



Director of Evangelization

Location: Taunton, MA

Position Type: Full-time, Salary

Reports to: Pastor

Background

The Catholic Community of Taunton North is seeking a Director of Evangelization to join our team in Taunton, MA. We are seeking a self-motivated and team-orientated individual of high integrity, who possesses a great work ethic. This position would focus primarily on family catechesis and ministry, adult evangelization and RCIA.

The Taunton Catholic North is a three-parish collaborative, comprised of St Anthony, St Jude, and St Mary's Churches serving the north end of the City of Taunton within the Diocese of Fall River. While the collaborative was joined together in 2019, the history of these churches spans back to the Diocese's foundation in 1904. Taunton Catholic North serves a multi-lingual community.

Essential Duties & Responsibilities

- Develop a comprehensive approach to evangelization through parish child and family catechesis, Baptism preparation, Communion preparation, adult formation, and RCIA
- Create pathways and initiatives that help the collaborative develop a culture of intentional discipleship for families and adults
- Work to bridge the gap between the reception of Baptism and 1st Communion
- Lead and develop models that focus on evangelizing, engaging, and forming parents as the primary educators of the faith
- Build relationships with parishioners and work to strengthen bonds between individual churches in the collaborative
- Recruit, form, and train teams and volunteers to aid with programs and evangelization efforts, including ensuring compliance with Diocesan safe environment policies Organize outreach events to the wider Taunton community geared toward families and adults
- Aid the collaborative in its strategic planning, annual goals and adhering to its mission, especially in regard to its work with families, parents, and adults
- Aid the collaborative in growing its communications efforts as a means of evangelization
- Incorporating the needs and perspectives of different ethnic groups and those with disabilities in all programming
- Create benchmarks and metrics that define success and effectiveness in family and adult formation; leverage those to report on status and successes
- Develop and maintain a database that can measure trends, outcomes and effectiveness of the family and adult programs
- Provide direct assistance and ongoing support to the Pastor, including other duties as assigned
- Collaborate with Diocesan offices on evangelization and catechesis

Qualifications

- At least a bachelor's degree in Theology, Religious Education or related field
- Three to five years of related experience
- Deep faith and personal commitment to the life of the Catholic Church, and a desire to teach and communicate with others
- In depth knowledge of the Catholic Church, its mission, teachings, structures, and ministerial life
- Creative and forward thinking, with the ability to translate best practices and data driven trends into practical ministry
- Demonstrated leadership and organizational ability, skills and desire for collaboration, together with ability to take initiative and work independently
- Strong communication skills, both written and oral; ability to effectively present information and respond to questions from a variety of groups
- Detailed-oriented, able to handle multiple priorities
- Knowledge and skills to do research, writing, and prepare formational materials and programs; ability to organize, conduct, and evaluate formation programs
- Ability to do long range planning and project management
- Proficient with the Microsoft Office Suite and Google Suite of products
- Ability to work evenings and weekends as needed

Additional Information

We offer a competitive salary commensurate with education and experience, a comprehensive employee benefits program, and a paid time off policy.
Equal Opportunity Employer

Three professional references will be requested as part of the application process.

Please submit your cover letter and resume to Rev Freddie Babiczuk, Pastor
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