

NAME: _____ BIRTH DATE: ____/____/____
(FIRST) (MIDDLE) (LAST) (MONTH) (DAY) (YEAR)

HOME PHONE: _____ MOBILE PHONE: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____ MARITAL STATUS: _____

ADDRESS: _____
(STREET) (CITY) (STATE) (ZIP)

Please be completely candid in answering these questions. Your application is restricted to the Stewardship Ministry leadership team and the information you give will be confidential.

1. Briefly, describe how you became a Christian.

2. What church activities and ministries are you involved in at Southeast Christian Church?

3. What is your belief and practice of giving and stewardship? How does the management of your family resources bring honor to God?

4. What is your occupation? (include place of employment, how long you have worked there, and work duties)

5. What training, education or other experience do you have that supports the ministry of financial stewardship? (i.e. Financial Peace University, Crown Financial, College Degrees, etc.) Include approximate dates.

6. Why do you want to volunteer in the Stewardship Ministry?

7. Which volunteer role(s) interest you? (check all that apply)

- Class Teacher/Facilitator Class Coordinator Financial Coach
- Worklife Small Group Leader Benevolence Mentor (Mercy Monday)



Serving in the Stewardship Ministry requires completion of an initial multi-session training program and active participation in quarterly volunteer team meetings.

Are you willing and able to make this commitment? [] YES [] NO

NEXT STEPS:

- You will be contacted to setup an in-person interview with a member of the Stewardship Ministry leadership team.
- The Stewardship Ministry leadership team will prayerfully consider the area of service where God can effectively use your gifts.
- You will be notified within two weeks to affirm your commitment and to schedule the initial training program.

CONFIDENTIAL Volunteer Application for Adult (Ages 18-up)



PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION AND FILL OUT ALL INFORMATION REQUESTED.
BE SURE TO COMPLETE AND SIGN THE BACK SIDE OF THE APPLICATION AS WELL AS THE STATEMENT OF FAITH.

Your Ministry of interest: _____

> Personal Information

Name: _____ Maiden/Other Names: _____

Sex: M F Date of Birth _____ / _____ / _____ SSN# _____ - _____ - _____
Last First Middle Name Month Day Year

Current Mailing Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Previous Mailing Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Have you ever lived outside of Kentucky or Indiana? Yes No If so, when: _____ and what state _____

Phone Numbers: Home: _____ Cell: _____

Email Address: _____

Current Employer: _____ Phone: _____

Position: _____

> References PLEASE PROVIDE FOUR (4) CHARACTER REFERENCES THAT MEET ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:

- Has personally known the applicant **at least FIVE (5) YEARS**
- Is 18 years of age or older
- Is not a relative or a Southeast Christian Church employee
- Does not reside at the same address as any of the other references

1. Name: _____ Relationship/Years known: _____

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Email address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

2. Name: _____ Relationship/Years known: _____

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Email address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

3. Name: _____ Relationship/Years known: _____

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Email address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

4. Name: _____ Relationship/Years known: _____

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Email address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

> Personal Background

1. When working in your ministry of interest, are there any physical limitations or other conditions that would prevent you from performing certain types of activities?
 Yes No
If yes, please explain: _____

2. Have you ever participated in, or been accused of, convicted of, or plead guilty or no contest to abuse or any sexual misconduct, molestation, or any other sexual or assaultive crime?
 Yes No
3. Have you ever been counseled for any of the situations described in item two (2) above?
 Yes No
4. Are you aware of any traits or tendencies that you possess that could pose any threat to children, youth, or adults with disabilities?
 Yes No
5. Would you like a staff member to call you to discuss your answers regarding the above questions?
 Yes No

Note: If you marked yes to question 2, you will need to talk to the Director of Security in order to be cleared to work with children at Southeast Christian Church.

> Church History

How long have you attended services at Southeast? * _____ Are you a member? Yes No

What are you participating in at Southeast? _____

If not attending Southeast, what church do you attend? _____

**Our policies require that anyone who wishes to volunteer with minors or disabled adults must have verifiable participation of at least six months or more at Southeast Christian Church (i.e., Small Group Bible Study or Weekend Group).*

> Applicant's Statement

The information contained in this application is complete and correct. I, the undersigned, give my authorization to Southeast Christian Church or its representatives to release any and all records and information relating to working within my chosen ministry of the church.

The church may also contact my references. I authorize any references listed to give you any information they may have regarding my character and fitness for work within the church. I release all such references from liability from any damage that may result from such evaluations to you and I waive any right to inspect these references.

I authorize Southeast Christian Church to perform a criminal records check now and as needed in the future to update my records for arrests, convictions, or other information the County Department of Corrections, the State Justice Cabinet, and any other local, state, or federal criminal enforcement agency may have regarding me and release such information to Southeast Christian Church.

I release Southeast Christian Church and the above mentioned agencies from any liability or damages resulting from the release of this information. I waive any present or future claims of privacy resulting from the release of this information for qualifications of volunteer work at Southeast Christian Church.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Applicant's Printed Name



Statement of Faith

***All new Volunteers are required to sign the Statement of Faith.
It is produced here for your reference and use.***

We believe in one God—Father, Son and Holy Spirit. (John 14:9-20; 1 Peter 1:2; 2 Corinthians 13:14, 1 John 5:1-12)

We believe in God the Father Almighty, Creator of all things visible and invisible. (Genesis 1:1; Matthew 5:16, 45; 6:1, 4, 8, 9; Acts 17:24-28; Hebrews 11:3; James 1:17)

We believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God, the eternal Word, the one and only Savior. (John 1:1, 14, 29; 3:16; Philippians 2:6-11; Colossians 1:15-19; 1 John 4:9)

Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit and born of the virgin Mary, both fully human and fully divine; Who lived a sinless life; Who suffered and was crucified as an atonement for sin; Who rose again bodily from the dead on the third day; Who ascended into Heaven; and Who will return in victory to rule forever. (Luke 1:26-35; Colossians 2:9; Hebrews 4:15; Romans 5:15-17; Luke 22:47-24:53; John 20:24-29; 1 Corinthians 15:3-8; Acts 1:1-9; Colossians 3:1; Revelation 1:7-8; 11:15)

We believe in the Holy Spirit

Who convicts of sin; Who indwells every Christian; Who helps us in our weakness and intercedes for us in prayer; and Who empowers us to a fruitful Christian life. (John 16:8; 1 Corinthians 3:16, 6:19; 2 Timothy 1:14; Romans 8:26; Galatians 5:22-23)

We believe in the Bible—God's Holy Word, Scripture.

We believe God inspired the original writings of the Scripture and those original writings were consequently without error. (Mark 12:36; John 14:26; 16:12-15; Acts 1:16; 1 Corinthians 2:12-13; 2 Timothy 3:14-16; 2 Peter 1:20-21)

We believe that the Bible is the final authority for all matters of faith, truth, morality, and Christian living. (Isaiah 40:8; Psalm 119:11, 105; Matthew 5:18; 24:35; Romans 15:4)

We believe the Bible teaches that God is the Creator and Sustainer of human life; that God creates each person in His image; and that life is therefore sacred, from conception to natural death. We believe that God creates each person as male or female; that these two distinct, complementary genders together reflect the "image of God" in humankind; and that each person's biological gender is an intrinsic, immutable aspect of his or her nature and identity. (Genesis 1:26-27; Genesis 2:7, 21-22; Psalm 139:13-18)

We believe the Bible teaches that God established marriage in the beginning as a lifelong, exclusive relationship between one man and one woman; that He has reserved sexual intimacy as an expression of love and commitment between married couples; and that any intimate expression of sexuality outside of Biblical marriage is sin. (Genesis 2:23-25; Exodus 20:14, 17, 22:19; Leviticus 18:1-20, 22-23; 20:11-21; Matthew 19:4-6, 9; Romans 1:18-31; 1 Corinthians 6:9-10, 15-20; 1 Timothy 1:8-11; Jude 7)

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We believe in the Gospel—the Good News of Salvation

That man, created by God, willfully sinned against God and is consequently lost and without hope apart from Jesus Christ. (Isaiah 53:6; Acts 4:12; Romans 3:23)

That salvation—the forgiveness of sins—is only by grace through the blood of Jesus Christ. (Matthew 26:28; Romans 5:9; Ephesians 2:8-9; 1 Peter 1:18-19; 1 John 1:7)

That one receives salvation by putting faith in Christ, repenting of sin, and confessing Christ, and that the Bible commands every believer in Christ to be baptized by immersion. (Romans 5:1-2; 10:9; Ephesians 2:8-9; Acts 2:38, 3:19; Galatians 3:27; Colossians 2:12; 1 Peter 3:21)

That those who have received salvation through faith in Jesus Christ are sent into the world to proclaim the gospel and to love and serve the world just as Jesus Himself did. (2 Corinthians 5:11-21; Ephesians 2:10; Matthew 28:18-20; John 20:21)

We believe in the Church of Jesus Christ, founded on the Day of Pentecost, consisting of all Christians everywhere, and organized into local assemblies, called churches (Matthew 16:13-18; Acts 2:14-47).

We believe the Bible teaches that every Christian should be an active member of a local church. (Hebrews 10:24-25)

We believe that the Elders of the church are the overseers of its affairs and the shepherds of its members; that they are the final interpretive authority of the Bible's meaning and application for the church; and that they are responsible for the oversight, instruction, edification, discipline, and restoration of church members. (1 Peter 5:1-4; Titus 1:9, 2:1-15; Hebrews 13:17; Matthew 18:15-17; Galatians 6:1; 1 Corinthians 5:11-13)

We believe that the Bible instructs church members to:

Meet together regularly for fellowship, worship, teaching, and the Lord's Supper. (Acts 2:42; Hebrews 10:25; 1 Corinthians 11:23-26)

Use our natural abilities and spiritual gifts to serve one another (Romans 12, 1 Peter 4:10, Galatians 5:13, 1 Corinthians 12:7)

Love one another, bear with one another, accept one another, and forgive one another (John 13:34-35; John 15:17, 1 John 4:7, 11; Romans 13:8; Ephesians 4:2, 32; Colossians 3:14, Romans 15:7)

Seek unity, agreement, and peace with one another (Romans 12:16, 18; 1 Thessalonians 5:13; Philippians 2:2; 2 Corinthians 13:11)

Encourage and build up one another (1 Thessalonians 5:11)

Bear one another's burdens and pray for one another (Galatians 6:2; James 5:16)

Spur one another to love and good deeds (Hebrews 10:24)

Submit to the authority of the elders of the church (Hebrews 13:17)

Support the church financially (2 Corinthians 8:7, Malachi 3:10, 1 Timothy 5:17-18)

Pursue personal holiness and obedience to God's Word (2 Corinthians 7:1, 1 Thessalonians 4:7, 1 Peter 1:15)

Strive together to fulfill the Great Commission (Matthew 28:19-20)

Signed: _____ **Dated:** _____

Printed name: _____