

## BROADWATER PARISH YOUTH

Minister for St. Mary's & Hosanna

Disciplining and equipping young people to grow in faith, to live out their faith and to share their faith with others.

### WHO ARE WE?

We are part of a lively team ministry of four Evangelical Anglican congregations, working together to serve and impact the local community of Broadwater, Worthing.

Our two churches have an increasing number of young people, and we want them to grow in faith, live out their faith and share their faith with others.

We want to release a youth vision, built on existing foundations, that will create an impacting & lasting ministry to & by young people, changing lives in Worthing & beyond.

### WHO ARE YOU?

You have experience, passion and a gift for working with young people.

You have vision & are able to inspire & lead young people & volunteer teams.

You bring creative, discerning & innovative insight with your ministry to young people.

You work well with others, enjoy challenges & lead from the front.

You will be a practising, believing Christian who holds fast to Scripture, & responds to the Holy Spirit.

You model & live out your relationship with Christ & seek to uphold the standards of moral behaviour generally accepted by the churches in membership of the Evangelical Alliance.

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## Overall objectives of the post. What we want you to do...

To Teach & Disciple Youth & Youth Volunteers in the evangelical Christian faith, by word & example.

To spearhead the integration of an united ministry for the young people aged 11 to 18 of St. Mary's & Hosanna,

To oversee volunteer teams in their discipling & equipping of our young people.

To support transitions from children's work into youth, & from youth into the congregation.

## Specific Duties and Responsibilities to make this happen...

**Lead Worship & Ministry** through gatherings where the presence of God is sought and the gifts of the spirit are exercised.

**Take forward**, and develop as appropriate, existing inter-congregational youth ventures (currently "The Edge" and Wednesday night youth group).

**Build relationships** through regular meetings, evangelistic events, small groups and individual mentoring.

**Encourage Young Christians to serve** in their home congregations, across the wider parish & beyond.

**Develop Leadership** by mentoring older youth.

**Represent** the youth ministry at staff level, sharing in the ministry to the wider parish, as appropriate.

**Partner** with appropriate outreach initiatives.

**Implement** compliance with the relevant child protection policy.

### QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

Relevant qualification and experience in Youth Work  
General IT skills including PowerPoint and E-mail.

### DESIRABLE

Musical, Sporting and Dramatic gifts  
Clean driving licence and willingness to train to drive a minibus

**EMPLOYED BY:** Broadwater PCC(Registered Charity number 1133987)

**RESPONSIBLE TO:** the Rector (overall); for Hosanna-specific ministry, the Team Vicar for Hosanna; for St. Mary's-specific ministries, the Curate.

**WORKBASE:** Specific Office space provided in the Parish Centre.

Hours of Work: Approximately 40 hours per week, arranged as flexi-time agreed with the relevant clergy. The work will involve extensive weekend and evening -ministry.

### FINANCIAL & CONTRACTUAL ARRANGEMENTS:

Broadwater Parish is actively seeking to support the Youth Minister under the conditions of the National Charter for Youth Workers. The Youth-Minister shall take one full day off each week, to be agreed with the Rector. Holiday entitlement will be in line with clergy conditions, to be taken by agreement with the Rector.

The Youth-Minister will be paid a stipend in the region of £20,000 p.a. payable monthly, and approved expenses will of course be reimbursed.

Enhanced CRB disclosure is mandatory for this post.

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