

Children's Church Volunteer

Mission Statement: Our Children's Church ministry serves partners and guests ages 4 through 2nd grade. We aim to help kids love God and others while discovering a friendship with Jesus throughout the Bible.

Description: The Children's Church team serves as educators of God's Word by using a curriculum called Simply Loved. There is at least one lead teacher during class and multiple assistant teachers. All work together to encourage children to learn about and love our Lord.

Qualifications:

- Enjoys working with children
- Friendly and caring
- Responsible and dependable
- Pass background check - volunteer requirement

Responsibilities:

1. Serve at scheduled services
2. Arrive prior to service starting to set up classroom, get ipads and printers ready, and greet families
3. Assist families with check-in/answer questions they might have
4. Maintain a safe and clean environment
 - Clean tables if sticky or markers/crayons get on them
5. **Lead Teacher:** using the given curriculum, prepare slides/ activities for class and teach the material
 - **Second Teacher:** using slides prepared by the Lead Teacher, teach material in the second room
 - **Assistants:** help the teacher and students with any assistance they may need
6. Count number of students at class, record number on clipboard
7. Wear a Children's Church shirt
8. Put materials away at the end of class, put iPads and printers back in drawer

Time Commitment:

- 2.5-3.5 hours per month; 1 service per month, more if you choose (lead teachers to teach at the 9:00 am service)
- Lead teachers spend some time at home preparing the lesson
- Lead teachers are compensated for their time if they choose

Relationships:

The Children's Church team interacts with youth worshipers, other volunteers/teachers, parents, and the Children's Ministry Director.

Training:

New Children's Church team members will receive information and training from the Children's Ministry Director and serve alongside veteran teammates.