



CHILDREN'S PASTOR Compass Church

Overview

Compass Church (compasschurchaz.com) in Goodyear, Arizona is eager to welcome an experienced and passionate Children's Pastor to join a dynamic leadership team and take this ministry to the next level. This person will be an energizing, relational and knowledgeable presence who will work with a great team to build momentum that propels the ministry to be the best hour in a kid's week.

The Big Idea



Compass Kids Ministry is ready for a leader who will enter the ministry with a creative vision and an ability to craft and execute a plan to ensure the ministry is effective, vibrant and fun. This individual will be given a wide berth to dream big and go for it! The next Children's Pastor will have the opportunity to work with the team to innovate and invent new ways to create the "wow" factor for kids; to renovate the current space so a colorful and inviting environment reflects the church's value for kids as well as a vibe that draws kids and their parents into ministry areas. With an understanding of how kids learn, the Children's Pastor will join with the Family Ministry team to ensure a solid scope and sequence of ministry from birth to college. Volunteers are committed and willing, but they desire a leader who will prepare, equip and encourage them. Compass has never shied away from big ideas, so this leader will be given the freedom to lead out with imagination and creativity so the Kids Ministry area thrives with a renewed sense of purpose, fun and eternal impact.

The Church

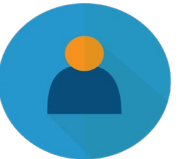


Affiliation: Evangelical Free Church of America (<https://www.efca.org>)

Attendance: 800

About: Compass Church offers three identical worship services at 8, 9:15 and 10:45 a.m. The 70-minute worship experience is modern and casual, with excellent, relevant biblical teaching. Kids Ministry is offered during the 9:15 and 10:45 a.m. services. Serving about 150 kids birth through 5th grade, Compass uses the "Orange" curriculum.

The Candidate



Compass is looking for a leader who is energizing, relational and passionate to help kids know Jesus personally and to grow in their faith. Experienced in working with teams and volunteers, the right person will be warm, upbeat and outgoing, able to develop authentic relational connections with lots of different kinds of people. Organized and approachable, he or she will understand how to develop a strategic plan and compelling vision for a vibrant and effective ministry. He or she will be skilled to identify the potential in people and to identify the kinds of improvements that elevate the ministry. The ideal candidate will be able to relate easily with kids and adults, easily sharing the Good News of Jesus in a way that is relatable, relevant and clear. This leader will draw participation, cast a compelling vision, and connect well with children, parents and volunteers alike.

The Location



Compass is located in beautiful, family-friendly Goodyear, Arizona, in the west valley of Phoenix. This desirable place to live has a growing population of approximately 95,000 residents. The city is home to Goodyear Ballpark, where the Cleveland Indians and Cincinnati Reds baseball teams hold spring training. Nearby Luke Air Force Base brings many military families into the community. With beautiful views of the Estrella Mountains, a low cost of living and affordable housing, Goodyear was voted one of the "Top Ten Best Suburbs To Buy A House" in the Phoenix metro area.

The Qualifications



Self-starter with an ability to effectively multi-task and follow through; Bachelor's Degree required, Masters preferred; At least three years of Children's Ministry experience in a multi-service church of at least 400; Demonstrate a vibrant and growing relationship with Jesus Christ; Endorse and support the EFCA's statement of faith; Effective speaker, teacher and trainer; Outgoing and energetic with excellent relational and interpersonal communication skills.

Next Steps



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