

**VOLUNTEER APPLICATION
FOR CHILDREN'S MINISTRY
PROGRAMS**

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

PERSONAL

Name _____
Last First MI

Phone _____ Email _____
Cell Home

Address _____

Have you ever worked under another name? Yes No If yes, give name _____

Were you referred to us by a current employee or church member? Yes No

Referring Person's Name _____
Last First

Address _____
Street/Box City State Zip

VOLUNTEER-RELATED INFORMATION

Position(s) you are volunteering for _____

What days/times will you be available to volunteer? _____

Are you over 21 years of age? Yes No If not, are you over 18 years of age? Yes No
DOB if under 18 ____/____/____

Have you ever been convicted of a felony, or pleaded no contest to a felony, or been convicted of a misdemeanor resulting in imprisonment? If yes, please explain: _____

CHURCH ATTENDANCE/MEMBERSHIP

How long have you attended First Presbyterian Church? _____

Are you a member of First Presbyterian Church? Yes No If yes, date of membership _____

If not, would you like to become a member? Yes No

Other churches regularly attended during the last five years _____

Were you a member of such church(es)? Yes No Which ones? _____

EXPERIENCE

Other direct, volunteer experience with children or youth (such as Scouts, Sunday School teacher, etc.) _____

Particular training, skills, and experience which would assist or benefit this position _____

State briefly your reasons for seeking to serve in this position with First Presbyterian Church _____

REFERENCES

Please list the names of three references (not relatives) who have known you for at least three years. Individuals listed may be asked to appraise your character, ability, experience and other qualities.

Name	Address	Employer Position/ Length of Acquaintance	Daytime AND Evening Phone #

PROTECTION POLICY QUESTIONS

In order to assure the health, safety, and security of our children and youth and students, we screen our volunteers. If any of the following situations apply to you, please explain on an attached sheet so that we may discuss how this may impact your serving in this position.

Do you agree to observe all provisions of the Children’s Ministry Protection Policy, regarding work with children at First Presbyterian Church? Yes No

Have you ever had a problem with drugs, alcohol, pornography, or any other addiction? Yes No

Have you ever been convicted of a crime other than a minor traffic violation? Yes No

Has a civil suit alleging actual or attempted sexual harassment, exploitation, physical abuse, or child abuse, ever resulted in a judgment being entered against you or been settled out of court? Yes No

Is there any fact or circumstance involving you or your background that would call into question you being entrusted with the responsibilities of the position for which you are applying? Yes No

Recognizing that abuse is a traumatic event in a person's life, and realizing that by God's grace a victim can find healing, if you are a victim of abuse who has not worked through your pain, the pastoral staff is here to assist you. Please feel free to call.

AUTHENTICATION AND AUTHORIZATION

The covenants between persons seeking authorized volunteer positions in the church require honesty, integrity, and truthfulness for the health of the church. To that end, I attest that the information set forth in this application is true and complete. I understand that any misrepresentation or omission may be grounds for rejection of consideration for, or termination of, the position I am seeking to fill. I acknowledge that it is my duty to amend the responses and information I have provided if I come to know that the response or information was incorrect when given, or, though accurate when given, the response or information is no longer accurate. I authorize First Presbyterian Church or its representatives to make any and all inquiries regarding all statements I have set forth above, and I release the Church and its representatives from any and all liability which may result from such actions.

Date _____

Signature _____