

# **John Smith**

Senior Associate Pastor - Youth

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## Summary

Dedicated and compassionate Senior Associate Pastor with 8 years of experience in youth ministry, seeking to leverage my skills in leadership, discipleship, and community outreach to empower the next generation of leaders.

## **Experience**

#### Associate Pastor - Youth

First Baptist Church • Chicago, IL • Jan 2018 - Present

Led a team of volunteers to design and implement a comprehensive youth ministry program, resulting in a 30% increase in youth participation over 2 years.

- Developed and taught Bible studies and Sunday school lessons to youth grades 6-12
- Coordinated and executed youth events, including retreats, mission trips, and conferences, with a 25% increase in attendance over 3 years
- Counseled and mentored youth in spiritual guidance and life skills, with a 90% satisfaction rate from parents and youth

#### **Youth Minister**

Second Presbyterian Church • Dallas, TX • Jun 2015 - Dec 2017

Collaborated with the senior pastor to develop and implement a strategic plan for youth ministry, resulting in a 50% increase in youth participation over 2 years.

- Preached and taught at youth worship services and events
- Built relationships with local schools and organizations to establish partnerships and outreach opportunities, with a 40% increase in community engagement over 2 years
- Trained and supervised a team of volunteers to assist with youth ministry tasks and events

## **Skills**

Leadership

Discipleship

**Community Outreach** 

**Youth Ministry** 

**Biblical Teaching** 

Counseling

## Education

#### M.Div

**Dallas Theological Seminary** 

Dallas, TX

May 2015

Master of Divinity • 3.8

#### Certificates

# Certificate in Youth Ministry

Youth Ministry Institute

Jun 2012

Completed a comprehensive program in youth ministry, focusing on leadership, discipleship, and community outreach

# Languages

English • Native

Spanish • Intermediate

### **Hobbies**

Playing guitar and leading worship