

Former NJ Youth Pastor Charged with Sex Assault

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The Middlesex County Prosecutor's office says a former youth pastor has been arrested and charged with sexually assaulting a 12-year-old boy on numerous occasions more than a decade ago.



Jeffrey Mackintosh (Middlesex County Prosecutor's Office)

Police say 46-year-old Jeffrey Mackintosh was arrested at his home.

He faces charges of sexual assault and endangering the welfare of a child. Mackintosh is in custody on \$100,000 bail and it's not clear when he will be released.

Prosecutors say the child victim, who is now an adult, contacted authorities on July 5 to report the abuse.

Investigators say that Mackintosh, now a computer technician, sexually assaulted the boy in the year 2000, while serving as a youth pastor at Tidings Assembly of God Church.

He is no longer affiliated with the church.

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