

Director of Youth Ministries  
New England Congregational Church  
Aurora, IL

New England Congregational Church is a vibrant spiritual community in the heart of Aurora, Illinois' second-largest city. Since 1858, New England Church has embodied a progressive spirit. We welcome all people into the life and leadership of this community, regardless of age, ethnicity, religion, socioeconomic status, mental or physical ability, gender identity or expression, sexual orientation, family/marital status, or political perspective.

New England Church is seeking a part-time Director of Youth Ministries to help us grow our existing program. The successful candidate will value the diversity of both the congregation and our wider community; have a passion for ministries with youth; demonstrate knowledge of and commitment to progressive Christian faith; communicate well in written, oral, and online forms of communication; work well as a member of a team; and be available for programming on Sunday mornings and evenings.

Key responsibilities include planning, leadership, and curricula development for the Sunday morning youth program; shared leadership of the 2-year Confirmation program; recruitment and training of volunteers; regular communication with youth and families; and collaboration with staff and volunteers for special events.

This position is approximately 10 hours per week, August through May.

Interested candidates should send a resume and cover letter to office administrator Shelley Lund at [shelley@newenglandchurch.org](mailto:shelley@newenglandchurch.org).