

Part-Time NextGen Ministries Director

Position: Part-Time NextGen Ministries Director

Church: Arlington Korean UMC

Address: 2425 N. Glebe Road, Arlington, Virginia 22207.

Denomination: United Methodist Church

Date Posted: March 27, 2026

Job Type: Part-Time

Salary: \$1,200/month

Hours: Approx. 10 hours/week

About Our Church

We are a warm, welcoming Korean-American congregation of approximately 40 active members located in Arlington, Virginia. While our roots are Korean, our heart is multigenerational – and we are actively investing in English-speaking ministry for our youth and young adults. This role is conducted entirely in English, and no Korean language ability is required. If you have a passion for the next generation and are looking for a place to grow in ministry, we'd love to meet you.

Position Overview

We are seeking a dedicated and passionate Part-Time NextGen Ministries Director to lead and shepherd our youth (middle/high school) and young adults. We currently serve approximately 5 youth and 4 young adults – a small but growing group that offers a meaningful, relational ministry context. This is an excellent opportunity for a seminary student, recent graduate, or someone with a heart for next-generation ministry to gain hands-on experience in a supportive church community.

Responsibilities

Weekly

- Plan, lead, and preach at the weekly Youth worship service

Monthly

- Lead worship (English praise) at our monthly all-congregation English service (children, youth, young adults, and adults worshipping together)
- Lead worship at our monthly Friday evening Prayer & Praise gathering for youth, young adults, and parents (first Friday of each month)

Quarterly

- Host a Parent-Teacher fellowship (PTF) meeting with youth parents every three months
- Provide occasional pastoral counseling for youth and their families as needed

Twice a Year

- Plan and lead a 4-week Bible study series for youth – once during Lent (leading up to Easter) and once in the fall (leading up to Thanksgiving)

Annually / Seasonal

- Plan, coordinate, and lead special youth and young adult events, including summer or winter retreat, approximately four outings per year (e.g., ski trip), and occasional mission trips (*as opportunities and church plans allow*)
- Prepare and lead youth participation in seasonal celebration services (Easter, Thanksgiving, Christmas)

Ongoing

- Collaborate with and support whole-church events and ministries as needed
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Qualifications

- A genuine calling and passion for youth and young adult ministry
 - Currently enrolled in or a graduate of a seminary or Bible college preferred
 - Prior ministry experience with youth or young adults preferred
 - Must be eligible to work in the United States
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Schedule & Compensation

- Hours: Approximately 10 hours per week
 - Sunday: 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM
 - Saturday: 10:00 AM – 2:00 PM
 - (*Schedule may be adjusted based on ministry needs*)
 - Compensation: \$1,200/month
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How to Apply

Please submit the following documents merged into a single PDF file to stmkumc@gmail.com

1. Resume
2. Personal Statement of Faith – Share your personal faith journey and what you believe about Scripture, salvation, and the Church (*1–2 pages*)
3. Ministry Philosophy Statement – Briefly describe your philosophy of youth ministry and how it connects to your faith (*1 page*)
4. Two References (*include full name, title, organization, phone number, email, and your relationship to them – references will be contacted directly by our church*)
 - One from a senior pastor or ministry supervisor who can speak to your character and faith
 - One from someone who has directly observed your ministry work with youth, students, or young adults
5. Proof of seminary enrollment or degree (*transcript, enrollment verification, or diploma*)
All submitted materials will be handled with confidentiality. Documents will not be returned and will be securely discarded after the review process.

Position open until filled. Applications are reviewed on a rolling basis.

 Questions and applications: stmkumc@gmail.com