

Discipleship and Outreach Worker

Letterkenny Presbyterian Church

Full time a minimum of 37.5 hours per week

Salary (PCI Salary Scale 2026 Band B1)

Job Description – Discipleship and Outreach Worker

Overall Aim of this post

To work with the leadership of Letterkenny Presbyterian church to develop and facilitate evangelism, discipleship, and missional service within the church. We would envisage that this would lead to an increasing missional attitude of the church as the gospel impacts those who are intentionally disciplined

Responsibilities

1. To work with the church leadership to assess, evaluate develop the discipleship work of our church especially amongst those between the ages of 15 and 35.
2. To work with the church leadership, to assess, evaluate, devise, implement and develop evangelistic opportunities/initiatives/projects within Letterkenny and the surrounding area. This may involve one on one bible studies or Christianity explored studies, when appropriate.
3. To become involved in community programmes, developing the work that the church is already involved in with the Intercultural platform, foodbank, The ATU and local schools.
4. To develop links with direct provision providers in the town.
5. To look to create opportunities to use the church's current resources of buildings and people to make meaningful and ongoing evangelism. (To help develop Café Church Sunday informal act of worship)
6. To work alongside the leadership, to identify and integrate those who are new to Letterkenny Presbyterian
7. Oversee the development of our current children, and youth work.
8. To participate in Sunday worship service to a varying degree.
9. To work with church administrator and minister to prepare publicity, as required.
10. To comply with church policies and practices, ensuring safeguarding and child protection policies risk assessment and procedures of the Presbyterian church in Ireland are rigorously adhered to.

11. Any other reasonable request made by the minister/elders. It may be necessary for different tasks to be added or removed in accordance with the overall requirement of the position.

Personal Specification:

Specification	Essential	Desirable
Personal Commitment	<p>A vibrant, and active faith passion for evangelism and discipleship and commitment to working within the Christian ethos and beliefs of the Presbyterian Church in Ireland.</p> <p>Commitment to a Christian lifestyle consistent with the church's traditional understanding of the Bible's teaching.</p> <p>Attendance at Sunday Worship in Letterkenny</p>	
Qualifications / Attainments	Degree level qualification in Theology with youth or community work.	
Experience / Knowledge	<p>Experience of evangelism and discipleship. Involvement in evangelistic and outreach activities.</p> <p>Experience and understanding of issues facing families and young adults, from an unchurched background, and how the Christian faith could be shared with them.</p> <p>Experience of developing a team of volunteers.</p>	<p>Experience in a full time church position. Experience of working in an multi-culture community. Experience of team integration, team building. A knowledge of Presbyterian church in Ireland's governance</p>
Special attributes	<p>Able to lead and help equip members of the congregation to reach out in creative evangelism and social witness</p> <p>Ability to explain the gospel, clearly, concisely and creatively</p> <p>Good interpersonal skills</p> <p>Warm and welcoming</p> <p>Good written and verbal skills</p>	<p>Musical, sports or other abilities that would create a natural link with people</p>
Other Requirements	<p>Willingness and availability to work flexible/irregular hours, including weekends</p> <p>Willingness to comply with all necessary Child Protection protocols, IE Garda Vetting</p> <p>General good health to meet the demands of the post</p>	<p>Valid and full driving licence and willingness to use car for work</p>