



POSITION DESCRIPTION: Messy Church Ministry Lead 2024

REPORTING TO	Church Council, St Leonard's Uniting Church, Brighton Beach
POSITION TYPE:	Casual: 5 hours per month
ACCOUNTABILITY:	Church Council, St Leonard's Uniting Church, Brighton Beach
OVERSIGHT	Presbytery of Port Philip East

Role

Messy Church at St Leonard's is held on the 4th Sunday of the month from February to November from 5pm - 7pm. Messy Church is for families who may not find the traditional Sunday morning service appealing. It includes hands on creative experiences, a short time of worship and a meal. The primary purpose of the Messy Church Ministry Lead at St Leonard's Uniting Church is to lead and co-ordinate a safe and vibrant Messy Church, connecting and expanding the current program.

Key Responsibilities

Lead and grow a safe and vibrant Messy Church at St Leonard's Uniting Church by:

- Co-ordinating volunteers and developing an engaging children's ministry.
- Supporting the faith development of children, which will engage new families and children in pastoral care and faith formation and make connections to the church community as appropriate.

Key Skills/Core Competencies

- Ability to share and teach the gospel of Christ to children of all ages.
- Excellent relationship building and communication skills, with people across generations and diverse backgrounds

Desired experience

- Experience in working in children's ministry.
- Proven ability to work with volunteers and develop strong, and supportive relationships.

Personal Attributes and qualities

- A heart for, and understanding of, working with children and growing children's ministries within the Christian Church and the wider community.
- A willingness to work within the ethos of the Uniting Church.

Qualifications

- Relevant qualifications and /or experience in Children's and family ministry.
- Current Working with Children Check.

Remuneration: \$200 per month

Applications should be addressed to:

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Applications will be processed as received.