

Bethesda United Methodist Church
Application for Volunteer Positions with Children & Youth

This application is for those seeking a volunteer position that will involve supervision and/or custody of children or youth.

Name:

Last First Middle

Are you age 18 or older? Yes No

Home address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home phone: _____ Cell phone: _____

Email address: _____

Occupation: _____

Previous volunteer experience: _____

YES, I watched the Safe Sanctuaries training video on this date: _____

Have you ever been charged with, convicted of, or pled guilty to a crime, either a misdemeanor or a felony (including but not limited to motor vehicle violations, drug-related charges, child abuse, other crimes of violence or theft)? Yes No

If yes, please explain fully: _____

Please answer the following two questions only if you will be driving for church-sponsored outings:

Do you have a valid driver's license? Yes No

Do you have liability insurance? Yes No If yes, list policy limits & name of carrier _____

Please answer the following questions:

1. As a volunteer in this congregation, do you agree to observe and abide by all church policies regarding working in ministries with children and youth? Yes No
2. As a volunteer in this congregation, do you agree to observe the "Two Adult Rule" at all times? Yes No
3. As a volunteer in this congregation, do you agree to abide by the "Six Month Rule" before beginning a volunteer assignment? Yes No
4. As a volunteer in this congregation, do you agree to participate in training and educational events provided by the church and have a background check? Yes No
5. As a volunteer in this congregation, do you agree to promptly report abusive or inappropriate behavior to your supervisor(s)? Yes No
6. As a volunteer in this congregation, do you agree to inform a minister of this church if you have ever been convicted of child abuse? Yes No

Signature of Applicant

Date

Print full name