

HOW and WHERE YOU can help out in CHURCH SCHOOL!

*The Church School programs we provide at PCCT do not exist without your loving presence! **Please consider where you can help so that all classes always have 2 adults present.** By sharing the load, we can grow with the children, provide volunteers the chance that all deserve to worship, and help each other grow in Christ!*

Name _____ Age/Grade _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Circle: Teach Aide Shepherd

*Term: Sept. 13 – Dec. 20 _____ Jan. 10 – May 23 _____ Other (workshops) _____

*(Terms apply to 3 yrs. – K, Shepherds, & Jr. Highs.
See OTHER ATTACHMENT for Teaching Rotation topics/dates!)

NURSERY!!

Help support our families with nursery aged children by volunteering for nursery duty this upcoming 09-10 year! It lightens parents' load and allows them to worship more often together! Even if you can only volunteer 1-2 times per term, it helps tremendously. Nursery Volunteers should:

Love children * High School or older * Comfortable with diaper changing
Service Time Preference:

Any time _____ 9:05–10:30 _____ 10:30 –11:45 _____
Frequent (few times/month) _____ Rotating (every 6 weeks) _____

**Attending parents of nursery-age children will still be
on the schedule and DO NOT need to fill out this form.**

3 YEAR OLDS – KINDERGARTEN CLASSES (9:15 – 10:15)

Sign up to teach or aide the 3 year olds, 4 year olds, or Kindergarten class. Each class meets Sundays (minus Family Worship days) from 9:15- 10:15 in their own classroom. Provided lesson plans from the Hands On Bible Curriculum use objects like big bible books, puppets, maps, and more to aide you teaching these stories in an age appropriate language!

3-4 adults & 2 teenage aides needed per class/term
(ONLY 2 adults and 1 aide needed per Sunday)

1st – 5th GRADE: ROTATION WORKSHOPS (9:30-10:15)

SHEPHERDS: The two most important roles of the shepherd are forming relationships with the children and tying workshops together week after week. We cannot stress enough how important it is to have consistent shepherds who know their class. Hardly any advance preparation is required, BUT you must energetically greet the children, participate in class, assist the teacher and children, and lead a group review/ reflection on the present theme.

2 adults or teens (10th – 12th gr.) per grade per term or the entire year
(ONLY 1 shepherd needed per Sunday)

***TEACHERS:** Each Rotation Unit consists of 3-5 workshops in such mediums as cooking, games, drama, art, etc. Teachers pick a medium and teach that lesson to all 5 grades individually (adjusting to be age appropriate.) Lesson plans are provided and each teacher has a Dream Team liaison to assist in preparation. We encourage teachers to sign up for **AT LEAST** one rotation unit a year. Children remember teachers when they return for another rotation, which forms stronger intergenerational relationships!

*Teachers needed per unit. See below for Rotation Workshops and Dates!

INTRODUCING: 3rd – 5th GRADE C.A.R.E.S.! (10:15-10:45)
(Community, Art, Recreation, Environment, & Service)

Thanks to the new schedule, we can now offer an upper elementary fellowship time! 3rd – 5th grade C.A.R.E.S. provides an opportunity to build community based on what God has blessed us with and what He calls us to care for! It extends the connections 3rd – 5th graders make in Sunday School, and also provides a fun atmosphere to put their lessons into actions, where kids can grow and serve Christ by serving their local and distant communities. **Each month follows this schedule: 1st Sundays – Art (a time to be creative), 2nd Sundays – Recreation (organized games), 3rd Sundays – Environment (activities based on taking care of our home) and 4th Sundays – Service (mission projects).**

We need **2 adults and 3 teens per area, making a total of 8 adults and 12 teens.** Teens show up once a month, and adults rotate once every other month! *Thus adults can still participate and hardly miss Adult Fellowship (10:00 – 10:45am)!*

SCHEDULE AND PLANS PROVIDED!

Art (1st Sundays) _____ **Recreation (2nd Sundays)** _____

Environment (3rd Sundays) _____ **Service (4th Sundays)** _____

6TH – 8TH GRADE: BREAKFAST CLUB (9:15 – 10:15/10:45AM)

Jr. High Fellowship is moving to **Sunday mornings** and will only join Sr. Highs in the evenings for events like Bowling for Charity, Frozen Turkey Olympics, Manna Worship, etc. Each Sunday, Jr. Highs will begin as a group for breakfast, icebreakers, and an introduction to our topic. We will then break into groups by grade to dig deeper into the topic.

At 10:15, while parents have the opportunity to grow in adult ministry and fellowship, Jr. Highs can also stick around for fellowship, games, and mission projects!

We need teams of **2 adult leaders and 2 shepherds PER GRADE**, while only 1 leader and 1 shepherd PER GRADE are present each Sunday.

Leaders are responsible for preparing the lesson every other week and leading the introduction about once every 2 months. Lesson plans to be provided.

Shepherds provide support by being present for leaders and our youth.

Leaders & shepherds can be **sophomores in high school and older.**

6th grade leader _____ **6th grade shepherd** _____

7th grade leader _____ **7th grade shepherd** _____

8th grade leader _____ **8th grade shepherd** _____