



The Youth Initiative at Broad Street Ministry provides opportunities for youth to engage their faith in educational, motivating, and provocative service experiences related to prevalent social justice issues. The goal is to spark curiosity, to identify ways in which Holy Scripture calls for justice and love for all, and to stimulate conversations leading to lifelong service and discipleship.

Position Details:

Saturday, June 2	Move into Philly housing
Sunday, June 4	Attend 4pm worship at Broad Street Ministry
Monday, June 4 – Friday, June 15	Summer Team training, including orientation to BSM, Philadelphia, and Youth Initiative program
Sunday, June 17 - Thursday, August 9	8-weeks of back-to-back weeklong programs, welcoming groups from all over the country
Thursday, August 9 – Friday, August 10	Exit interviews and summer clean up
Saturday, August 11 – Sunday, August 12	Move out of Philly housing

**All summer team members are expected to be available for work at any point from June 4 - August 10*

Broad Street Ministry will provide:

- ✓ A summer stipend of \$2,300 paid in three installments over the course of the summer
- ✓ Fully furnished housing
- ✓ Public transportation passes (cars are not needed)
- ✓ Breakfast, lunch, and dinner, when groups are at BSM. Food is not provided during training
- ✓ A summer to become familiar with Philadelphia, its vibrant neighborhoods, and its non-profits
- ✓ Many hours of youth ministry experience
- ✓ Leadership opportunities, including worship leadership, large group facilitating, etc, if desired
- ✓ Practical, real-life experience in confronting prevalent social justice issues and putting faith into action

Applications Due by Wednesday, February 14, 2018

Complete the application online at: <https://goo.gl/forms/ptrw2T2so7hghIQw2>

Email socialengagement@broadstreetministry.org for more information.

Ideal Applicants Will:

- ✓ Work well with new people, engaging youth and adults in meaningful and respectful ways
- ✓ Implement the Summer Youth Initiative program and work well on a team
- ✓ Co-create and teach a curriculum using scripture, current events, and academic understandings of justice
- ✓ Value social justice & want to learn more through the lens of the Christian faith
- ✓ Feel comfortable getting around a large city using public transportation (or willing to learn and explore!)
- ✓ Have some experience working with youth in a church setting
- ✓ Be comfortable with long days, urban living, and irregular time off
- ✓ Have completed at least two years of college, university, or community college
- ✓ Have CPR and First Aid training (or be willing to get it once hired)
- ✓ Have clear background checks, as required by PA Child Protection Service Law
- ✓ Be flexible, faithful, energetic, and have a love of young people
- ✓ Be comfortable leading large and small group discussions
- ✓ Creatively help craft and lead a theological evening program and reflection
- ✓ Be a self-starter and self-motivating
- ✓ Be forward-thinking in relation to how youth can impact justice in the world
- ✓ Be willing to go outside comfort zones

A Sample Daily Schedule for the Summer Team:

7:30 am	Team members arrive to assist with breakfast set up.
7:45 am	Morning devotions. Team members take turns leading devotions.
8:00 am	Breakfast and lunch-packing
8:30–9am	Small groups depart for their work sites for the day. Each group is accompanied by a team member.
3:00–4pm	Groups return from their sites. Team members teach daily curriculum and may need to help prepare afternoon snacks, create games, or art activities for the youth or they may have some free time.
5:15pm	Team Huddle
6:30 pm	Dinner & Chores. There is a BSM kitchen staff, but team members help supervise set up & clean-up of the meal
7:30 pm	Games and ice breakers led by Youth Initiative team
8:00 pm	Evening Worship led by on-duty team members
9:30 pm	Brief end-of-day staff check-in
10:00pm	Departure from BSM

Each staff person typically gets one day and one evening off a week, in addition to Saturday and Sunday morning. Otherwise, team members are present from first thing in the morning through the end of the evening program and staff check-in. Team members will take turns sleeping over at BSM. **Expect to sleep at the church one night a week.**