

Deacon of Community Engagement Job Description

Definition:

The Deacon of Community Engagement is the administrative leader for engaging MapleRidge in serving the community.

Relationship:

1. Shall direct the Community Engagement Committee.
2. Shall submit reports to the Elder Board.
3. Shall participate in Deacon Board meetings.

Specific Responsibilities:

1. Connect MapleRidge with people, organizations, and ministries in our community.
2. Evaluate organizations to ensure their values and activities are compatible with the beliefs and mission of MapleRidge Church.
3. Work with a team of leaders to assess and improve of the events and programs we promote.
4. Monitor Community Engagement expenditures and develop an annual budget.
5. Minister as a team member of the Deacon Board, casting vision for the Community Engagement ministries of the church, yet understanding the whole ministry of the church.
6. Develop faith goals and recommend policies to the Deacon Board that are needed to grow a heart of servanthood.
7. Identify, recruit and train a team of volunteers who are gifted at serving the community.
8. Plan, prepare and lead Community Engagement meetings as needed.

Qualifications:

1. Is a mature born again believer who is a member in good standing with the church, displays a love for the Lord, exhibits a passion for serving others outside the church, and has a gift mix suited for the position.
2. Has the ability to work with a team, commands respect and is able to focus and move a team forward in accomplishing goals.
3. Has a proven track record of serving those in need outside the church.
4. Is able to catalyze the entire church with a deep passion for Community Engagement ministries.
5. Is in complete agreement with the mission and vision of the church.