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# Calvary Bible Church

## Youth Ministry Residency



January 23, 2023

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Grace to you!

We hope and trust that this letter finds you well. We are planning for the ministry year of 2024-2025. We look forward to what God has in store for us here at Calvary Bible Church and for you also. It could be that they are one and the same through a Short-term Youth Ministry Position at CBC.

This role is for those prayerfully responding to God's call into vocational ministry. We look for young men and women dedicated to the Lord with a willingness to serve God. We look for humble yet competent; relationally minded yet organized; gracious, kind, compassionate, joyful individuals who want to be a part of God's kingdom work here in Grass Valley.

This position requires a full-time commitment from June-May. You will benefit through Bible study, training and discipleship from the Pastor of Students & Families, input from the various volunteer staff, building lasting relationships with staff and students, and hopefully a better understanding of your giftedness from God. We will study biblical truths together and seek to put them into practice in our lives and ministry. You will not only be with us at all youth activities, but you will gain experience in discipling a group of people in various settings such as church services, activities, Bible studies, and a short-term mission trip or conference. **You may baptize students if they request that you be the baptizing minister, under the supervision of Pastor Jason Wood. You will be ministering in nearly all aspects of pastoral ministry.**

Whether you ultimately pursue a vocation in full-time ministry or not, this experience could prove valuable in your walk with our Lord. If you sense God leading you to apply, please do so by **March 15**. This short-term position includes a small stipend and housing is available. We are looking for recent college graduates pursuing vocational ministry. We know everyone needs to make plans for summer so we will make a decision by **mid-April**. Please contact us at anytime if you would like to discuss the ministry opportunity even before you apply. You can reach us at 530-273-1343 or [studentministry@gvcbc.org](mailto:studentministry@gvcbc.org).

May God receive the glory in whatever you do, both now and in the seasons to come.

Grace be with you-

Jason Wood  
Pastor of Students & Families

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# Personal Data & Application

## Process:

Fill out the application on the following pages or type your answers separately.

Return application to: Calvary Bible Church, attn: Jason Wood  
PO Box 2139, Grass Valley CA 95945  
or  
jason@gvcbc.org

Deadline: March 15, 2024. You may submit by mail, email, or a document upload.

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Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Date \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (C) \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_ Home Church \_\_\_\_\_

Social Media Handles \_\_\_\_\_

University \_\_\_\_\_ Major / Degree \_\_\_\_\_

General Interests \_\_\_\_\_

When are you available for this position? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you applying for a Summer or Year Long ministerial role? \_\_\_\_\_

## ADDITIONAL INFO

How did you hear about this position? \_\_\_\_\_

Health Concerns? \_\_\_\_\_ Dietary Restrictions? \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies? \_\_\_\_\_ Medications \_\_\_\_\_

Other? \_\_\_\_\_

## POSITIONS HELD SINCE HIGH SCHOOL

Organization	Website	Position
Dates		
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

## PRACTICES & PERSONALITY

Please describe your conversion. \_\_\_\_\_  
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Please describe your current personal walk with the Lord. Please include your current involvement with your local church or college ministry. \_\_\_\_\_

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Why do you want to serve in this ministry? \_\_\_\_\_

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Outside of school and work, how do you like to spend your time? \_\_\_\_\_

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What are two of your strengths and one of your limitations? \_\_\_\_\_

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How would a friend describe you? \_\_\_\_\_

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Describe one of your role models. \_\_\_\_\_

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Tell us about a time you were a Kingdom Worker. \_\_\_\_\_

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## **BELIEFS**

**Please briefly give your doctrinal position on:**

God the Father \_\_\_\_\_

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Jesus Christ \_\_\_\_\_

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The Holy Spirit \_\_\_\_\_

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The Bible \_\_\_\_\_

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Man \_\_\_\_\_

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Sin \_\_\_\_\_

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Salvation \_\_\_\_\_

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The Church (please comment on its purpose) \_\_\_\_\_

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Spiritual Gifts (please comment on the "sign gifts") \_\_\_\_\_

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Baptism and Communion \_\_\_\_\_

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Security of the Believer \_\_\_\_\_

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Eschatology \_\_\_\_\_

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The Great Commission \_\_\_\_\_

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The Bible's view on marriage and sexuality \_\_\_\_\_

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Have you studied Calvary Bible Church's doctrinal statement (Statement of Faith)? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you fully agree with it in all details? \_\_\_\_\_

Do you agree to live by those tenants in your personal and professional life? \_\_\_\_\_

If not, please explain (attach an additional sheet if necessary). \_\_\_\_\_

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## ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS

Have you ever been in a student ministry before, as either a student or adult leader?

Describe your impressions of the experience. \_\_\_\_\_

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What spiritual gifts has God entrusted you and how would you use them in student ministries? \_\_\_\_\_

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What do you typically do when you have conflict with someone? How do you handle confrontation? \_\_\_\_\_

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1 Timothy 3 talks about being "above reproach." Is there anything in your life which might be considered questionable? \_\_\_\_\_

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What is your view on drinking alcohol, using drugs, and premarital sexual activity? \_\_\_\_\_  
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**Please state your convictions concerning**

Current trends regarding the Digital Age \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Current trends regarding morality and specifically homosexuality \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Worship in the life of a believer \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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**MINISTRY FOCUS**

Which of the following areas would you like to emphasize in the youth ministry?

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|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| _____ Teaching            | _____ Missions            |
| _____ Personal evangelism | _____ Christian education |
| _____ Small groups        | _____ Camp ministry       |
| _____ Counseling          | _____ Administration      |
| _____ Music ministry      | _____ Social action       |
| _____ Visitation          | _____ Community service   |

Why? \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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Do you have experience in any of the those areas? If so, please describe. \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_

**TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Please rate yourself in the following areas from 1-5.  
(1 = I have no experience/not my gifting. 5 = I'm really great at this)

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| _____ Administration       | _____ Attention to detail  | _____ Communication   |
| _____ Organization         | _____ Volunteer management | _____ Time management |
| _____ Computer proficiency | _____ Audio                | _____ Video           |

## INTERPERSONAL AND PERSONAL SKILLS

Please rate yourself in the following areas from 1-5.  
(1 = I need to grow/not a strength. 5 = I do this really well)

- \_\_\_\_\_ Adaptability - Being able to adjust expectations and performance based on the current need.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Conflict Resolution - The ability to identify and focus on the root of an issue and work through it peacefully and professionally.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Emotional intelligence - The ability to both manage your own emotions and understand the emotions of others.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Mental strength - How effectively you deal with challenges, stressors and pressure you might face.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Problem solving - Able to focus on finding solutions to challenges rather than focusing on the problem.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Social stamina - Being able to sustain mental and emotional energy through extended social situations.
- \_\_\_\_\_ Teachability - Accepts feedback well and makes adjustments where needed.

## REFERENCES

Please give three references and list their contact information.  
You will need to send the reference form link to each person.

Person	Email Address	Phone	Position
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## FINAL COMMENTS

Add anything you may feel is helpful for us to know. \_\_\_\_\_  
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Signed Date