

STUDENT PRACTICUM SCHOLARSHIP



Gospel Center Missionary Church Student Ministry Practicum

Purpose

The Student Practicum Scholarship exists to help develop the next generation of Christian leaders by providing hands-on ministry experience alongside the Student Ministry Director at Gospel Center Missionary Church.

This internship is designed for students who desire to grow spiritually, develop leadership skills, and gain practical experience serving in student ministry.

Through this internship, students will learn what it means to faithfully lead others, serve behind the scenes, disciple younger students, and become dependable ministry leaders.

***"And what you have heard from me... entrust to faithful people
who will be able to teach others also." 2 Timothy 2:2***

Scholarship

Students selected for the internship will receive: **\$2,500 Bethel Student Internship Scholarship**

The scholarship is awarded at the beginning of each semester and fulfillment of all expectations. Scholarship payments may be divided into scheduled installments throughout the academic year at the discretion of Gospel Center Missionary Church.

Internship Dates

September 2026 – May 2027 (*or end of Bethel University school year)

Responsibilities

The Bethel student will work directly under the Student Ministry Director.

Responsibilities include:

Wednesday Nights 6:30 - 8pm

- Help set up before youth group
- Welcome students
- Build relationships with students
- Lead games and activities
- Assist with worship
- Lead or assist small groups
- Help clean up after youth group

Sunday Mornings

- Attend Sunday School 9- 10 a.m (main service 10:15 - 11:30 am)
- Assist with teaching when needed
- Help facilitate discussion
- Encourage student participation
- Build relationships with students

Events Throughout the Year

Interns are expected to participate in many student ministry events including:

- Retreats
- Conferences
- Youth activities
- Service projects
- Outreach events
- Mission opportunities
- Special church events

Leadership/Spiritual Growth Expectations

Student is expected to:

- Maintain a growing relationship with Christ through Bible reading and prayer
- Live a life that honors Jesus
- Demonstrate Christian character
- Be dependable
- Arrive on time
- Be teachable
- Have a servant's heart
- Maintain confidentiality when appropriate
- Support the ministry vision
- Lead by example

Training Opportunities

Throughout the year, the Student will receive experience and mentoring in areas such as:

- Leadership
- Teaching
- Discipleship
- Event planning
- Communication
- Conflict resolution
- Evangelism
- Teamwork
- Ministry administration
- Volunteer leadership

Time Commitment

Approximate weekly commitment:

Wednesday Evenings: 3–4 hours

Sunday Mornings: 2–3 hours

Meetings/Planning: varies, 1–2 hours as scheduled

Special Events: As scheduled throughout the year

Average: **6–10 hours per week**

Qualifications

- Current Bethel University Student
 - Transportation available to get oneself to/from Gospel Center
 - Demonstrate spiritual maturity
 - Have a servant's attitude
 - Love working with students
 - Be dependable
 - Be willing to learn
 - Agree with the mission and values of Gospel Center Missionary Church
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Selection Process

Applicants will:

1. Submit an application.
 - a. Use QR code
2. Complete an interview.



Selection is based on character, spiritual maturity, leadership potential, faithfulness, and readiness to serve.

Questions?

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