

Summer Ministry Intern Job Description

First United Methodist Church
Marion, Iowa

- Because, First United Methodist Church has a history and desire to raise up persons for professional ministry.
- Because, most of those persons that have been trained have taken roles in youth ministry, pastoral leadership and/or music.
- FUMC can provide a broad variety of opportunity for experiential ministry development.
- Selection based on home churches recommendation, campus participation and compatibility with the ministry team as discerned by the pastors.

The benefits:

1. The benefits to the United Methodist Church would include raising up or growing a person to be a Ministry Leader in the greater church.
 - a. This person will sit under proficient leaders for spiritual and experiential ministry opportunities.
 - b. The Intern could gain some guided and supervised leadership experiences in youth, music, Christian camping, worship leading and pastoral function.
 - c. The Intern could work with a variety of persons, groups and ministries within the church to gain a greater understanding of how the church works.
2. The benefits to First United Methodist Church would include:
 - a. A jolt of energy to our ministries during the time when many groups take a summer break.
 - b. An opportunity for a fresh approach to leadership that may come from sources outside our current leadership and church style.
 - c. To develop a short term program which could include service ministry, music ministry, etc.

Tasks:

1. To be defined by the Pastors with consideration given to the needs of the church, skill and passions of the intern and opportunities in which both the church and student can grow.
2. Accountability will be to the pastors. This is a “first” professional ministry position and is to be guided and directed by the pastors.

Costs:

- \$3,330 salary for 10 week total program.

Pre-requisites for the position:

- College student with an interest and passion for ministry.
- To have a profound faith in Christ as evidenced by their living.