

Ministry Application

NAME: _____

The following questions are designed to help us know you better. All who work and/or volunteer here at Joshua Springs are required to complete this application and attach a copy of your driver's license and/or picture ID.

Please mark which ministry/ministries you are interested in serving:

- Joshua Springs Calvary Chapel
- Joshua Springs Christian School
- Calvary Bible Institute
- Joshua Springs Thrift Store

For Children's and/or Youth ministries, which would you like to serve in? Check all that apply.

- Children's Ministry
 - Nursery/Pre-School
 Sunday 10:00am Sunday 6:00pm Wednesday 6:30pm
 - Kinder – 2nd Grade
 Sunday 10:00am Sunday 6:00pm Wednesday 6:30pm
 - 3rd – 5th Grade
 Sunday 10:00am Sunday 6:00pm Wednesday 6:30pm
 - Women's Bible Study
 Tuesday Morning Tuesday Evening
 - Vacation Bible School Volunteer
- Youth Ministry
 - Middle School (6th – 8th Grade)
 - High School (9th – 12th Grade)
- Other _____

The following aged children and youth can work in our classrooms:
Ages 10-12 may work with preschool
Ages 13+ may work in toddlers, preschoolers, or Kinder – 2nd Grade
Ages 16+ may work in any class (including nursery)

QUALIFICATIONS FOR ALL VOLUNTEERS:

- **Must be "born again".**
- **Must be in agreement with the pastors and staff of Joshua Springs and be attending Joshua Springs Calvary Chapel on a regular basis for bible study and worship.**
- **Strive to model a biblical Christian lifestyle, representing this ministry with biblically-based Christian morals and ethics 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, 365 days a year...24/7/365,**
- **Based on this policy, social media, outside event, and personal lifestyle choices which are contrary to God's word or the ministry's expectation could result in dismissal from a position.**
- **Church attendance and volunteering are not the same. Serving in any ministry does not qualify as church attendance.**
- **Must be able to make a minimum 3-month commitment and give a 30-day notice before resigning from your post.**
- **Must be neat and modest in appearance.**
- **Be at your designated post a minimum of 15 minutes before service begins.**
- **Must attend all mandatory meetings.**

I have read the above qualifications and pledge to keep them to the very best of my ability. I clearly understand that failure to keep any of the above qualifications is grounds for dismissal.

Signature _____ **Date:** _____
Parent Signature (if a minor) _____ **Date:** _____

Statement of Faith

In order to identify the church as conservative in theology, and evangelical in spirit, we set forth this general statement of fundamental beliefs, also known as our Statement of Faith:

- We believe the Bible to be the inspired, the only infallible, authoritative Word of God. (2 Peter 1:20-21 & 2 Timothy 3:16-17)
- We believe that there is only one God, eternally existent in three persons; Father, Son and Holy Spirit. (John 14:16-17, Matthew 28:19, & Deuteronomy 6:4)
- We believe in the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His substitution and his atoning death through His shed blood, in his bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father, and in His personal return in power and glory
- We believe that lost and sinful man must be saved, and that man's only hope of redemption is through the shed blood of Jesus Christ, the Son of God. (Romans 3:23 & 2 Peter 1:18-19)
- We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit by whose indwelling the Christian is enabled to lead a Godly life. • We believe in the resurrection of both the saved and unsaved: those that are saved unto the resurrection of life and those that are unsaved unto the resurrection of damnation. (Daniel 12:2)
- We believe in the spiritual unity of the believers in our Lord Jesus Christ. (I Corinthians 12:12-13)

The Church will observe regularly the two New Testament ordinances of water baptism and the Lord's Supper. These ordinances are observed in obedience to our Lord Jesus Christ, as acts of love and devotion, and are not to be considered necessary for our salvation.

Are you in agreement with our doctrinal statement of faith? INITIAL: Yes _____ No _____
If not, where do you differ? _____

Please briefly state your beliefs on the following. This is not a test; we simply want to know your beliefs on important doctrinal issues to our ministry.

Do you believe the scriptures are infallible and inspired by God? _____
What is your understanding of the Trinity? _____

Is Jesus God? _____
How do you know you are saved? _____

Why should a person be baptized? _____

Why is the resurrection of Christ important? _____

Do you believe Jesus is coming again? _____

Personal Information

Name: _____ Date: _____

Male ____ Female ____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: ____ Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Marital Status: _____ Spouse's name: _____

If married, is your spouse a believer? Yes ____ No ____

Name(s) and age(s) of children:

Have you ever been arrested for anything other than traffic violation? _____

If yes, please explain: _____

Have you ever been accused of molesting or physically abusing a child? _____

If yes, please make an appointment to explain. Areas of talent or interest?

Do you have a preference as to what area of the ministry you will be involved in?

Have you had any prior training or experience in working in this ministry? Yes ____ No ____

If yes, please explain:

Do you have any specific skills or gifts you wish to share?

Please share your testimony (when and how you came to know Jesus Christ as your Lord and Savior, and what that means to you now and eternally):

Do you faithfully support the ministry of this church by regular attendance? Yes _____ No _____

Which Sunday service do you attend? 8:00am _____ 10:00am _____ 6:00pm _____

Do you regularly attend the mid-week Bible Study? Yes _____ No _____

Are you satisfied with your relationship with Christ? Yes _____ No _____

Why or why not?

What are you doing to grow in Christ? _____

How long has Joshua Springs been your home church? _____

Where did you fellowship prior to Joshua Springs? _____

Reasons for leaving your prior church? _____

Being involved in a ministry at JSCC will require faithfulness and diligence to your commitment. Are you willing to commit to being faithful in a ministry? Yes No Are you willing to joyfully submit to the ministry leaders over you? Yes _____ No _____

May we call on you in times of need? _____

Please give a general statement regarding your health:

Do you have any health concerns (allergies e.g. food, pet, dust, etc.) or physical limitations (for your safety e.g. standing for extended periods) we should be aware of? If so, please give a brief explanation:

If required, can you lift up to 50 pounds? Yes _____ No _____

If not, please explain:

Reference Information

Please give 2 personal references, not related to you, that have known you for at least one year:

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____ Years Known: _____

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ Zip: _____ Years Known: _____

I hereby acknowledge that the above statements and information are true and correct to the best of my ability. I authorize Joshua Springs to verify all information contained in this application including my references. I authorize any references listed on this application to give Joshua Springs any information that they may have regarding my character and fitness for ministry.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION CONSENT

(10 YEAR HISTORY REQUIRED – USE BACK OF FORM IF NECESSARY)

(ALL LINES MUST BE FILLED IN TO SUBMIT THIS FORM)

I, _____ (applicant complete name), hereby authorize Joshua Springs Calvary Chapel and/or its agents to make an independent investigation of my background, references, character, past employment, education, criminal or police records, including those maintained by both public and private organizations and all public records for the purpose of confirming the information contained on my application and/or obtaining other information, which may be material to my qualifications as a volunteer or for employment now, and if applicable, during the tenure of my volunteering or employment with Joshua Springs Calvary Chapel.

I release Joshua Springs Calvary Chapel and/or its agents and any person or entity, which provides information pursuant to this authorization, from all liabilities, claims, or lawsuits in regard to the information obtained from any and all of the above referenced sources used.

If you would like a copy of the results, please write your email:

_____@_____

(ALL LINES MUST BE FILLED IN TO SUBMIT THIS FORM)

Full Name (please print): _____
 First Middle Last

Date of Birth: _____ Social Security: _____

Driver's License: _____ State of License: _____

Maiden Name or other names used: _____

Present Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

How Long? _____

Former Street Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

How Long? _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

(PLEASE ATTACH A COPY OF YOUR DRIVER'S LICENSE. WE CAN'T REQUEST A BACKGROUND WITHOUT IT)

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Lifestyle Statement

Joshua Springs Calvary Chapel (**hereinafter called JSCC**) is a religious, non-profit Christian church/school organization representing Jesus Christ throughout the evangelical Christian community worldwide. JSCC requires its employees to be born again Christians, living their lives as Christian role models (Rom. 10:9-10; I Tim. 4:12; Luke 6:40). Employees will conduct themselves in a way that will not raise questions regarding their Christian testimonies. A Christian lifestyle should reflect the biblical perspective of integrity and appropriate personal and family relationships, business conduct and moral behavior. An employee is expected to demonstrate a teachable spirit, an ability to share love for others, a willingness to live contentedly under authority and a commitment to follow the Matthew 18 principle when an issue arises with fellow employees or management.

The JSCC Statement of Faith expects employees to maintain a lifestyle based on biblical standards of moral conduct. Moral misconduct, which violates the bona fide occupational qualification for employees to be Christian role models, includes, but is not limited to, promiscuity, homosexual behavior or any other violation of the unique roles of male and female. (Rom. 1:21-27; I Cor. 6:9-20). JSCC believes that biblical marriage is limited to a covenant relationship between a man and a woman.

JSCC employees will maintain a lifestyle based on biblical standards of conduct. Failure to do so may result in a reprimand or, in some cases, dismissal from employment. It is the goal of JSCC that each employee will have a lifestyle where "...He might have the pre-eminence." Col. 1:18.

I declare that I am in agreement with the above statements. My signature below indicates that I meet the moral integrity standards and Christian role model lifestyle requirement of Joshua Springs Calvary Chapel.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Supervisor's Signature *after* discussion with applicant/volunteer

Date