

# Youth Ministry Application

This application is to be completed by everyone seeking to volunteer in the area of Youth Ministry and is for the purpose of helping Grace Chapel provide a safe and secure environment for youth to participate in our programs and use our facilities.

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## General Information:

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

## Church History:

Have you personally accepted Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior and are you committed to having the character of Jesus live through you?    YES                  NO

How long have you attended Grace Chapel? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a participating partner of Grace Chapel?    YES                  NO

Do you regularly attend worship at Grace Chapel?    YES                  NO

In what areas of ministry are you currently involved?

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In what areas of ministry are you currently serving?

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List any previous work involving youth. Please include name and address of organization and contact person.

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**References:**

List two adults you have known for at least one year, who are not related to you and have a definite knowledge of your character and ability to work with youth.

1. Someone from Grace Chapel (church staff member, ministry leader, small group leader):

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

2. Someone from outside Grace Chapel (employer, social friend, neighbor):

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_

**Personal Information:**

Circle One:    Single       Married (Spouse's Name) \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have children?    YES       NO

Names & Ages

\_\_\_\_\_  
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If you have lived at your current address for less than seven years, please list all addresses during that period.

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The questions listed below are to ensure a safe environment for our youth. All information will be confidential. Answering “yes” may not necessarily preclude your involvement in Youth Ministry.

- Is there any circumstance of pattern in your life that would make it inappropriate for you to serve with youth or would compromise the integrity of the church? YES NO

If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_
- Have you ever been concerned that you may have an addiction to drugs, alcohol, pornography, or any other addictions; or has anyone ever suggested that you may have a problem with any of the above? YES NO

If yes, please explain \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_
- Have you ever been arrested, convicted, or pleaded guilty to a crime? YES NO

If yes, please explain \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_
- Have you ever been accused, charged, or alleged to have , or have you ever committed any act of neglecting, abusing, or molesting any child? YES NO

If yes, please explain \_\_\_\_\_

- \_\_\_\_\_
- Would you like to meet with a pastor regarding any of the above circumstances?

YES NO

**Personality Profile:**

Please describe the passions in your life. \_\_\_\_\_

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Describe your gifts, talents, and abilities that you have proven competence. (i.e. teaching)

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Are you interested in Middle School or High School Ministry?

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How many hours per week are you available to serve in the ministry?

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Please include a brief biography of yourself, written in the third person (this information will be made available to parents and other volunteers).

**Applicant's Statement:**

I understand that the information contained in this application will be held confidential (except where otherwise noted) by the church staff, and is correct to the best of my knowledge. I authorize any references or churches listed to give you any information they may have regarding my character and fitness to work with youth.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Please return completed form and bio. to: Youth Ministry; Grace Chapel; Lexington, MA; 02421