



Summit Church

Children's Pastor

Indiana, Pennsylvania



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Entry

Junior

Mid

Director

Executive

Summit Church is seeking a Kids Pastor who is passionate about raising up the next generation of leaders, both within Summit Church and the capital "C" Church. This leader will provide oversight for all aspects of Kids Ministry and lay the foundation for what Kids Ministry will look like across all campuses.

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Why I Love This Opportunity

I've had the privilege of knowing Mel and Kim for over 10 years, and they are among the kindest and most genuine leaders I've ever met. Their deep love for their staff and the Indiana, PA community is evident in everything they do. Summit Church is redefining what's possible in a rural setting—paving the way for innovation, growth, and lasting impact.

This role is for the leader who's ready to make a difference both in a local community and in the broader Church.



Ryan Latham
Associate

Pastor Mel Welcome



A great match for this position would be:

Emotionally Intelligent Leader: This person embodies a high level of emotional intelligence, marked by self-awareness, empathy, and a commitment to personal growth. They cultivate healthy relationships with staff, volunteers, and the broader community by listening well, navigating conflict with grace, and fostering an environment of trust and mutual respect.

Integrity-Driven Shepherd: This person lives with deep character and unwavering integrity, fueled by a passionate love for Jesus. They lead from a place of Spirit-led conviction and are intentional about pastoring others into a

life of spiritual maturity.

Team Empowered: This person leads like a conductor—bringing out the best in others rather than doing it all themselves. They build and empower teams to lead with confidence and clarity. Their collaborative spirit enhances unity across staff and volunteers.

Problem Solver: This person defaults to action and thrives in dynamic environments. They take initiative without hesitation, eagerly embracing experimentation and learning through failure. Known for their resourcefulness and resilience, they consistently “get stuff done.” Rather than being hindered by obstacles, they look for opportunities—approaching change with flexibility and a solution-oriented mindset.

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About This Organization

Summit Church, located in Indiana, Pennsylvania, has experienced remarkable growth and transformation over the past decade. Under the leadership of Lead Pastor Mel Masengale, who began his tenure in January 2014, the church expanded from a weekly attendance of 70 to over 1,500 in attendance and three campuses. This significant increase is attributed to a focus on relational health, community outreach, and an emphasis on creating a welcoming environment for newcomers.

The church’s mission, encapsulated in the phrase “Every Life Made Different,” reflects its commitment to transformative experiences through faith. Summit Church offers a variety of ministries catering to different age groups and life stages, including Summit Kids, Summit Youth, and programs for young adults. These ministries are designed to foster spiritual growth and community engagement among participants.

Through its dedication to spiritual growth, community involvement, and adaptive strategies to meet the needs of its congregation, Summit Church continues to make a significant impact in Indiana, Pennsylvania, and the surrounding areas.

About Location

Indiana, Pennsylvania, is a charming city known for its rich heritage, vibrant community, and picturesque landscapes. The presence of Indiana University of Pennsylvania infuses the area with youthful energy and cultural vibrancy, offering a plethora of events and activities throughout the year.

Residents and visitors alike enjoy a blend of small-town warmth and modern amenities, with local shops, eateries, and community events fostering a welcoming atmosphere. Surrounded by natural beauty, Indiana provides ample opportunities for outdoor recreation, making it an ideal destination for those seeking both tranquility and engagement.

Position Profile

Critical Experience

Personal Characteristics

Mission, Vision and Values

Statement of Faith

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