



The Church of the Saviour Internship Program is an 10-12-week paid summer internship opportunity for undergraduate or seminary students interested in gaining experience and exposure in ministry.

Why do we have summer internships?

We believe it is our responsibility to help college and seminary students identify and/or cultivate a call to ministry. Internships will begin on June 2, 2019 with a half-day orientation on May 31, 2019. For questions about the internship program, please email Gregory Kendrick, Jr.

How will the summer work?

We help identify and nurture calls to ministry by:

- Exposing interns to excellent ministry
- Developing the intern's leadership and ministry gifts through interaction great leaders
- Offering opportunities to lead and be led
- Helping the intern grow in knowledge, faith, and maturity within a ministry setting

Summer interns will:

- Serve in a ministry area of interest but also experience other areas of ministry.
- Have weekly meetings with your mentor regarding the effectiveness of your work and to make sure the ministry is meeting your expectations.
- Attend a group orientation session at the beginning of your internship.
- Provide a short reflection paper at the conclusion of the summer that summarizes your experiences and articulates the status of your ministry call.

Candidates:

- Preferred candidates will have completed their freshman year of college or have at least one year of post-high school work experience.
- Will not receive housing. However, the church may assist a candidate if needed with finding a host family for the 10-week internship period.
- Will work either full-time or part-time for a total of 10 weeks over the summer. Internships will begin on June 2, 2019 with a half-day orientation May 31, 2019.

Ministry Areas:

Children's Ministry (K through 5th grade)

You will experience Vacation Bible School, weekend programming, and other special events for kids and Youth that take place through the summer. Interns will have the opportunity to do prep work for each event as well as lead kids and youth during the actual event. Interns will also have the opportunity to attend COTS Kids staff meetings and see all that goes into making a successful ministry with elementary kids!

Youth Ministries

Assist in leading ministry for 6th – 12th grades, such as helping on our domestic mission trip and being a leader at Youth Annual Conference. On a weekly basis interns will help lead weekly Bible Studies, help teach and lead Sunday School small groups, and assist with different fun events. Interns will grow in the areas of small group leadership, public speaking, relationship building & discipleship, and logistical event planning.

Worship Arts

You will be involved with every aspect of worship at COTS from behind the scenes planning, coordinating volunteers, and rehearsing with various groups to leading at worship opportunities. This hands-on experience will give you an overview into everything that goes into planning and executing excellent worship for our God. Through this area you will deepen your faith, build logistical skills and develop public speaking.

How to Apply

Please send a personal statement that tells about your interest in ministry and a resume to Rev. Gregory Kendrick at jobs@cotsumc.org