



Summer Youth Internship (Summer 2025)

Westvue Church of Christ—Lewisburg, TN

Overview

The Westvue Church of Christ is seeking a **highly relational and motivated Summer Youth Intern** to serve in our youth ministry program. This position is open to male applicants who will have completed their freshman (first year) of college and provides a hands-on ministry experience working alongside our youth minister, pulpit minister, elders and deacons with oversight of the youth program and church secretary.

Located an **hour south of Nashville, TN and an hour north of Huntsville, AL, directly along interstate 65**, Westvue is an active congregation of **200-250 members** and a great group of **35-40 students**. The internships **runs from May 18th- August (11 weeks)** and is a **paid position (\$500/week) with lodging provided**. This schedule is flexible based on the applicant's schedule. Youth program-related expenses will be reimbursed.

Responsibilities

The **Summer Youth Intern** will play an integral role in fostering spiritual growth and relationships among our students through a variety of activities, service projects and teaching opportunities. Key responsibilities include:

- **Building relationships:** Engage with students and parents in meaningful ways, being proactive in fostering a welcoming environment.
- **Summer Calendar:** Develop a calendar of summer youth group events for June & July.
- **Weekly Activities:** Assist in planning and executing various youth group events and activities. Produce a weekly article covering youth events to be included in the bulletin. Update social media accounts with announcements of upcoming events, pictures of events, etc.
- **Bible Classes & Devotionals:** Teach the Sunday morning middle school class for 5 weeks. Teach the Wednesday night teen class for 6 weeks. Facilitate devotionals.
- **Family Bible School:** Assist with Family Bible School June 1-3.
- **Illinois Day Camp:** Participate and help execute day camp in Dahlgren, Illinois June 15-19,

- **Office Work & Ministry:** Spend morning hours planning activities, preparing devotionals, class lessons or sermons. Spend afternoon and evening hours with students through planned events, mentoring and discipleship.

Qualifications

- We are seeking a **college-aged young man** with a heart for youth ministry, a strong personal faith, and a passion for mentoring and discipleship. Preferred qualifications include:
 - A **strong, active faith in Christ**, and alignment with the beliefs and practices of Churches of Christ
 - **Experience working with young people**, whether through church camp, retreats, or other ministry settings.
 - An **outgoing personality** that engages ALL students
 - A desire to **teach, mentor, and disciple** students in their faith.
 - The ability to **work collaboratively** with ministers, parents, volunteers, and church leadership.
 - **Strong communication and organizational skills**
 - **Reliable transportation**

Compensation & Benefits

- **Salary:** \$500 per week
- **Housing:** Basement apartment provided in a Westvue member's home
- **Meals & Expenses:** Ministry-related expenses will be covered.
- **Spiritual Growth:** This position provides an opportunity to gain practical ministry experience, grow in leadership skills and impact students' lives.

How To Apply

If you are interested in applying for this position, please submit the following by Friday, April 25, 2025:

- **Resume**
- **Cover Letter** outlining your interest in youth ministry and this internship.
- **Two Reference Letters** (from a professor, minister, elder or previous employer)

For questions or to submit your application, contact:

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