skills & Qualifications**

- A committed follower of Jesus who demonstrates a mature, well-reasoned faith.
- Able to demonstrate wisdom, maturity, honesty and accountability in all facets of one's life.
- Proven emotional maturity and relational awareness.
- Able to recruit and train a team of volunteers.
- Committed to personal and professional growth and to connecting with relevant groups and resources who can model/mentor that growth.
- Prepared to fully engage in the life and ministry of the church as an active member.
- Will participate in setting church goals and mission, adhere to that mission and act in agreement with the social and moral standards of the church as found in the *Discipline of the United Brethren Church in Canada*.
- University or College Degree or equivalent experience required.

Stanley Park is looking to fill this full-time position by August 2015. Compensation and benefits will be negotiated.

## **About Stanley Park Community Church**

Stanley Park Community Church is part of the United Brethren Church in Canada, and has been serving the Kitchener area for over 150 years. We seek to follow Jesus by loving God with whole hearted devotion, by encouraging each other to be all that God wants us to be, and by engaging with those around us in loving service. Our style is contemporary, and our message could be described as Classic Christianity.

Resumes should be directed to:

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