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POSITION TITLE: Director of Disabilities Ministry (Full-time)

REPORTS TO: Director of Family Ministry and Discipleship

PURPOSE OF POSITION:

1) To oversee and lead a dynamic, gospel-centered ministry to families experiencing disabilities both at Jacksonville Presbyterian Church (JPC) and in the community

2) To shepherd and disciple church members with disabilities in order that they might be equipped to share their gifts with the church, using them for the edification of the entire body

3) To facilitate Camp Levi, JPC's annual camp for families affected by disabilities

4) To support the ministry vision of JPC

PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITIES:

1) Ministry to Families Affected by Disabilities:

- Oversee the Buddy Ministry (i.e., recruit, train, and schedule buddies for children, youth, and adults)
- Oversee and schedule volunteers for the Disability Ministry Sunday morning classes (i.e., Room4U and Friendship Class)
- Oversee the Quiet Room caregivers
- Contact individuals and families affected by disability to determine what supports are desired/needed for successful church inclusion
- Oversee and schedule all DM focused support groups (i.e., mom's C.A.R.E., Dads' group, Friendship Group)
- Schedule, plan, and execute various outreach events to the disability community
- Ensure JPC's child safety policies are followed during all disabilities ministry events

2) Shepherding and Discipling:

- Consult with/ train various church groups regarding disabilities, as needed or requested
- Reach out to individuals and families affected by disability in the church and in the community

3) Camp Levi:

• Direct and oversee all aspects of Camp Levi (for more information, see Camp Levi Director's Manual available from Rachel Olstad)

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

1) Mature, committed Christian with godly character

- 2) Willing to become a member of JPC
- 3) Strong leadership abilities
- 4) Good communication and interpersonal skills

5) Experience with disabilities and/or experience working with members of the disability community

6) A genuine love for persons with disabilities and a genuine desire to walk with them, shepherd/disciple them, and lead them closer to Christ

HOURS AND REMUNERATION:

This is a full-time, exempt position, with full **benefits**. This position may require occasional work outside of traditional work hours.

Signature of Director of Family Ministry and Discipleship

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