

Holy Cross Lutheran Church
Son-Shine Preschool Volunteer Application

Confidential

Greetings Parents and Guardians!

Thank you for taking time to fill out the document below. At Holy Cross Lutheran Church we have instituted a volunteer policy to protect your children. We are asking all who wish to volunteer and help out with any activities, whether in the classroom or offsite, to fill out and submit the form below along with a photocopy of their driver's license; a background check on each volunteer applicant will be kept on file in the church office.

I understand this may seem like an intrusion of your privacy and it's just one more form to fill out among many for back to school, but when it comes to the safety and welfare of your children, we'd rather err on the side of caution. Your children are precious gifts from our Father in heaven, and we want to make sure that Holy Cross is a safe and fun Christ-centered environment.

Thank you for taking the time to fill out and turn in your volunteer application.

Basic Information:			
Name:		Date of Birth:	
<i>First</i> <i>MI</i> <i>Last</i>			
Address:			
<i>Street Address</i>		<i>City</i>	<i>State</i> <i>ZIP</i>
Phone Numbers:			
<i>Home</i>		<i>Work</i>	<i>Cell</i>
Best times to reach me at home:		May we call you at work?	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Email:		Driver's License No.:	

References:			
Please provide three character references (other than family members) who can identify your strengths and weaknesses and describe your background.			
1.			
<i>Name</i>	<i>Address</i>	<i>Home/Work Phone</i>	<i>Relationship</i>
2.			
<i>Name</i>	<i>Address</i>	<i>Home/Work Phone</i>	<i>Relationship</i>
3.			
<i>Name</i>	<i>Address</i>	<i>Home/Work Phone</i>	<i>Relationship</i>

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Background Information:

Have you, at any time, been involved in or accused, rightly or wrongly, of sexual abuse, maltreatment, or neglect or been involved romantically with any minor after you became an adult? Yes No

Have you ever been convicted of a felony? Yes No

Are you using illegal drugs or have you ever gone through treatment for alcohol or drug abuse? Yes No

Have you ever been a victim of any form of child abuse? (optional) Yes No

Is there anything in your past or current life that might be a problem if we found out about it later? Yes No

If the answer to any of the above questions is "yes," it will be discussed confidentially during your interview.

I, the undersigned, give my authorization to Holy Cross Lutheran Church representatives to verify the information on this form. Holy Cross Lutheran Church may contact my references and appropriate government agencies as deemed necessary in order to verify my suitability as a church youth ministry worker.

The information contained in this application is correct 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 student ministry. I waive any right that I may have to inspect any information provided about me by any person or organization identified herein.

Should my application be accepted, I agree to be bound by the constitution, statement of faith and policies of Holy Cross Lutheran Church, and to refrain from conduct unbecoming to Christ in the performance of my services on behalf of Holy Cross Lutheran Church. If I violate these guidelines, I understand that my volunteer status may be terminated.

I further state that **I HAVE CAREFULLY READ AND UNDERSTAND THE FOREGOING RELEASE AND KNOW THE CONTENTS THEREOF, AND I SIGN THIS RELEASE AS MY OWN ACT.** This is a legally binding agreement.

I am attaching a photocopy of my current driver's license.

Signature: _____

Print Name: _____

Date _____