

**Children's Discipleship Director  
Birth-5<sup>th</sup> Grade  
Batesville Christian Church**

**PURPOSE OF POSITION:**

**A core value of BCC is that discipleship of the next generation happens best in the home (Deut. 6:6-7//Ephesians 6:4). To that end, a primary purpose of the Children's Director (Birth – Grade 5) will be to equip, empower, and encourage the volunteers to disciple the children of Batesville Christian Church.**

**QUALIFICATIONS:**

1. Christian attitude and trustworthy character.
2. Understanding of, passion for, and commitment to the mission and vision of the Church in general and Batesville Christian Church in specific.
3. Strong team spirit, respect, and support for the other members of the ministerial staff.
4. Proper level of confidentiality in all matters of the church, employees, and/or church members.
5. Fulfillment of the requirements for and maintenance of membership in Batesville Christian Church.
6. Spiritual maturity and a positive work attitude.
7. An attitude of professionalism, patience, respect, compassion and grace when working with staff and congregation.
8. Duty to follow Biblical, Christian principles in their jobs for the Church and to refrain from any conduct that is contrary to those principles and Church statements of faith.
9. Passion for preschool and grade school children to grow in Christ.
10. A passion for learning more about the preschool, grade school culture and engaging with it.

**JOB DUITES INCLUDE, BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO:**

1. Oversee existing and develop new Birth – Grade 5 Discipleship Opportunities.
  - a. Sunday School Classes
  - b. Nursery
  - c. Discovery Club
  - d. VBS
  - e. Children's Ministry Team
2. Provide trainings and mentoring opportunities for volunteers.
3. Create events for children and families to connect with the church family and the community outside of the regular ministries.
4. Guide in choosing curriculum, scheduling volunteers, maintaining orderliness of rooms, as well as ordering materials and supplies.
5. Oversee, train and empower a base of volunteers to serve our families and children.
6. Work with youth and families to provide guidance in the whole family system.
7. Strengthen families to help them become disciples who make disciples.
8. Work with the Minister of Discipleship (Middle School – Adult) to develop and implement strategies to equip, empower, and encourage parents in their role as the primary disciples of children.

**HOURS:** Part-Time – 20 hours per week

**COMPENSATION:** Competitive

**TERMS:**

- Potential hires will need to submit to a criminal background check.
- Potential hires will need to submit to a financial credit check.

**ABOUT OUR CONGREGATION:**

- Batesville Christian Church exists to glorify God all our days by making disciples who make disciples.
- We are a multi-generational, outreach-minded, yet believer-focused congregation located in southeastern Indiana with a congregation of approximately 325 people that gather between our two services.
- We have been established for 47 years with a very solid core group of hard working volunteers and strong leadership.
- The major growth in the last 36 months has come from younger families with children.
- We desire to have a safe, fun and energetic environment where kids want to be week after week to experience and get to know Jesus Christ.
- Our heart beats for both discipleship and outreach. We believe that as we grow deeper in our love for Christ, we grow more effective at impacting a hurting world.

**ABOUT OUR COMMUNITY:**

- The area of and around Batesville is made up of equal parts urban and rural. Many families work in Batesville for major companies like [Hill-Rom](#) or [Batesville](#) (formerly known as Batesville Casket Company). Others commute to one of the large cities of Indianapolis, IN or Cincinnati, OH both less than one hour away.
- Batesville has been [ranked in the top 15](#) of safest cities to live in Indiana and has been [ranked in the top 5](#) of places to raise a family in Indiana. Batesville received an “A” grade for education, community, housing, and access to day cares. It received a “B” for crime and safety, access to libraries, and access to grocery stores.
- Batesville is known for being ideally located between Cincinnati, Indianapolis and Louisville.

**TO APPLY:**

- Send a cover letter and resume to [chadpindell@gmail.com](mailto:chadpindell@gmail.com) with “Children’s Discipleship Director Search” in the subject line.
- For first round consideration, complete applications must be received by January 31st, 2018.