Dear Applicant,

Our prayer is to find God’s man to shepherd, evangelize, and disciple the youth of our church and community. We hope that the application process is a blessing for you and for our church. Here is an overview of our ideal process (subject to change based on the needs of the church):

- Receive applications until December 31st
- Perform interviews and reference checks through December and early January.
- Choose a candidate by January 16th
- Notify all other applicants the week of January 16th
- Host the candidate in Jackson over the weekend of February 3-5, 2017.

Our Goal

“The purpose of Redeemer Church, P.C.A. is to be a multi-ethnic community of Christians committed to glorifying the Lord Jesus Christ and proclaiming the Good News of His Kingdom in both word and deed to the Broadmoor and Broadmeadow neighborhoods, the city of Jackson, and to the world.”

Psalm 145:4

If you are interested in applying, please return this application as soon as possible. If you have any questions regarding this position, please email the our Director of Children’s Ministry – zowens@redeemerjackson.com – and he will pass your question along to the committee.

Thank you,

Director of Youth Ministry Search Committee

Redeemer Church, P.C.A. (Jackson, MS)
REDEEMER DIRECTOR OF YOUTH MINISTRY APPLICATION

Name: ____________________________________________________________

(Last) (First) (Middle)

Name you prefer to be called: __________________________ Sex ______________

D.O.B. __________ Place of Birth ______________

College/University: ________________________________________________

Major __________________________

Seminary education? If so, what percentage is complete? ________________

Home Address: Street or P.O. ______________________________________________________________________

City_________________________ State_________________________ Zip________________________

Home telephone: ___________________________ Cell Phone: ___________________________

E-mail address (email is our primary means of correspondence with applicants - indicate most used address):

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Family: Single: [ ] Married: [ ] Spouse’s Name: __________________________

Children (with ages): ______________________________________________________________________________

Please describe your relationship with your family:

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Vocational Goal _________________________________________________________________________________

What is your goal in life? _________________________________________________________________________

Hobbies and Interests ____________________________________________________________________________

Scan/save as a .pdf and send to the committee point person, along with a a resume and a recent family photo
Church where you are a member ____________________________________________________________

Church where you are active __________________________________________________________

Describe your involvement in your local church:
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________________________________________________________________________________________

Through whom or how did you become interested in ministering at Redeemer? ________________________
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How do you describe your ability to get along with others? ____________________________
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What is your strongest quality as a person? ____________________________________________

What is your weakest quality? _______________________________________________________

Please describe your philosophy of youth ministry: ____________________________________________
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Please describe your Youth Ministry experience:
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Please list any gifts, talents, or skills that are pertinent to youth ministry
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Please describe your multi-ethnic ministry experience (context, nature of multi-ethnicity):
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Please describe your leadership experience/leadership style:
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Have you sought counsel of others in pursing this position, and have you received any negative feedback? If so, please explain:
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________________________________________________________________________________________

References: Please list the name and telephone numbers (work and home) of 4 references. If possible, include one who has observed you relating to or working with youth. Give at least one reference the Redeemer Youth Reference Form

1. Name_________________________________Relationship to you ________________________________
   Home phone_______________________Work phone __________________________________________

2. Name_________________________________Relationship to you ________________________________
   Home phone_______________________Work phone __________________________________________

3. Name_________________________________Relationship to you ________________________________
   Home phone_______________________Work phone __________________________________________

4. Name_________________________________Relationship to you ________________________________
   Home phone_______________________Work phone __________________________________________

Please answer the following questions. (If more room is needed, please use back.)

1. Please share your testimony with us: What are evidences that you have a relationship with Jesus Christ and you are growing as a Christian? How does this affect your life?
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2. How does a person inherit eternal life?
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3. Do you believe that the Bible is the written Word of God? What role should it play in a Christian's life?
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4. Why do you want to minister at Redeemer Church, P.C.A.?
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Background

Have you ever been investigated for any crime? Yes ☐ No ☐
If yes, please explain: ________________________________________________________________
__________________________________________________________________________________________

Have you ever been adjudged liable for civil penalties or damages involving sexual or physical abuse of minors? Yes ☐ No ☐

Have you struggled in bringing harm to yourself physically, Spiritually, or emotionally? (eating disorders, self-injury, pornography, sexual sin, etc.) Yes ☐ No ☐
If yes, in what way(s) have you struggled, and how are you seeking healing and freedom in Christ from these things?
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Is there anything in your life at present that may legitimately be defined as an addiction?
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Are you presently holding anything against a brother or sister in Christ? Are you harboring a bitterness of some kind toward someone? ______________________________________________________________
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When do you find yourself becoming angry? How do you resolve your anger? ______________________________________________________________
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Which fruit of the Spirit in particular is being displayed in your life? (Love, Joy, Peace, Patience, Kindness, Goodness, Faithfulness, Gentleness, Self-Control) Is there a fruit that is clearly missing in your life?
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__________________________________________________________________________________________
**Agreement:**

By the signing of my name below, I affirm:

1) I am a professing Christian and am striving to live a godly life.
2) If employed I will support the mission and vision of the church and submit to church leadership.
3) I have completed this application truthfully and further give permission for Redeemer personnel to confer with the references listed in this application and to run criminal background checks on my name.

Signature______________________________________________Date______________

**Completing the Process:**

Please submit the following information to zowens@redeemerjackson.com

1. Completed Application
2. Resume
3. Current Picture of your family

**Response Time:**

Our desire is to respond to you as soon as possible. Please understand that this decision takes time.

**Thank you for your application.**