

PARK HILL CONGREGATIONAL UCC
JOB DESCRIPTION

Job Title: Sunday School Teacher

Basic Function: The Sunday School teacher will provide high-quality, interactive faith exploration in a classroom setting. The Sunday School teacher will lead one of our two classrooms: Preschool through Second Grade or Third through Fifth Grades. The teacher will work with our Minister for Faith Formation to design and teach lessons that help children explore, develop, and deepen their faith.

This position supports the core values of PHCC by providing an inclusive, welcoming learning environment for children in which questions of faith are respectfully welcomed, children are strengthened and nurtured to love their neighbors through spiritual deepening and mission practice, and in which each child is nurtured and loved unconditionally.

Duties and responsibilities:

Prepare and teach Sunday School lessons using the church's established curriculum

Work with and integrate any church volunteers in the preparation and teaching of the lessons

Inventory, organize and identify materials needed for the above programming. Keep storage areas orderly

Pay special attention to families with children and notify the Minister for Faith Formation if additional communication or services are needed to support the families

Qualifications:

- Be a person of faith, loving, creative, progressive in your understanding of God and your orientation toward the Bible.
- Commitment to and understanding of progressive, inclusive Christianity, or willingness to learn.
- 1-3 years experience in church or church-based programs for children and/or youth; if not, experience in educational settings.
- Be responsible and responsive to children, their parents, and the Minister for Faith Formation.
- Be creative and enthusiastic.
- Excellent organizational skills.
- Have a sense of humor.
- Be at least 18 years old.

Preferred, but not required:

- Some education and/or training in Christian education.
- Strong understanding of the stages of child development.

Hours and Compensation: Sunday School currently takes place from 10:15-11 a.m. weekly during September through May. It is expected that the Sunday School teacher will spend 60-90 minutes each week preparing the lesson. Pay is \$40 per week. The start date is flexible, but available immediately upon completion of a background check.

To apply, send a cover letter and resume (with references) to Jeremy Shaver, Minister for Faith Formation at youth@parkhillchurch.org.