

First Third of Life Ministry Leader Keiraview Uniting Church – West Wollongong

Full Time | Lay Specified Ministry of Pastor (UCA)

Do you have a heart for empowering others, building teams, and nurturing faith across generations?

Keiraview Uniting Church is seeking an experienced and passionate **First Third of Life Ministry Leader** to **support**, **equip**, **and develop leaders** who minister with children, youth, young adults, and their families.

This full-time role focuses on strengthening and expanding Keiraview's commitment to "**Growing Young**" by developing leadership, fostering discipleship, and helping our church grow in love, life, hope, and belonging, especially among those in the first third of life.

Key Responsibilities:

- Support and mentor leaders of children's ministry, youth ministry, and young adult faith communities
- Develop faith formation and discipleship pathways for young people
- Identify and nurture emerging leaders, providing training and encouragement
- Build connections with families and facilitate intergenerational engagement
- Collaborate with local schools, university chaplaincy, and regional UCA networks to grow community outreach
- Preach and lead worship on occasion as part of the ministry team
- Provide spiritual and pastoral care to young people and their families as needed

We're looking for someone who:

- Has a vibrant Christian faith and commitment to the values and ethos of the Uniting Church
- Has experience in ministry with young people and in developing the leadership of others
- Can build trusting relationships and work collaboratively with teams
- Understands how to empower lay leadership and grow healthy ministry environments
- Is eligible (or willing to become eligible) for commissioning as a Pastor within the UCA

What We Offer:

- A supportive, mission-focused congregation with a strong commitment to inclusion and innovation
- An opportunity to shape a culture of discipleship and leadership from the ground up
- Collaboration with experienced ministry agents, gifted volunteers, and Presbytery networks
- Flexibility, creativity, and the chance to make a lasting difference in the lives of young people

Apply Now

To request the full Position Description or to apply, please email **Rev. David Stuart** at **minister@keiraview.org** with:

- A **cover letter** outlining your interest and suitability for the role
- A current CV detailing relevant experience and qualifications

Applications close: Monday 8th of September 2025