

Exchange Church Ministry Position

Exchange Church is an evangelical church situated in regional Victoria in the provincial city of Shepparton, with a vision to connect people to Jesus and to grow people in Jesus as healthy flourishing disciples. Exchange Church is a part of the FIEC fellowship of churches, a growing movement of reformed evangelicals.

We are seeking to grow our staff team by putting on an Associate Pastor to head up our Youth ministry and Next Steps discipleship pathways. This is a 0.6 position looking to grow to full time as quickly as we can.

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Please see below for more detailed description.

EXCHANGE CHURCH MINISTRY DESCRIPTION

Key Ministry Area: Youth / Next Steps Discipleship Growth

Position Title: Associate Pastor.

Reports To: Ps Todd Hall (weekly connect), weekly staff meetings, and key leaders as required.

Aims/Objectives:

- ❖ To foster a culture of gospel-centred discipleship amongst the Youth.
- ❖ To connect relationally with the Youth, and by lifestyle example model Jesus as your treasure.
- ❖ Conduct and raise awareness for Life Explored/Discipleship Explored courses.

Responsibilities:

- ❖ To source gospel focused discipleship material targeted for the Youth of EC.
- ❖ To lead and prepare a weekly throughout the school term, Youth ministry, to engage the youth of EC.
- ❖ To raise up and train a team to assist with leading the Youth ministry.
- ❖ To connect relationally in an appropriate way with the Youth of EC.
- ❖ To engage with the parents of the Youth at EC.
To know and understand the individual challenges they're going through with their teens.
- ❖ To participate in EC ministry staff and team leader's meetings.
- ❖ To coordinate with the EC team leaders on the calendar of events throughout the year.
- ❖ To champion and promote LE/DE throughout the life of EC.
- ❖ To prepare, plan, and carry out for both LE/DE courses.
- ❖ Attend the Reach Australia conference each year.
- ❖ Will be required to prepare and preach on a regular basis within the EC preaching roster.
- ❖ To be a part of a fast and efficient communication network within EC.

Essential Requirements:

- ❖ A character of humility and love to serve Jesus and others.
- ❖ Committed to growing in Christ as a maturing believer, through word, prayer, community, mission and serving.
- ❖ Committed to the vision of EC as a disciple-making church through being a team contributor.
- ❖ Having a heart for young people and seeing them grow in Jesus.
- ❖ Having a missional heart to reach the lost in the Greater Shepparton and Goulburn Valley community.

Desirable Requirements:

- ❖ Theological training.
- ❖ Evident skills of communication and delegation.