

Ministry Residency Program at Denver Seminary

INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITY: Director of Children Ministries

LOCATION: Bethany E-Free Church

ABOUT: www.bethanyefree.org

Role: The Bethany E-Free Church Director of Children and Parent Ministries leads the ministry of the church to and with children and their parents from ages 0-5th grade.

Purpose: This director exists to lead the church's children's ministry in shepherding and supporting children and parents to love, enjoy, worship, and service God through Jesus.

Reports: The Bethany E-Free Church Ministry Assistant reports to the Senior Pastor.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- 1.) Sincere desire to love, enjoy and know Christ more deeply
- 2.) Affirmation of Bethany EFC's Statement of Faith
- 3.) Accepted student at Denver Seminary
- 4.) Ability to recruit, organize, encourage, and support volunteers
- 5.) Patience and Flexibility
- 6.) Warm and welcoming personality
- 7.) Excellent communication skills
- 8.) Sound understanding of Evangelical Christian doctrine
- 9.) Passion for working with children and parents
- 10.) Experience in children's ministry
- 11.) Experience leading children's ministry or children's programming preferred

"The Bethany E-Free Church Ministry Assistant is first and foremost called to live a life following Christ. In that life there will be areas of sin and need for repentance. Because this position is a member of the church staff, some sins and struggles may disqualify an individual for this position. This is especially true in cases of divisive sin, financial sin, and unrepentant sin. In such cases situations will be handled in accordance with the by-laws of Bethany EFC."

TUITION CONSIDERATION: \$2,500 Per Semester
 10% tuition discount
 Taxable Living Stipend: Yes

ESTIMATED TIME COMMITMENT: 16 hours week

OBJECTIVES:

General Expectations:

- Love, enjoy, worship, and serve God through Jesus
- Grow in personal holiness and Christlikeness

- Within one year become a member of Bethany EFC
- Excel at mentoring, prayer, communication, and organization.
- Attend staff meetings and 1:1 meetings with the Senior Pastor

TO APPLY: Send Resume to:

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Bethany E-Free Church
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Centennial, CO
Senior Pastor



DEFINITION OF THE MINISTRY RESIDENCY PROGRAM:

By Definition the Residency Program is an Internship and contains the following:

1. *Similar ministry training as that available in and through schooling for future clergy;*
2. *This training is for the benefit of the trainee;*
3. *Resident is not a replacement for a regular employee, but works under close observation;*
4. *This program is considered to be of greater value to the trainee than to the employer;*
5. *Trainees are not necessarily entitled to a job at the completion of the program;*
6. *Employer and trainee understand that trainees are not entitled to wages for the time spent in training.*