

projectserve

of Southport Heights Christian Church



This form is to be completed every three (3) years by all people offering their time and talents to volunteer with children, youth, or other ministries at Southport Heights Christian Church (the "Church"). It is being used so that the Church can provide a safe and secure environment for the children, youth and adults who participate in the life of the congregation. The information you provide is confidential. The completed form will be kept in a locked file in the Church office and access to it will be restricted to ordained ministry staff, elders and office personnel. Please complete and return this form to the Church office sealed in the envelope provided, labeled "Project Serve".

volunteer application — general

The first two pages of this document are required for all volunteer positions. After filling these out, continue to the section or sections of particular interest and complete those. Use the back of the application for additional comments. Please return completed applications to the Welcome Center desk on Sundays or the Church Office through the week.

personal information

Last Name _____ First Name _____ Middle Initial _____
Birth Date ____ / ____ / _____ Gender Male Female Marital Status Single Married Divorced Widowed
Address _____ City State _____ Zip Code _____
Home # (____) ____ - _____ Work # (____) ____ - _____ Cell # (____) ____ - _____
E-mail Address _____ Are you a SHCC member? Yes No
How long have you been attending SHCC? _____
Driver's License # _____ - _____ - _____ State Issued _____
Preferred way to be contacted: Phone Email Best time to contact: Day Evening
What ministries to you participate in at SHCC? _____

volunteer position

Where are you interested in serving (ministry area/position)? _____

volunteer ability

I am able to volunteer on: Sunday Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday Friday Saturday
I am able to work the following times: a.m. hours p.m. hours weekdays weekends

volunteer experience

Have you ever volunteered before? Yes No
Position and description of responsibilities? _____

What talents, interests, skills, and/or training do you have that you feel could be beneficial to SHCC?

Are there any physical limitations or conditions which might prevent you from performing certain types of work? Yes No
If yes, please explain: _____

personal testimony (please use another sheet if additional space is needed)

When we die, our relationship with God will determine where we spend eternity. If you were to stand before God right now and He were to ask you, "Why should I let you into heaven?", what would you say? _____

If you feel you have come to know Christ as your personal Savior, how and where did you take that step? _____

christian commitment

Southport Heights Christian Church Essential Beliefs — Statement of Faith (please initial)

- ___ I believe in one God-Father, Son and Holy Spirit (Matthew 3:16-17; John 14:9-10)
- ___ I believe God is the Creator of all people and of all things (Genesis 1:1; Acts 17:24-28)
- ___ I believe that Jesus Christ is God's only Son, the Savior of the World, and Head of the Church. (John 3:16; Matthew 1:18-21; Colossians 1:13-23)
- ___ I believe the Holy Spirit dwells within every Christian. (John 16:5-15; Romans 8:1-14)
- ___ We believe the Bible is the inspired Word of God and the final authority for all matters of faith. (Romans 15:4; Hebrews 4:13; II Timothy 3:16)
- ___ We believe that every person has worth as a creation of God, but that all have sinned and fall short of the glory of God. (Romans 3:23; I John 1:7)
- ___ We believe that salvation (the forgiveness of sins) is offered to all people and comes only by grace through the blood of Jesus Christ (His death on the cross) and His resurrection from the dead. (Matthew 26:28; Romans 5:8-11; Ephesians 2:8-9; I Corinthians 15:1-4)
- ___ We believe that the church is the body and bride of Christ, founded on the day of Pentecost, consisting of Christians everywhere. (Matthew 16:13-18; Acts 2:14-47)
- ___ We believe the Bible teaches that the pattern to follow to receive Jesus as Savior is to believe in Christ as God's Son and Savior of the world; to repent of personal sin, to confess Christ as Lord, and to be baptized (immersed) into Christ. (John 20:30-31; Acts 2:38; Romans 10:9; Romans 6:1-7)
- ___ We believe it is God's plan for the elders to lead the local Church. (Acts 20:28; I Timothy 3:1-7; I Peter 5:1-4)
- ___ We believe that death seals the eternal destiny of each person. The saved will inherit eternal life; the unsaved, eternal separation from God. (Romans 8:10-11; Daniel 12:2; John 6:47)
- ___ We believe that Jesus will one day return and reign forever as King of Kings and Lord of Lords. (I Thessalonians 4:13-18)

applicant's statement

*I hereby authorize **Southport Heights Christian Church** to do a background check and verify all information contained in this application with any references, my past or present employers, or any other appropriate personnel at my present or past employers, churches or other organizations and any individuals to disclose any and all information to **Southport Heights Christian Church**. I release all such persons or entities from liability that may result or arise from Southport Heights Christian Church's collections of all such evaluations or information or its consideration of my application. **Should my application be accepted, I agree to follow the policies of Southport Heights Christian Church and to refrain from unscriptural conduct in the performance of my services on behalf of the church.** I understand the personal information will be held confidential and secure by the church staff. Applications received from anyone under the age of 18 (minors) will be held to a lower standard of background check, but will receive increased supervision. References for minors must be church members age 18 or older. Service and background checks for minors must be authorized by a parent or guardian through the signature below.*

___ I agree with and personally accept the SHCC statement of faith as stated above.

___ I profess a personal faith and relationship with Jesus Christ as my Lord and Savior.

signature _____

date ____ / ____ / _____