

Jarvis Memorial UMC Youth Pastor Survey

1. As a respondent to this survey I am _____ (Check all that apply)

- A middle school aged youth
 - A high school aged youth
 - A parent of a middle school aged youth
 - A parent of a high school aged youth
 - A parent of both a middle and high school aged youth
 - A former member of the JSM Youth (Young Adult)
 - A member of Jarvis without youth aged children
 - A friend of Jarvis UMC
- Other (please specify):

2. How important are the following qualities in a youth pastor?

	Not Important at All	Not Too Important	Neutral	Somewhat Important	Very Important
1-3 years of experience	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
3+ years of experience	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Counseling degree or skills	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Sound biblical knowledge	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Available for school & extracurricular events	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
A passion for youth	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
A mentor of youth	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
A graduate of an accredited seminary	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Energetic	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Visionary	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Organized	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Flexible	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Other (please specify):	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

3. How important are the following activities for youth?

	Not Important at All	Not Too Important	Neutral	Somewhat Important	Very Important
Spiritual messages	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Play/fun time	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Gathering/social time	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Worship time	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Retreats	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Local mission trips	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Mission trips out of state	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Mission trips out of country	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Small discussion groups	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Discipleship opportunities	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Service Projects	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Fund raising events	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
United Methodist Church events/conferences	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Prayer	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Evangelism	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Participation in general church events	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Separation of middle and high school activities/trips	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

Separation of middle and high school Sunday School classes _____

Other (please specify): _____

4. The JSM Advisory Board (Youth Commission) should consist of representatives from the following _____.

	Not Important at All	Not Too Important	Neutral	Somewhat Important	Very Important
Middle school representative	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
High school representative	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Current parent of a JSM youth member	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Former JSM youth member	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Young adult	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Member from general Jarvis church community	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Non-church member	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Other (please specify):	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

5. Ideal volunteer youth workers should consist of _____.

	Not Important at All	Not Too Important	Neutral	Somewhat Important	Very Important
Current parents of JSM Youth	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Former JSM Youth members	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Young Adults	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
General members of Jarvis church community	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Non-church members dedicated to Christian discipleship	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Other (please specify):	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

6. An ideal youth program should include _____.

	Not Important at All	Not Too Important	Neutral	Somewhat Important	Very Important
Sunday School classes	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Sunday evening programs	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Programs on a week night	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Programs during the school year only	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Programming throughout the calendar year	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____
Other (please specify):	_____	_____	_____	_____	_____

7. Please include any additional comments or suggestions you have for the Jarvis Memorial UMC Youth Pastor Search Committee. We do value your input and will review all comments.