Hollydale UMC

Mission

We as a community of faith are here to share God-s love through word, prayer, gifts and service with our community to assist with God-s good work in growing and nurturing people-s relationship with Jesus Christ.

Description

Diverse community of faith trying to serve the needs of a struggling community in the suburbs of Cobb County.

Unique Opportunities in Ministry

The opportunity to work within a community that does not have any large churches, but is heavily populated. Many of the families who attend our events do not have a church home. We also are a diverse congregation with a Hispanic Ministry as a part of our overall congregation.

Site Details

Outreach
Backpack Blessings serves over 180 children at Hollydale Elementary where the free/reduced lunch population is close to 85% of the total school population.
Food Pantry for the community.
ESOL classes.
Tutoring.
Large Recreation Ministry.

Meeting the Five Areas of Ministry

Administration:
There is only one full time staff person who handles the majority of the administrative functions of the church. Lots of opportunities for hands-on.

Liturgy (Worship and Preaching):
Opportunity to be involved in all parts of worship, including bilingual services and Hispanic worship. Plenty of opportunities to preach throughout the year, not just during off seasons.

Mission and Outreach:
We are in the middle of a depressed area with a large population. LOTS of opportunities for outreach and service.

Pastoral Calling and Congregational Care:
Would love to have students involved in caring for the congregation AND our community. We do a decent amount of care for folks who are not members of our church.
**Religious Education:**
This maybe the largest opportunity for growth in our community of faith so it would be a great fit for someone who has a passion for discipleship.

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<td>Location Type</td>
<td>Suburban</td>
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<td>Worship Attendance</td>
<td>80-100</td>
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<td>Worship Times</td>
<td>11am- English, 12:30p- Espanol</td>
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<td>Weekly Schedule</td>
<td>Wed night: Dinner, Bible Study, Tutoring, ESOL. Sunday Evenings: Youth Sunday: Worship, Children's Church, Sunday School</td>
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<td>Stipend?</td>
<td>We can offer a small stipend as well as reimburse expenses.</td>
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<td>Distance from Candler</td>
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<td>Accessible to persons with disabilities?</td>
<td>Yes. While our bathrooms are not ADA our property is very flat and bathrooms are very roomy. Accessibility is good.</td>
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<td>Accessible via public transportation?</td>
<td>No</td>
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<td>Can women be ordained?</td>
<td>Yes</td>
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<td>What role do women play in leadership?</td>
<td>The majority of our lay leadership are women. They are an instrumental part of setting our direction.</td>
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