Southport Congregational Church
YDS/ANTS COOP Program
Student Minister Responsibilities:
Based on 3 Students each staying for 3 years
20 hours per week - Vacations at the discretion of the ministers - $15,000/year

Year One: General Ministry Introduction with focus on Christian Education

- Assist Third Year Student Minister with Middle School Youth Group
  - 2x month
- Assist Associate Minister with Senior High Youth Group
  - 4x month
- Assist Associate Minister with Confirmation Class
  - 2/3x month
- Assist and take leadership in execution of Christian Education Program
- Worship Participation
  - Children’s Sermon at least 1x month
  - Sermon at least 1x year (may occur during summer months)
- Visitation to Church School families as needed
- Attend staff meetings 2x month
- Attend Church Council, Board of Deacons, and Board of Christian Education meetings
- Assist with creating programs for Mission Trip
- Participation/Leadership in Mission Trips
- Assist with 2nd Hour Programs, as requested by Associate/Senior Minister
- Attend Church Social Events
- Assist in ROOMS with a VIEW
- Other activities/assignments as requested and time permits
- Administrative Work
- Assist with livestream technology and YouTube engagement
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Year Two: General Ministry with focus on Fellowship/Pastoral Care
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- Worship Participation
  - Pastoral Prayer 1x month (remain in service)
  - Sermon at least 2x year (one may occur during summer months)
- Visitation
  - Home-bound
  - Nursing Homes/Independent Living
  - Hospital
- Assist with and take leadership with Fellowship Programs
- Attend Fellowship Committee, Board of Deacons, Church Council Meetings
- Worship Participation
  - Pastoral Prayer 1x month (remain in service)
  - Sermon at least 3x year (one may occur during summer months)
- Attend staff meetings 2x month
- Participation/Leadership in Mission Trips
- Assist with at least two Baptisms and Children’s Chapel Communion Service
- Assist with Discovery Series and 2nd Hours
- Attend Church Social Events
- COOP Class
  - Spiritual Reflection with Paul 2x month
  - Practical Ministry/Education with Laura 2x month
  - Directed Reading Class 1x week
- Administration work
- Assist in ROOMS with a VIEW (as needed two weeks in Oct/November)
- Participation/Leadership in Mission Trips
- Assist with REALM and other SCC systems for communications
- Assist with livestream technology and YouTube engagement
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Year Three: General Ministry with focus on Church Leadership, Communications and Missions  
20 hours per week - Vacations at the discretion of the ministers - $15,000/year

- Assist and take leadership in execution of Mission Outreach Programs  
  o including St. George’s Meals, Homes for the Brave Meals, Operation Hope Pantry Meals, Emerge Service Projects, AJLA Service Projects
- Worship Participation  
  o Children’s Sermon 1x every 3 months  
  o Pastoral Prayer 1x month (remain in service)  
  o Sermon at least 3x year (one may occur during summer months)
- Attend Mission Outreach Board, Church Council and Trustee monthly meetings
- Attend Stewardship Meetings (4-5/year), Nominating meetings (1-2/year) and Buildings and Grounds Meetings as needed
- Assist in Stewardship Campaign as directed by Senior Minister and Committee
- Assist with, and take initiative with, Church Newsletter articles, website and social media content and church correspondences
- Create and implement at least one 4-week adult education program and 3 - 2nd Hour Programs
- Take leadership in at least one wedding and one funeral/memorial service.
- Take initiative to lead at least one Nursing Home worship service and one Funeral Home Service with assistance by Senior/Associate Minister
- Assist with Discovery Series and 2nd Hours
- Assist Senior and/or Associate Minister in at least one Sanctuary Communion, at least one Children’s Chapel Communion Service, and perform at least one Baptism by yourself.
- Attend Church Social Events
- COOP Classes  
  o Spiritual Reflection with Paul 2x month  
  o Practical Ministry/Education with Laura 2x month  
  o Directed Reading Class 1x week
- Administration work
- Assist in ROOMS with a VIEW (as needed two weeks in Oct/November)
- Participation/Leadership in Mission Trips
- Assist with REALM and other SCC systems for communications as needed
- Assist with livestream technology and YouTube engagement