







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.

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