



Service Learning Opportunities AmeriCorps Service Position

Service Term – This is a full-time, one-year position with optional benefits and, upon completion of 1,700 hours of service, an education bonus. A ½ year commitment is possible. Applicants must be 21 years or older.

Job Start/End Date: Position will be filled by June 15, 2015. Mandatory orientation and meetings possible during summer months. Position runs Sept. 1, 2015 through July 31, 2016.

Organization Description: The Ursuline Sisters of Youngstown are Catholic Nuns who respond together to meet the critical needs of God’s people in Youngstown and northeast Ohio. St. Angela Merici, our founder, was born in Italy in 1535. She was a woman of faith and vision who served the Church and sought to be an instrument of change in her world. Today the Sisters live Gospel values, desire to deepen their relationship with Christ, support one another in community, and strive to make a difference in the world.

The Ursuline Sisters of Youngstown minister in the areas of education, health care, social service, parish work, marketing and development with a focus on poverty. The Ursuline Sisters sponsor several nonprofit programs, such as Beatitude House, Casa Madre, Ursuline Preschool and Kindergarten and Dorothy Day House.

Position Description:

Participant will receive a twice-monthly stipend that totals \$12,100 a year for 1,700 hours of service at nonprofit sites through The Ursuline Sisters of Youngstown. At the end of the service term, participant will receive a \$5,600 stipend to use toward future education or to pay off student loans. Health benefits are available to participant. Travel to required AmeriCorps meetings will be funded. Candidate will be welcomed to various events and offered opportunities for sharing in the prayer life of the Ursuline Sisters.

Candidate Description: Candidate should hold a minimum of a bachelor’s degree and desire to devote one year of their life to service at Ursuline Sisters of Youngstown ministry sites in the Youngstown, Ohio, area. Women discerning vowed religious life are encouraged to apply.

Application Instructions: Interested parties should contact the director as soon as possible. *Serious inquiries only.* Applicants must pass a federal background check, provide letters of reference/reference contact information. Position will be filled at Director’s discretion.

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