

TAWFG Apprentice Log Sheet

Thinking About Working For God



Apprentice name _____

Host church _____

Date	Activity	Hours
	Example: church visit- worship and debrief	2
TOTAL		

Host Pastor Signature _____ Date _____

Make additional copies of this sheet if necessary. Please email the log to Debby Kirk by 5/29/19 debbyk@ctu.org

TAWFG Apprenticeship Program Outline

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Spring 2019

Requests of Host Pastors

- Share your story of call
- Provide sessions for Apprentice to practice discernment and reflection
- Make suggestions for a two week spiritual practice for the Apprentice
- Invite Apprentice to shadow for a variety of pastoral duties
- Engage Apprentice in worship on three Sundays

General expectations of Apprentices

- Willingness to 'try on' new experiences and commitment to the cohort group
- Attention and timely response to communications
- Maintain a log of hours and activities
- Share information about your TAWFG experience with your home church

Sample Schedule for EXPLORER Apprentice

This is a 20 hour apprenticeship in your home congregation. Stipend for is \$150 per person.

- One on one meeting with pastor or lay leader to reflect on call
- Prepare for and participate in three worship services
- Attend church council or deacon's meeting
- Assist with church or youth group service project
- Attend CTUCC Youth Revival on May 5
- Participate in four TAWFG cohort group meetings via zoom (45 min each)
- Prepare faith story and share at TAWFG apprenticeship celebration
- Exit interview

Sample Schedule for SEEKER Apprentice:

This is a 40 hour apprenticeship in a neighbor congregation. Stipend for "Seeker" Apprentices is \$300.

- First Sunday: Introduction and blessing
- Personal study: worship prep and spiritual practice
- Church visit (example: attend Deacons or Council mtg and debrief)
- TAWFG cohort group via zoom (45 min/week x 4 weeks)
- Second Sunday: youth to read scripture in worship
- Personal study: worship prep and spiritual practice (one hour per day)
- Church visit (example: participate in church Lenten event and debrief)
- Interfaith Exploration at Hartford Seminary March 31 at 1:30 PM
- Racial Justice Introductory Training
- Plan for and participate in CTUCC Youth Revival on May 5 at 3:00 PM
- Third Sunday: youth to share a faith story in worship
- Culminating presentation at Sherman Street in Hartford on May 30 at 6:30 PM
- Exit interview

Contact Debby Kirk debbyk@ctuucc.org or call 860-761-7103 (office) or 860-377-2675 (cell) for more information.