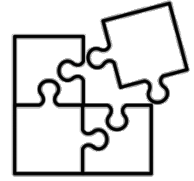




# 2022-2023 Covenant Card for ADULTS WHERE DO YOU FIT?



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## The Descriptions

### WORSHIP

#### **Altar Guild/Sanctuary Care** (ADAG)

Coordinate and assist with the sacred elements, special events, and regular worship of the church such as arranging the altar and communion tables with appropriate cloths, vessels, elements and symbols of the season.

Commitment: varies based on the season

#### **Audio/Visual/Livestream Team** (ADAV)

Help with live-stream video, audio, and slides for worship. No previous experience is necessary, and training is provided.

Commitment: 2 hours, twice monthly

- 8:30 a.m.
- 10:40 a.m.
- Special Events

#### **Chancel Choir Member** (ADCCM)

Sing in the 8:30 a.m. worship service and special services.

Commitment: Sundays during 8:30 a.m. worship and Wednesdays from 6:00 - 7:00 p.m.

#### **Communion Stewards** (ASCS)

Assist pastors with set up, serving, and cleanup of Holy Communion. Training provided.

Commitment: 30 minutes before worship, first Sunday each month on rotation

- 8:30 a.m.
- 10:40 a.m.

#### **Home Bound Communion Stewards** (ADHBC)

Extend the Table to those in our church who are unable to attend worship and participate in Holy Communion. Training and Supplies are provided.

Commitment: First Sunday of the month, after church, on rotation

#### **Musician** (ADMU)

Use your talents to glorify the Lord as a musician/vocalist occasionally during services.

Commitment: as desired

- Instrumentalist
- Vocalist

#### **Pew Crew** (ADPC)

Straighten and stock pew racks with envelopes, pens and pencils for worship services, bi-weekly during assigned month.

Commitment: One hour, twice a month, on rotation, during business hours

#### **Praise Band Member** (ADPBM)

Help lead our 10:40 a.m. worship service and special events as a vocalist and/or instrumentalist.

Commitment: 9:30 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. on rotating Sundays, and a one-hour practice on rotating Wednesdays

#### **Tuesday Worship & Fellowship Volunteer**

Help with a worship service and light lunch on the second Tuesday of the month. Volunteers are needed to help prepare, serve the meal and clean up.

Commitment: monthly

- Prepare a dish at home
- Serve, cook, clean-up
- Decorate
- Musician

# HOSPITALITY

## **Hospitality Team [Greeter/Usher]** (ADGU)

Offer hospitality to our guests and members by welcoming them at the doors, distributing bulletins and assisting with seating; as well as helping with the offering during service. Create an atmosphere of love and excitement for everyone who enters the church through a friendly welcome, knowledgeable information about the church, and help for those who need it.

Commitment: Approximately 6 times a year

- 8:30 a.m.
- 10:40 a.m.

## **Guest Ministry Note Writer** (ADGM)

Write personal, hand-written notes to guests based on a series of templates.

Commitment: one hour, 3 times a year

## **Memorial/Funeral Service Meals** (ADMFM)

Honor family members the day of the service by preparing and/or serving a dish.

Commitment: as needed

## **Sunday Morning Coffee Preparation** (ADSMC)

Volunteer to brew coffee in the Narthex on Sunday mornings. Arrive by 8:00 a.m. and be finished by the end of the first song in the 10:40 a.m. Worship Service. Instructions are provided.

Commitment: Sundays on rotation

## **Wired Wednesday Meal Helper**

Help with various Wired Wednesday meal tasks.

Commitment: Wednesdays, from September – April

- Cook - Wednesdays beginning at 1:00 p.m.
- Serve
- Clean-Up

# CONGREGATIONAL CARE

## **Care Meals** (ADCM)

Do you like to cook? Help provide casseroles and dishes to church members that have had a recent birth or adoption or death in the family.

Commitment: as needed

## **Congregational Care Minister** (ADCCM)

Congregational Care Ministers make hospital visits, call people in need of contact, deliver meals to families with new babies, meet one-on-one with those in need of a listening ear for prayer and encouragement, offer support to grieving families, and much more. Training workshop is required for new team members.

Commitment: varies

## **Covenant Prayer Team** (ADCPT)

Pray for prayer requests given to the church. Members receive requests by email and pray for these requests. Instructions for receiving prayer requests will be emailed to those who sign-up.

Commitment: daily

## **Note Writers** (ADNW)

We are looking for churchgoers to write a brief note to various members of our church who might need some extra encouragement during tough times. The church can provide notecards and postage: you provide the encouraging words and prayer.

Commitment: as needed

## **Prayer Shawl Ministry** (ADPSM)

Meet to knit and crochet prayer shawls to be given to those in need of God's comfort or in celebration of new births & marriages.

Commitment: Wednesdays at 10:00 a.m.

# DISCIPLESHIP

## **Sunday School/Bible Study Leader** (ASBSL)

Have a heart to help others grow deeper in the love of God? As a leader, you serve as a shepherd to a group of people who desire to learn together about a life-changing relationship with Christ and one another. Your primary responsibility is to facilitate the group and care for the people who participate.

Commitment: varies depending on study

# SERVICE

## **Fun Committee** (ADFC)

Assist with planning various church social events throughout the year.

Commitment: as needed

## **Handy Men and Women** (ADHMW)

Do minor repairs, change light bulbs, assemble items, etc., at Russellville First and Manna House.

Commitment: as needed

## **Hearts & Hammers** (ADHH)

Build wheelchair ramps for those who cannot afford them.

Commitment: as needed

## **More Than Manna Helper** (ADMTM)

Volunteer at More Than Manna, a weekly worship service that meets at 4:30 p.m. on Sundays.

Commitment: varies

- Setup/Cook Meal
- Serve/Cleanup
- Hospitality & Fellowship Team

# MANNA HOUSE

## **Cleaning Bathrooms & Floors** (ADMHCR)

Place items on shelves for workers, clean bathrooms, clean floors, wipe down all table surfaces, take out trash as needed.

Commitment: as needed

## **Recycling** (ADMHCR)

Assist with upkeep, restocking, and recycling needs of Manna House.

Commitment: as needed

## **Grant Writer** (ADMHGW)

See opportunities for community and company grants; write up, apply for, and complete follow-up reporting of grants.

Commitment: as needed

## **Logistic Volunteer** (ADMHLV)

Meet food delivery and process, stock various items for distribution, move pallets of food

\*Note: must be able to lift 20-40 pounds

Commitment: 8:00-10:00 a.m. Monday through Friday

## **Worker/Scheduled Volunteers** (ADMHW)

Pack bags, distribute food items, stock shelves (light lifting 3-5 pounds); work from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. Training is provided.

Commitment: as needed

- Double Bagger Volunteer
- Food Pick Up & Delivery Volunteer
- Manna House worker

# ADMINISTRATION

## **Administrative Committee** (ADAC)

Let us know if you would like for the Committee on Lay Leadership to consider you for service on one of the church's administrative committees: Finance, Trustees, Memorial, Staff-Parish Relations and Church Council.

Commitment: 3 years with regularly scheduled meetings

## **Office Volunteer** (ADOV)

Assist in the office with ongoing administrative responsibilities: computer data entry and temporary receptionist.

Commitment: as needed

- Data Entry
- Receptionist (Tues. from 9:15– 11:00 a.m.)
- Special Projects

# OTHER

## **Prime Timers Committee** (ADPTC)

Help plan the events for Prime Timers, a group of adults age 50+ who engage in a variety of activities and trips.

Commitment: varies

## **Security Team** (ADST)

Monitor the entrances and exits to the building on Sunday mornings and evenings and Wednesday evenings.

Commitment: varies

## **United Women in Faith** (ADUWF)

Are you interested in joining or learning more about the United Women in Faith organization? UWF is a vital ministry of teaching, sharing, and advocating for others all over the world. We have small groups, consisting of various ages, that meet for study and fellowship. During the year we have six luncheons at which we learn about local and global missions.

Commitment: monthly

## **Van and/or Bus Driver (over age 21)** (ADVBD)

Drive the 15-passenger vehicles on short trips as requested. Training will be provided.

Commitment: as needed

# CHILDREN & FAMILY MINISTRY

## **Acolyte Assistant** (CMAA)

Assist Acolytes before worship begins.

Commitment: Sundays, on rotation, arrive 15 minutes prior to service

- 8:30 a.m.
- 10:40 a.m.

## **Activity Bags Helper** (CMABH)

Help refill Activity Bags designed for children to enjoy during worship. These bags need weekly attention.

Commitment: during business hours, monthly on rotation

## **Children's Church Volunteer** (CMCCV)

Follow a planned lesson and activity to provide a worship experience for children.

Commitment: Sunday mornings, on rotation

- 8:30 a.m.
- 10:40 a.m.

## **Children's Tummy Crew** (ADTC)

Prepare, provide, serve meals for children, youth, and young adult ministries.

Commitment: varies

## **Pumpkin Patch Volunteer** (CMPPV)

Step up to help Pumpkin Patch, a Children's Ministry fundraiser, that happens during the month of October. TLC, Pre-schools and local elementary schools participate in the activities provided at Pumpkin Patch.

Commitment: varies

- Work a shift
- Treasurer
- Unload Pumpkins
- Preschool Visit Volunteer

## **JAM Leader/Helper** (CMJL)

JAM: Jesus And Me. Lead children ages 2-3 years old in prepared lessons and activities with another teacher.

Commitment: Sunday mornings and Wednesday evenings

- Sunday Morning
- Wednesday Evening

## **SLAM Helper** (CMSH)

SLAM: Serving God, Loving others And Making disciples

Commitment: Wednesday evenings

- General Helper
- Music Leader  
Lead children in music lessons and activities.
- Rotation Leader  
Lead children in prepared lessons and activities.
- Shepherd  
Shepherds go with children to their station.

## **Storytime Readers** (CMSR)

Come and read stories to preschoolers on Wednesday mornings from 11:30 a.m.-Noon

Commitment: monthly on rotation

## **Sunday School Teacher** (CMSST)

Teach a Sunday school class. All lessons and activities are pre-planned and organized.

Commitment: Sunday mornings

- 3-year-olds
- Pre-K
- Kindergarten
- Music Leader (monthly on rotation)
- 1st - 2nd Grade
- 3rd - 4th Grade

## **Sunday School Teacher--Summer** (CMSSS)

Teach a prepared lesson during June, July or August.

Commitment: weekly on Sundays, on rotation

## **Vacation Bible School Helper** (CMVBS)

Jump in and take a place in the various roles of VBS.

Commitment: the week of VBS in June 2023

- Audio/Video Booth
- Crafts
- Music
- Recreation
- Shepherds
- General Helper-Where Needed
- Bible Story
- Decorations
- Photographer
- Registration
- Snacks

# YOUTH & FAMILY MINISTRY

## **SURGE Leader/Helper (5<sup>th</sup>-7<sup>th</sup> Grade)** (YM57G)

Be a part of intentional discipleship of students. Lead or help with small group Bible study, fellowship, discussion, outings and games that connect students to Christ and each other. Commitment: 5:45 – 7:00 p.m. on Wednesday evenings from September – April and occasional special events

## **Chaperone Youth Events** (YMCYE)

Provide adult supervision at youth classes or activities according to Safe Sanctuary guidelines. Commitment: varies as needed

## **Confirmation Mentor (7<sup>th</sup> Grade)** (YMCM)

Help a student move toward becoming a committed Christian by guiding a 7<sup>th</sup> grader through the year-long Confirmation Journey. Mentors participate in one-on-one sessions, retreats and activities throughout the year. Mentors also attend Confirmation weekend and Confirmation Sunday in May.

Commitment: September - May

## **eXplosion Small Group Leader** (YMELT)

Lead a small group discussion during our monthly youth gathering.

Commitment: two hours, one Sunday evening a month during the school year, materials provided.

## **FUMY Tummy Crew** (ADTC)

Prepare, provide, serve meals for children, youth, and young adult ministries.

Commitment: varies

## **Grade Parent (5<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade)** (YMGP)

Represent your youth's grade at Youth Council meetings, be responsible for promoting youth events, building relationships, and contacting parents for help as needed.

Commitment: varies

## **Impact Group Host (8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade)** (YMIGH)

Open your home to provide a casual, intimate atmosphere for students to build relationships. Commitment: Weekly on Wednesday evenings (times vary), September – April

## **Impact Group Leader (8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> Grade)** (YMIGL)

Co-lead an age- and gender-specific group of students in a small group setting and connect students to Christ and to each other through a time of Bible study, fellowship, and activities. Curriculum and training are provided. Commitment: Weekly on Wednesday evenings (times vary) for one school year.

## **Sunday School Teacher** (YMSST)

Enjoy connecting with our youth and leading them deeper into discipleship by being a Sunday School teacher. All materials provided.

- School Year Substitute, any grade — Commitment: as needed, 1 hour Sunday morning plus prep
- Summer Sunday School Teacher Commitment: one month

## **Van/Bus Driver for Youth events** (YMVDB)

Drive a group of youth to events.

Commitment: varies, as needed

- In my own car
- In church bus or van (training provided)

## **Youth Advisory Team** (YMYAT)

Work with a covenanted team to evaluate current ministry, set values, vision and goals for sustainable, thriving youth ministry.

Commitment: Meet monthly for at least a year

## **Youth Council** (YMYC)

Work with a team of people to plan and implement youth ministry events.

Commitment: 6 - 8 meetings per year plus one or more special event

## **Youth Missions Committee** (YMYMC)

Work with a team of people to plan and implement youth mission projects, fundraisers, and summer mission trip.

Commitment: 6-8 meetings per year plus one or more special event