

+ Children's Pastor



This is a job description for a part time role at Renew Church in Fourways.

+ Renew Church

Location: Fourways, Johannesburg

Hours: 24 hours per week

Reports To: Lead Elder

+ About Renew Church

Renew Church exists to renew Johannesburg through the gospel. We are a growing evangelical, Spirit-filled church in Fourways with approximately 270 adults and 100 children attending across two Sunday morning services.

We are passionate about helping people encounter Jesus, grow as disciples, and participate in God's mission. We are seeking a gifted Children's Pastor to lead and develop our children's ministry as we continue to grow.

+ Purpose of the Role

- The Children's Pastor will provide spiritual leadership for our children's ministry, helping children encounter Jesus, grow as disciples, and become integrated into the life of the church.
- The successful candidate will lead a thriving volunteer team, partner with parents in discipleship, and help establish a vibrant children's ministry across both Sunday services.

Key Responsibilities	Details
Children's Discipleship	· Ensure all teaching is biblically faithful, engaging, and aligned to Renew Church values. · Create environments where children can encounter God, learn Scripture, and build meaningful relationships. · Oversee curriculum selection and implementation.
Volunteer Leadership	· Lead, encourage, grow, and develop a team of approximately (currently 36) children's ministry volunteers. · Identify and develop emerging leaders. · Foster a healthy culture of discipleship, excellence, and teamwork.
Sunday Ministry Leadership	· Oversee children's ministry across both Sunday services. · Strengthen and expand ministry provision in the second service. · Ensure smooth weekly operation of all children's environments. · Maintain a welcoming, engaging, and well-organised ministry experience.
Parent Partnership	· Build relationships with parents. · Communicate regularly regarding ministry initiatives. · Provide pastoral support to families where appropriate.
Special Events & Ministry Developments	· Lead holiday clubs and other children's ministry activities. · Help include kids in Easter & Christmas services through singing, Bible readings, and other creative engagement.
Team Participation	· Be an active member of Renew Church. · Participate in staff meetings. · Collaborate with church leadership to ensure alignment with the church's vision and values.

+ Desired Qualities

We are looking for someone who:

- Has a vibrant and growing relationship with Jesus Christ.
- Is passionate about children's discipleship.
- Demonstrates leadership and team-building ability.
- Is organised, self-motivated, and able to lead volunteers effectively.
- Loves working with children and families.
- Communicates clearly and warmly.
- Works well within a team environment.
- Is aligned with the doctrine, vision, and values of Renew Church. For more info on our vision and values please visit our website www.renewchurch.co.za

+ Experience and Qualifications

Preferred but not essential:

- Previous experience leading or serving in children's ministry.
- Experience recruiting and developing volunteers.
- Biblical or theological training.
- Experience working in a church or ministry environment.

+ Success in this Role Looks Like

- Children are growing spiritually and engaging consistently.
- Volunteers are flourishing and serving joyfully.
- The second-service children's ministry is thriving and sustainable.
- Parents feel supported and equipped.

To apply, please submit a CV and a brief cover letter outlining your faith journey, ministry experience, and why you are interested in serving at Renew Church to ryan@renewchurch.co.za or via WhatsApp **079 953 3516**.

