

CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

Task with Explanation	Commitment	Count Me In!	I need more info.
Messiah Day School Board – serve a designated term as part of the Messiah’s School Board	1 term		
Messiah PTL – participate in Messiah’s Day School Parent/Teacher League	open		
Adult Christian Growth Team – participate in adult activities to encourage adult Christian growth	1 year		
Sunday Morning Adult Study Leader	(5 to 10 weeks per year)		
Start a Home Bible Study	open		
Start a Men’s or Women’s Bible Study	open		
Sunday School Superintendent for Pre K through 4th Grade – recommend curriculum, procure materials, recruit teachers, and oversee classes on Sunday mornings	1 year		
Sunday School Teacher or Aide Pre K through 4th Grade – use provided curriculum to teach children	weekly on Sun. 1 year		
Communion/Confirmation Teachers for 5th through 8th Grade Students	1 year		
Senior High Sunday Program Leader for 9th through 12th Grade Students	1 year		
Vacation Bible School Director/Planning Team – choose curriculum, procure materials, recruit volunteers, oversee the week’s activities	Jan – end of July 1 year		
Vacation Bible School Volunteer – adults and responsible teenagers to assist with VBS activities, one week each summer	1 week each summer		

CHURCH OPERATIONS

Task with Explanation	Commitment	Count Me In!	I need more info.
Church Council – serve on Church council – meet monthly to oversee the work and mission of the congregation	3 years		
Volunteer Coordinator – coordinates and oversees volunteers and maintains records	1 year		
Office Volunteer (basic) – assist Messiah’s office staff with various duties	as needed		
Office Volunteer (with computer skills) - assist office staff with data entry, email, mass mail-merge, etc.	as needed		
Financial Counters – count weekly offerings	weekly on Sun. 1 year		
Decorating – help to decorate for various holidays	as needed 1 year		
Outside Landscaping, Maintenance, and/or Various Projects	as needed		
Building Projects and/or Repairs	as needed		
Writer/Editor: Prepare and send Messiah Midweek Email Memo.	1 year		
Writer/Editor: occasional projects,	as needed		

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

Task with Explanation	Commitment	Count Me In!	I need more info
Nursery Coordinator – staff and train nursery volunteers	1 year		
Nursery Volunteer – supervise young children in the nursery on Sunday	3 hours on Sun. once per 2-3 months		
Birth to Three Ministry – organize and distribute materials to families with children from birth to 3 years old	1 year		
Wedding Coordinator – coordinate wedding ceremonies	1 year		
Prayer and Praise Ministry – join fellow members in prayer for specific needs.	as needed 1 year		
Bereavement Ministry – distribute materials to families who are grieving the loss of a loved one	as needed 1 year		
Helping Hands – coordinates and assists families with funeral receptions	as needed 1 year		
Eucharist Ministers – make occasional visits and serve communion to persons who are ill or homebound	as needed 1 year		
Shut In Ministry – communicate with the ill or homebound members on a regular basis	1 year		
Sunday Driver - help persons needing transport to come to church	as needed		
Light Repair Ministry - help members/neighbors with basic home maintenance	as needed		
Weekday Transportation - respond to occasional request for help getting to the doctor, etc.	as needed		

FELLOWSHIP

Task with Explanation	Commitment	Count Me In!	I need more info.
Children's Ministries Leader – plan and implement activities for children Pre K through 4 th Grade	1 year		
Children Ministries – assist with activities for children Pre K through 4 th Grade	1 year		
Youth Group Leader for Grades 5th to 8th – plan and implement activities for youth in Grades 5-8	1 year		
Youth Group Volunteer for Grades 5th to 8th – help supervise activities for youth in Grades 5-8	1 year		
Senior High Ministry Assistant - mentor/chaperone teens, either in group activities or one-on-one	1 year		
Youth Group Volunteer for Grades 9th-12th – help supervise activities for youth in Grades 9-12	1 year		
Young in Spirit – participate in Senior activities	open		
Special Event Coordinator – plan and coordinate special events	1 year		
Special Event Volunteer – assist with special events	1 year		
Lenten Soup Supper Coordinator – coordinate and implement weekly soup suppers on Wednesdays during Lent	1 year		
Lenten Soup Supper Volunteer – assist with weekly soup suppers on Wednesdays during Lent	1 year		
Sunday Coffee Hour Volunteer - host a Sunday a.m. coffee hour.	once every 2-3 months		

OUTREACH

Task with Explanation	Commitment	Count Me In!	I need more info.
Community Connections Team – make personal contact with visitors and non-members in the community	biweekly 1 year		
Mission Project Leader – Coordinate and lead various projects	per project		
Mission Project Participant – Participate and assist in various projects	per project		
Mission Trip Leader – Coordinate and lead various adult trips	per project		
Mission Trip Participant – participate in various adult trips	per project		
Youth Mission Trip Leader – Coordinate and lead various high school youth trips	per project		
Youth Mission Trip Chaperone – participate as a chaperone with high school youth	per project		
Messiah in the City Mission – participate in connecting with various missions	1 year		
Luther Memorial School Volunteer (tutoring)	1 year		
Luther Memorial School Volunteer (light repair work)	1 year		
Welcome Table Coordinator – coordinates staffing of Welcome Table	1 year		

OUTREACH (continued)

Task with Explanation	Commitment	Count Me In!	I need more info.
Welcome Table Volunteer – staff Welcome Table on Sunday mornings	30-min periodic		
Delegates – represent Messiah as a delegate to various affiliated organizations (i.e. Lutheran Home, ELCA)	various		
ESL (English as a Second Language) Instructor – teach English to adults using a provided program	1 year 2x week		
Public Relations Team- help plan and implement a program to raise Messiah's profile in the neighborhoods we serve	1 year		
Publicity designer- design brochures, flyers, posters, etc. for distribution	per project		
Community Event Planner - develop an event that will help Messiah connect with our neighbors	per project		
Website Reviewer- track developments on Messiah's website, suggest additions/improvements	1 year		
Orientation Coordinator- oversee/implement orientation events for people new to Messiah (3 Saturday mornings per year)	1 year		
Mentor/Befriend New Members- help a new member/family connect to Messiah	6 months		
Music for Tuesdays Coffee Coordinator- set up and serve refreshments for Tuesday music series, (11:30 to 1:30, fall and spring)	1 year		

WORSHIP & MUSIC

Task with Explanation	Commitment	Count Me In!	I need more info.
Deacon – serve to oversee worship service	3 years		
Stewardship Team – works to strengthen congregational giving	1 year		
Altar Guild – prepares altar for service	1 year		
Usher – pass bulletins, pass offering plates, assist with seating	1 year		
Lector – read lessons aloud	1 year		
Greeter – greet worshipers as they enter the Sanctuary	1 year		
Communion Assistants – assist with serving Communion	1 year		
Bell Choir	1 year commitment		
Messiah Choir	1 year commitment		
Youth Orchestra	1 year commitment		
Start /Join a Worship Band	1 year commitment		