



Director of Campus Ministry (Full Time)

ABOUT ST. MARY'S UNIVERSITY:

St. Mary's University is an innovative teaching and research university that provides affordable, accredited and highly valued degrees in the Liberal Arts, Sciences and Education. St. Mary's is the only unaffiliated Catholic university in western Canada and is celebrating its 30th year as an educational institution.

Located on a historic site in Calgary, Alberta, our students are inspired to combine academics with a passionate commitment to ethics, social justice and respect for diversity of opinion and belief. St. Mary's has over 900 full- and part-time students, 80 full- and part-time faculty, and an average class size of 25. The university has grown by over 50% in the last five years alone.

POSITION OUTLINE:

St. Mary's University in Calgary seeks a qualified candidate to fill the position of Director of Campus Ministry. This position reports directly to the President of St. Mary's University. The Director of Campus Ministry oversees and directs all aspects of ministry within the university and plays an active role in conversations about the Catholic identity and mission of the university.

The qualified candidate will adhere to the Code of Ethics as outlined by the Canadian Catholic Campus Ministry network; will represent St. Mary's University in cooperative initiatives with the Diocese of Calgary, and in connecting the university with the wider community.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Able to collaborate with local Catholic groups and networks as well as ecumenical and interfaith partners.
- Promote spiritual development for students, staff, and faculty.
- Provide pastoral support as requested by students, faculty, and staff.
- Cultivate a creative ministry of hospitality to all people within the university.
- Facilitate community prayer within the university (e.g. Lectio-Divina)
- Plan and coordinate liturgical events in the Catholic tradition on weekdays and as needed.
- Plan and coordinate the President's Volunteer Team (PVT) and its volunteering initiatives.
- Integrate the basic principles of Catholic social teaching throughout Campus Ministry.
- Provide a wide range of pastoral care for students with particular attentiveness to minority voices.
- Deepen connections with other Catholic networks such as the Canadian Catholic Campus Ministry, the Association of Catholic Colleges and Universities in Canada, the Canadian Association of Spiritual Care, and other relevant groups and programs.
- Foster existing relationships with Indigenous communities, contributing to the implementation of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission's Calls to Action.
- Other duties as required and assigned

QUALIFICATIONS:

- A practicing Catholic with experience working with diverse stakeholders.
- The ideal candidate will hold a Master of Divinity (M. Div) or Master of Theology degree, but consideration will be given to those with proven academic or experiential equivalencies. Preference for CPE training.
- Experience in/with Catholic higher education, the Catholic intellectual tradition, and Catholic social teaching

- Knowledgeable and passionate about interfaith work.
- Relevant experience with university students or young adults from diverse social, cultural, and religious backgrounds.
- Attentiveness to detail, ability to think critically, and strong decision-making skills.
- Familiarity with social media as well as oral and written fluency in English.
- Availability for evening and weekend service on campus and elsewhere.
- Possession of valid driver's license.

COMPENSATION:

St. Mary's University offers a competitive compensation package and comprehensive benefits program. Compensation will be commensurate with qualifications and experience.

APPLICATIONS:

Applicants should submit a cover letter, resume, along with salary expectations to **hr@stmu.ca** with the Subject Line of: "Director, Campus Ministry" by end of day on July 15, 2018. An additional three letters of reference with pertinent contact information should be emailed directly from candidates' referees to the email address above.

St. Mary's University hires on the basis of merit, is committed to employment equity, and encourages all qualified individuals to apply. We encourage applications from women, Aboriginal Peoples, visible minorities, ethnic minorities, and persons with disabilities. Canadians and permanent residents of Canada will be given priority. We thank all applicants for their interest; however, only those applicants being interviewed will be contacted. No phone calls please.

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