



Holy Trinity, Rudgwick's Parish Church

Seeking to bring Jesus Christ into the heart of our community

Recruitment of a Youth and Children's Pastor

Job title:	Youth and Children's Pastor
Location:	Rudgwick, Horsham, West Sussex
Contract type:	Permanent, Full Time
Working hours:	37.5 hours a week including evenings, weekends and some bank holidays
Salary:	£26,000 - £30,000 per annum (depending on experience and qualifications). Accommodation provided rent free – 3 bedroom detached house, with garden, garage and off road parking.
Holiday entitlement:	25 days per annum plus bank holidays

Description of Job

Are you passionate to see young people come to faith, teaching, encouraging and supporting them as they mature in Christ?

We're looking for a Youth and Children's Pastor to lead our ministry to young people in our Village. A prayerful, inspirational person who will build on the work that has developed here in Rudgwick over the years – both in the church, and at our dedicated Youth Centre building, whilst being open to how God may be leading us forward into a new and exciting stage of growth.

This is a leadership role for someone with a passion to see children, young people and their families encounter God and grow in relationship with Him.

The youth ministry will be the core focus of the role, leading both open and faith-based youth work. However, in a village context our ministry needs to be holistic, and it is vital that the youth programme is integrated with our children's ministry and other areas of Church and village life, including building on relationships with the schools in our parish. We are looking for candidates who can bring fresh thinking and ideas, and support our lay volunteers and leaders.

The recruitment pack (including the person specification and job description), application form and confidential declaration can be downloaded from www.rudgwickchurch.org.uk/jobs.htm

There is an Occupational Requirement under the Equality Act 2010 for an applicant to be a committed Christian. The post is subject to an enhanced DBS check with Barred Lists, pre-employment references and a 3 month probationary period.

Closing Date – 23:59 hours on Sunday 11 October 2026

Interviews will be held the week beginning Monday 2 November 2026