

Skills, Experience & Interest Survey

Discovering how God may use the abilities and experiences within our church family

Purpose: This survey helps church leadership identify members who may be willing to serve, advise, teach, mentor, or assist with church and community ministry needs. Checking an item does not obligate you to serve. It simply lets us know whom we may contact when an appropriate opportunity arises.

1. ABOUT YOU

Name _____

Phone _____

Email _____

☐ I am a church member

☐ I regularly attend

☐ I am a parent/guardian of a child or teen

☐ I prefer to be contacted before my information is shared

2. AVAILABILITY & PREFERRED WAY TO HELP

Check all that apply.

☐ One-time projects

☐ Occasional help as needed

☐ Short-term team or event

☐ Ongoing ministry role

☐ Behind-the-scenes service

☐ Direct work with people

☐ Teach or lead a class

☐ Advise leadership in my field

☐ Mentor or coach someone

☐ Help organize or coordinate

☐ Provide professional services

☐ Donate or loan tools/equipment

Best times: ☐ Weekdays ☐ Weekday evenings ☐ Saturdays ☐ Sundays ☐ Varies / ask me

Limitations, scheduling needs, or other availability notes _____

3. VOCATIONAL SKILLS & PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Check any area in which you have training, paid work experience, certification, strong practical experience, or a willingness to advise.

Education, Children & Youth

☐ Teacher / classroom aide	☐ Tutoring / academic support
☐ Early childhood / childcare	☐ Special education
☐ Youth mentoring / coaching	☐ Curriculum or lesson planning
☐ College / career guidance	☐ Homeschool experience

Health, Care & Helping Professions

☐ Physician / nurse / clinical care	☐ EMT / first aid / CPR
☐ Pharmacy / medication knowledge	☐ Counseling / therapy
☐ Social work / case management	☐ Elder care / caregiving
☐ Nutrition / fitness	☐ Grief or crisis support

Business, Finance & Administration

☐ Accounting / bookkeeping	☐ Banking / financial planning
☐ Insurance	☐ Business owner / entrepreneur
☐ Human resources / hiring	☐ Office administration
☐ Project management	☐ Fundraising / grant writing

Legal, Government & Public Service

☐ Attorney / legal support	☐ Government / municipal work
☐ Law enforcement / security	☐ Fire service / emergency management
☐ Military service	☐ Nonprofit governance / compliance

Technology, Media & Communication

☐ Computer support / networking	☐ Cybersecurity / data protection
☐ Website development	☐ Audio / livestream / projection
☐ Photography / video	☐ Graphic design
☐ Writing / editing	☐ Marketing / social media

3. VOCATIONAL SKILLS & PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE — CONTINUED

Construction, Property & Skilled Trades

☐ General construction / carpentry	☐ Electrical
☐ Plumbing	☐ HVAC
☐ Painting / drywall	☐ Roofing
☐ Welding / metalwork	☐ Flooring / tile
☐ Architecture / engineering	☐ Land surveying / CAD
☐ Building inspection / codes	☐ Facilities maintenance

Transportation, Mechanical & Outdoor Work

☐ Auto or small-engine repair	☐ Commercial driving / transportation
☐ Equipment operation	☐ Landscaping / lawn care
☐ Farming / gardening	☐ Tree work
☐ Outdoor recreation / camping	☐ Logistics / moving / setup

Hospitality, Food & Events

☐ Cooking / catering	☐ Food safety
☐ Hospitality / guest services	☐ Event planning
☐ Decorating	☐ Purchasing / inventory
☐ Sewing / crafts	☐ Music / performing arts

Other Specialized Knowledge

☐ Real estate	☐ Sales / customer service
☐ Translation / second language	☐ Agriculture / animals
☐ Public speaking / training	☐ Research / data analysis

Other vocation, trade, certification, military specialty, or practical skill _____

Current or former occupation _____

Licenses, certifications, or credentials you would like us to know about _____

Tools, equipment, vehicles, meeting space, or other resources you may be willing to make available

4. EXPERIENCE THAT MAY HELP OTHERS

☐ Marriage / family encouragement	☐ Parenting
☐ Foster care / adoption	☐ Grief / loss
☐ Recovery from illness or injury	☐ Caregiving
☐ Job loss / career transition	☐ Financial hardship / budgeting
☐ Addiction recovery support	☐ Military life
☐ Starting or running a business	☐ College / first-generation college experience

Other life experience you may be willing to use to encourage or mentor someone _____

5. MINISTRY & COMMUNITY-OUTREACH INTERESTS

Interest is just as important as prior experience. Check any area you would enjoy exploring.

☐ Children's Church	☐ Coached by Christ
☐ Ranch teen ministry	☐ Young adults
☐ Nursery	☐ Sunday School
☐ Vacation Bible School / special programs	☐ CEF Good News Club
☐ Men's ministry	☐ Prayer ministry
☐ Music / worship support	☐ Audio / livestream support
☐ Visitor welcome / hospitality	☐ Member care / meals / visits
☐ Senior-adult support	☐ Transportation assistance
☐ Community events	☐ Neighborhood outreach
☐ School partnerships / tutoring	☐ Food or clothing assistance
☐ Health / safety workshops	☐ Career mentoring / job readiness
☐ Facility maintenance	☐ Church grounds / beautification
☐ Website / communications	☐ Event setup and cleanup
☐ Administrative support	☐ Missions support

6. HOW WOULD YOU LIKE TO CONTRIBUTE?

☐ I would like to serve now

☐ I may be available for a future need

☐ I would like training before serving

☐ I would assist someone else who is leading

☐ I am comfortable leading a small team

☐ I could teach a one-time class or workshop

☐ I could mentor an individual

☐ I would rather help anonymously or behind the scenes

A skill I would enjoy teaching others _____

A skill I would like to learn _____

A ministry idea I would like Forest Park to consider _____

7. FOLLOW-UP PERMISSION

☐ Yes, church leadership may contact me about opportunities related to this survey.

☐ Please contact me only about the specific areas I checked.

☐ I am sharing information for planning purposes but am not available to serve right now.

Preferred way to contact me _____

Anything else you would like church leadership to know _____

Thank you for helping Forest Park Bible Church recognize and steward the gifts within our church family.

Please return this survey to a church leader or the designated collection location.