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|  | **Position Description**Children’s DirectorFull-Time*crossofglory.church* |

**Objective:**

Fulfill God’s calling to minister to and shepherd infant, toddler, and elementary students. Personal commitment for your own spiritual growth modeled by a consistent practice of prayer and spiritual disciplines. Provide a biblically sound and vibrant children’s program. Connect with students on a deep level and partner with families and the rest of the church body to accomplish our vision to know and follow Jesus as a church, at home & beyond.

**Reports to:** Senior Pastor

**Primary Duties and Responsibilities:**

* Establish a vision for ministering to children.
	+ Disciple children to know and follow Jesus as they prepare for adulthood.
	+ Engage the unchurched children in our community with the gospel.
	+ Manage the security plan that protects children in our church’s care.
* Shepherd and care for children and parents.
	+ Maintain a plan for regular programming.
	+ Seek and implement ideas to continually improve ministry.
	+ Plan and lead special events specific to children 0-10 and their families.
	+ Be a welcoming, loving, engaged presence during church activities.
* Build and equip a strong ministry team.
	+ Recruit, train, and develop leaders to disciple, connect with, and serve students.
* Engage students with relevant Biblical teaching.
	+ Lead the process of choosing and implementing curriculum and Bible-teaching rhythms for children, as well as special programs for equipping parents.
	+ Act as primary teacher for Children’s lessons
	+ Ensure readiness for Wednesday and Sunday activities (either directly or through other staff and volunteers)

**Desired Qualifications:** Undergraduate Degree with an emphasis in biblical studies or related training. Multiple years of experience in volunteer and/or professional children’s ministry. Demonstrated ability to recruit, train, and develop adult volunteers. Proven experience in shepherding and discipleship.

Resumes can be sent to: searchteam@crossofglory.church

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