

Lincolnton United Methodist Church
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Lincolnton United Methodist Church is a moderate size county seat church in Lincoln county Georgia. Lincolnton is about 30 minutes west of Augusta Ga. LUMC is a dynamic traditional Christian church, and part of the North Georgia Conference. We are a growing congregation, with special emphasis in ministry to children and youth. Our children's ministry hosts 45-60 children ages 4 through 5th grade.

We are currently searching for someone to take the lead in our youth department as well as in our music program. Or, if one candidate has interest and gifts in both areas the two part time jobs could be combined into one full time position.

A competitive salary is offered with both positions, with the possibility of housing provided if needed.

Part time Director of Music

Approx. 15-20 hours per week

- Recruit, train, schedule and lead the worship team of volunteer musicians and vocalists.
- Develop music selections in consultation with the Pastor's, accompanying sermon plans.
- Equip worship team monthly with upcoming music and schedule.
- Prepare or direct preparation of worship media support weekly.
- Rehearse with worship team weekly.
- Prep equipment used to support worship weekly with announcements, sermon notes and scripture, music, etc.
- Recruit, train, schedule and lead the volunteer tech team; (Sound, overheads, facebook live broadcasting, etc.)
- Conduct a walk-through of the weekly Sunday morning order of worship with the volunteer tech team, and lead them during weekly worship service.

Part time Youth Director

Approx. 15-20 hours per week

- Recruit, train, schedule and lead team of adult volunteers (teachers and helpers) for an effective youth ministry outreach program.
- Guide Middle and high School youth in spiritual development and formation with emphasis on developing relationship with Christ.
- Lead or direct others to lead weekly Youth Fellowship gatherings.
- Coordinate some activities with other youth ministry programs in town.
- Partner with the Pastor on opportunities for youth to lead in worship.
- Guide youth to serve on the annual "River Of Life" mission project.
- Participate in and support the annual "River Of Life" mission project. A three day community mission outreach ministry with youth with emphasis on service to others.

Other responsibilities in both positions;

- Participate in regular staff and committee meetings with other program leaders, to coordinate work together.
- Support the Vision, Mission and Ministry of Lincolnton UMC
- Support congregational communications by using multiple outlets to promote your ministry. (Sunday Bulletin, signage, pamphlets, email, texts, website and on line publications)

Minimum qualifications for either position;

- Bachelor's degree, either received or in process of completion is preferred.
- Ability to work some nights, weekends and all major Christian holidays.
- Professed person of faith in Jesus with ongoing spiritual formation disciplines.
- Heart and habits that are conducive to a traditional Wesleyan Theological orientation.
- Desire to see non-believers and seekers come to faith in Christ.

Personal Competencies:

- Spiritual maturity; Demonstrates a mature faith and is constantly growing and maturing in his or her own spiritual life.
- Interpersonal skills: Demonstrates the ability to lead others. Demonstrates the skills of active listening. Productively engages in and works to resolve interpersonal conflict. Relates easily with a wide variety of personalities.
- Basic Biblical and theological knowledge:
- Sensitive to and supportive of a traditional United Methodist context, particularly pertaining to worship context.
- Musical and theological background and/or training. Ability to select music scores/hymns that speak to the themes of worship and the liturgical year.
- Organization: Understands the necessity of short and long-range planning. Demonstrates preparedness for music performance in services and rehearsals. Involves volunteers in planning and implementation of the music ministry.
- Teamwork: Understands the value of working as a team in planning, preparing and implementing tasks of the position for which hired.

About Lincolnton United Methodist Church

Mission statement: To make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world through love, unity and service.

Core values:

We are known for:

Love in Action- reflected as a caring community, warm fellowship and individual support in times of need.

Unity of Spirit – experienced through our worship, ministries and biblically based teachings.

Service Beyond Our Walls – lived through our mission and outreach activities.

Vision statement:

To offer Christ centered worship and engagement opportunities that nurture everyone's personal relationship with Christ, inspiring them to reach others through outreach and discipleship.