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# FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH CHILD PROTECTION WORKER APPLICATION

### PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_ , \_\_\_\_\_  
*Last First Middle Initial*

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Number ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

### VOLUNTEER SERVICE

In what ministry area are you interested in volunteering?

- Nursery
- Parent's Day Out
- Vacation Bible School (*PreK - 5th*)
- Sunday School (*PreK - 5th*)
- Kids 4 Christ (*K - 5th Wednesday Afternoon*)
- Sunday School (*6th - 12th*)
- Confirmation
- Youth Group Senior High (*9th - 12th*)
- Youth Group Mid High (*6th - 8th*)
- Youth - Overnight Trips
- Youth - Day Trips
- Transportation

Why are you interested in volunteering for ministry to children/youth? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you volunteered with children/youth at First Presbyterian Church before? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If YES, in what capacity did you volunteer? \_\_\_\_\_

If NO, what prior experience do you have working with children/youth? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever had First Aid & CPR training? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

**PRELIMINARY SCREENING INFORMATION**

Have you ever been arrested for, charged with, convicted of, or plead guilty to a crime, either misdemeanor or a felony (including but not limited to drug related charges, child abuse, other crimes of violence, theft, or motor vehicle violations)? Answering “yes” to this question does not automatically disqualify you from service.

YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If YES, please explain fully \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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**FAITH**

Are you a *member* of First Presbyterian Church? YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_\_

If YES, how long have you been a member of First Presbyterian Church? \_\_\_\_\_

If NO, please list the name, address and phone number of the church you currently belong to or have regularly attended over the past 5 years.

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Please summarize your faith journey and how you came to know Christ as Lord and Savior.

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**REFERENCE CHECKS**

Please list three references not related to you by blood or marriage. From which we shall contact at least two. One reference should be someone who has known you for a least five years. One reference should be a member of First Presbyterian Church; if you have not been a member of First Presbyterian Church for more than one year, please list your previous church instead. If possible, a reference should be someone who has observed you working with children/youth in some capacity.

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Primary Number (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_  
Relationship \_\_\_\_\_ Length of Relationship \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

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E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

**AUTHORIZATION FOR RELEASE OF BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

In connection with my application for service with First Presbyterian Church as a volunteer or staff, I authorize First Presbyterian Church to solicit background information relative to my criminal record history. I understand that First Presbyterian Church may conduct inquiries into my background that may include criminal records, personal references and other public record reports pertaining to me.

<p><b>Required information to complete appropriate background checks per the Child Protection Policy.</b></p> <p>Full Legal Name: _____</p> <p>Other Names Used: _____</p> <p>Social Security #: _____ - _____ - _____</p> <p>Date of Birth: ____ / ____ / _____</p>
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The information contained in this application is current to the best of my knowledge. I authorize any references or churches listed in this application to give you any information (including opinions) that they may have regarding my character and fitness for children or youth work. In consideration of the receipt and evaluation of this application by First Presbyterian Church, I hereby release any individual, church, youth organization, charity, employer, reference or any other person or organization, including record custodians, both collectively and individually, from any and all liability for damages of any kind or nature which may at any time result to me, my heirs, or family, on account of good faith compliance or any attempts to comply, with this authorization.

I further state that I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THE FOREGOING RELEASE AND KNOW THE CONTENTS THEREOF AND I SIGN THE RELEASE AS MY OWN FREE ACT. This is a legally binding agreement which I have read and understand.

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*Applicant Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*