



FCF YOUTH

Why Does FCF Require Volunteer Applications?

By implementing a screening process, we can demonstrate that our church has acted with reasonable care to select appropriate workers. In a culture that is quick to file lawsuits and make public accusations, we've been advised by our insurance provider that churches that screen their volunteers are in a better position to reduce their liability risk than those that have not.

Understand... we aren't screening because we expect to find anything detrimental or because we don't trust you, but simply because it is a sound practice and helps to reassure parents, members of our church, and new attenders of our church's commitment to safety and integrity.

At Faith Community, we have a comprehensive screening process for all volunteers who interact with children in our nursery through high school. For adults, this includes a background check, including identity verification and a national criminal / multi-state sex-offender search.

What we are doing as volunteers has eternal significance, so a screening process to ensure the safety and well-being of our children, our families, and our church as a whole is a logical place to start.

If you have any questions, please contact me, 669-2182;
todd@faithcommunityfellowship.com

Thank you for your willingness to be a part of this process.

Todd Crosthwaite
Co-Pastor





Youth Ministry
Volunteer Application

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Personal Information

Name _____

Address _____

City/Town _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Cell _____

Email _____

Marital Status (*circle*) Single Married Widowed Separated Divorced

Children's names & ages: _____

Will your spouse and family be supportive of your involvement in this ministry? Yes No

Education & Employment History

High School _____ Year Graduated _____

College _____ Year Graduated _____

Last year completed: (*circle*) 1 2 3 4 5 Major _____

Do you plan to pursue further education? Yes No

Present Employer _____

Occupation/Type of work _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Typical hours _____

Church Background

How long have you attended FCF? _____

List responsibilities you now have at FCF? _____

Describe your relationship with Jesus Christ: _____

Why do you want to volunteer in youth ministry? _____

What other organizations or programs are you involved in? _____

Briefly describe your volunteer experience: _____

Last church you attended regularly:

Name of Church _____

Address _____

Dates _____ Pastor's name _____

Ministries you were involved in _____

Confidential Background Information

Have you ever been formally accused of child abuse? Yes No

Have you ever received psychiatric care? Yes No

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? Yes No

If you circled "Yes" on any of these questions, we may ask for more information.

References:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

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Address: _____

Applicant's signature _____ Date _____

