

About you, the ideal team member

- You want to be part of a church that makes a difference in the community and the world. We love our neighbors, and we make it a habit to be involved in a positive way.
- You are looking for a congregation that values education and critical thinking. You will find a wide diversity of theological and political beliefs at Westminster. We really like it that way.
- You want to work for a church that is open and inclusive. We believe Christ loves everyone, everywhere, just as they are. As followers of Christ, we try to emulate that.
- You are energized by working with people of all ages and all walks of life. Anyone who wishes to learn, to grow, and to serve can find a place here.
- You're reliable, ready to learn, and you have a spirit of service that calls you to this position.



Westminster Residency in Church Vocation: Mission

Interested Applicants:

Apply online at our website,
www.westminsterdayton.org.

If you have any questions regarding this position, or the music residency track, please visit our website or call our office at (937) 223-7285.



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Welcome to Westminster Presbyterian Church!

Where loving God and neighbor is transforming lives...

Westminster is a safe place to ask questions and to live the questions of life that have no easy or pat answers. We understand the life of faith to be a journey, and we walk that path with God and one another.

Westminster is an exciting congregation where you can grow in faith and discover meaningful opportunities to serve others in the name of God. All are welcome here.



"We are committed to loving our neighbor and welcoming all people into our fellowship just as they are without regard to race, age, social status, culture, or lifestyle."

What is the Mission Residency Program?

- The Mission Residency Program is an eleven-month opportunity beginning in September for a recent college graduate exploring a possible call to professional church service, e.g. social work, education, or ordained ministry.
- In addition to active participation in the current mission ministries of Westminster, the resident will be encouraged to use their best gifts and interest to engage the congregation in new and creative mission opportunities.
- The resident will receive a salary, housing, a health benefits package, and reimbursement for ministry expenses.

What kind of programs will I help with?

Jesus commands us to love our neighbors, and at Westminster we seek to do that by supporting local and global ministries.

Examples of our ministries include:

- Helping the underserved in our community obtain the identification they need to rebuild their lives.
- Supporting local inner city schools by helping students and staff overcome small obstacles that have a huge impact on education.
- Sharing the love of Christ with our sister church in Barranquilla, Colombia, through our partnership with Primera Iglesia.

And so much more!

"This program has been a great experience for me to learn what it's like to work in a church, build community relationships, and get to know what mission work in a congregational setting is like. I think this would be a great position for anyone considering seminary, faith based service, or even a social work career." - Mary Hoffmann, Mission Resident (2021-2022)

Position Description

TITLE: Mission Resident

PURPOSE: To explore a vocational call to ministry within the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) with focus on the mission ministries of Westminster Presbyterian Church.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. To explore a vocational call in church leadership through:

- Regular participation in worship
- Weekly participation in Staff Meetings
- Rotating participation in the ongoing ministry programs for all ages, with the goal of learning and understanding the scope of large church ministry

• Participation in church governance

2. To provide presence and leadership in the ongoing mission ministries of Westminster.

3. To work alongside the Pastoral Staff and Mission Associate.