



First Congregational Church of Lebanon

An open and affirming faith community in the tradition of the United Church of Christ

Christian Education Director

First Congregational Church of Lebanon, NH

The Christian Education Director has primary responsibility for developing and facilitating a comprehensive faith-formation program for youth, from earlier childhood through the teenage years. This individual will develop relationships with our children and families, and the current plan is to engage them in creative ways—building momentum, creating compelling, age-appropriate pathways to learn about Christianity and the Bible, and laying a solid Christian foundation they can build on throughout their lives.

The Christian Education Director will report to the Pastor and will work in concert with the Pastor and the Christian Education Committee to:

- Determine curricular needs
- Recruit and supervise Sunday-School teachers and nursery-care workers as needed
- Lead a vibrant education program for youth on Sundays and other days as appropriate
- Help children put their faith into action through community service
- Conduct children's worship services as appropriate
- Attend committee meetings as needed
- Other duties as assigned

Qualifications:

- Demonstrated experience teaching, mentoring, and keeping children and adolescents safe
- Commitment to the mission of First Congregational Church
- Knowledge and understanding of child development and ability to inspire and establish rapport with the children and youth of our congregation
- Knowledge of religious-education curricula and trends in faith formation
- Enthusiasm, optimism, and energy for religious-education ministry
- Demonstrated skills in the development of faith formation

We envision this position requiring 5 to 8 hours per week during the Sunday-school year (September through June), with the option of July and August based on demonstrated interest. Salary is competitive. FCC-Lebanon is an equal-opportunity employer.

Interested candidates should mail a letter of interest and résumé to the Rev. Stephen R. Silver, First Congregational Church of Lebanon, PO Box 230, Lebanon, NH 03766. Alternatively, email submissions may be sent to church@fccleb.org.