Morden Baptist Church Children and Families Worker (Part-time Contract)

Job Description and Person Specification



Morden Baptist Church Vision and Values

The vision of Morden Baptist Church is "Growing Disciple-makers who transform Morden and beyond." The church is a diverse intergenerational and intercultural church drawn together by our love for Jesus Christ, our love for one another, and our love for our community. Morden Baptist Church is seeking to employ a part time Children and Families Worker who will contribute to the growth and development of the church's Children and Families Ministry in the congregation and the community.

Job Outline:

Job Title: Children and Families Worker (Part-time Contract)

Reporting to: The Minister

Location: Morden Baptist Church, Morden

Working Hours: 10 hours per week (hours are negotiable but would include midweek and a Sunday

morning)

Working Period: 1 year contract

Salary: £13.85 per hour

Job Description

The Children and Families Worker will be responsible for:

- Working with the Church Leadership Team to grow and develop the church's Children and Families Ministry in the congregation and the community.
- Planning, organising, and implementing a biblical and contextually relevant Children and Families Ministry.
- Discipling and nurturing the children and families that participate in the church's Children and Families Ministry on Sundays and weekdays.
- Reaching out to children and families in our community who may be interested in participating in the church's Children and Families Ministry.
- Overseeing, supporting, and collaborating with the Children's and Families Ministry volunteer workers and encouraging additional volunteers from the congregation.
- Participating as appropriate in various church events such as church services, retreats, seminars, and other special events.

Person Specification

The Children and Families Worker's essential qualities:

- There is a Genuine Occupational Requirement that the Children and Families Worker is Christian. Regulation 7(2)a of the Employment Equality (Religion or Belief) Regulations 2003 applies.
- Some prior practical ministry knowledge, skills, and experience in Christian ministry Children and Families Work.
- A relational person with good interpersonal and communication skills who will build healthy relationships with the church family and the community.
- Good church ministry management, administration, and IT skills.
- Satisfactory enhanced DBS Check with satisfactory employment references.
- A willingness to participate in a continuing professional ministry development programme.

How to apply

The application should include:

- A letter of application of no more than two A4 pages outlining the applicant's suitability for the post and in particular addressing the requirements of the Job Description and Person Specification
- A current CV giving details of education and/or professional qualifications and employment history.

Applications should be sent by email to terri@mordenbaptist.co.uk

The closing date for applications is 12 noon on Friday 4th April 2025.

Interviews will be scheduled soon thereafter.