

DETAILED MINISTRY DESCRIPTION

Epworth Children's Home Representative

Outreach Team Vision

Through the activities, ministries, and other programs undertaken by the Outreach Team...to be a beacon of God's amazing grace that empowers people's lives to celebrate, demonstrate, and acclaim the awesome power of the risen Lord, Christ Jesus.

Epworth Children's Home Vision

Epworth and its services exist as the expression of the desire of the Methodist people of South Carolina and provide to the extent of their resources and capabilities, childcare, counseling, and related services to families and children, without regard to race, religion, national origin or ability to pay.

Title

Epworth Children's Home Representative.

Purpose

The home is a private, non-profit child and family service organization serving South Carolina. It is supported by voluntary church and private contributions, wills, bequests, and trust funds to inform the church congregation of the needs and services of the Epworth Children's Home.

Responsible to

Outreach Team Leaders, Church Staff, Associate Pastor, and Congregation.

Description of duties

- Become familiar with the Vision and Mission statements of the church. Plan the team's goals and objectives to fulfill those statements.
- To become familiar with the home and their needs and desires.
- To educate the congregation informed as to the needs of Epworth Children's Home.
- To collect back to school supplies for the children in the summer.
- To promote the annual Epworth Collection in the spring and in the fall.

Budget Responsibilities

Be attuned to the needs at Epworth and pass them on to Outreach team to consider when time for annual review of the budget or as other extreme needs may come up.

Time requirements

Attend meetings of the Outreach Team Quarterly unless more are needed.

Term

One year, with annual renewal (if mutually desired) for a maximum of 3 years.

Training and resources

- Be familiar with programs and training offered through the Annual Conference.
- Check monthly with Epworth to see what their needs might be.

Background Check

Not required for this position.

Qualifications, skills, and gifts

- A personal and growing relationship with Christ.
- On a personal spiritual journey.
- Possess one more of the following spiritual gifts:
 - o Discernment (D)*
 - o Encouragement (R)*
 - o Faith (D)

*D – Desired

*R - Required

Benefits to the Servant

Demonstrating Jesus' love by obedience to His Word by using our gifts and abilities to fulfill the command to "go and make disciples" and that you are inviting and equipping others to share in reaching out with the love of God to the Epworth Children's Home.