

Welcome to the Middle School Ministry!

I am so excited that you are reading this letter because it means that somehow you have expressed an interest in getting involved with one of the most amazing ministry experiences that you could ever have. Middle School students are so full of life and energy, and they cannot wait to share it with adults who are willing to love and invest in them. We (all the current volunteers) are always amazed by the potential that is just waiting to be unleashed in the students and we hope that you will have the chance to tap in to that potential as well. These kids are the next generation of the church and we know Christ has big plans for them.

As you consider becoming involved, please prayerfully look over the contents of this folder:

- Yellow sheet: job description for Sunday Leaders.
- Green sheet: job description for Wednesday Leaders.
- Blue Stapled Sheets: Description of a Discipled Student - our vision and curriculum for the students in our ministry; Mission Statement and Strategy - our mission and the strategic events and programs we have in place to fulfill that mission.
- Orange Packet: Youth Ministry Application and Background Check Form - we do careful checks on all applicants to work with students including references and background checks.

Now let me lay out the components that are needed, though not necessarily in this order, for coming on to our middle school staff team.

- Indicate interest and receive folder.
- Visit on Sunday Morning (10-11:20am) or Wednesday Night (6:30-8pm).
- Fill out application and pass reference and background checks.
- Come in for an interview with the Pastor of Middle School Ministry. You will be asked to share about your testimony, beliefs, and heart for ministry.

I look forward to walking you through this process and hope to connect you with a place to share your passion for reaching out to some incredible kids with a great team of adults who love pouring Christ in to their lives.

In Christ,

Brian Dietz
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