# **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES**





ACCELERATE YOUR SPIRITUAL DEVELOPMENT THROUGH SERVICE



















START where YOU ARE

USE what YOU HAVE

DO what YOU CAN

At Excel Church we believe that every individual has gifts and abilities given by God to be used to serve others. The Bible describes the church as a body. In the natural, all parts of the body have different roles to play. So it is in church. We all have a part to play.

There are lots of different opportunities at Excel Church to enable you to play your part. This booklet gives an overview of the volunteering opportunities available. If you need help to decide where you might best fit we run a course called 'Excelerate' which will help you discover your gifts and abilities. Please ask for more details if you are interested in attending this course.

Volunteering is a great way of making new friends and will help you to feel part of Excel Church family.

Dek Dudfield Senior Pastor

## **KIDSHAPE**

**Sunday mornings** 

#### How you can help:

- Register
- Craft
- Set-up
- Leading
- AV tech support
- Teaching

# PRIMARY SCHOOLS MINISTRY

Ad-hoc throughout the year

#### How you can help:

- Leading or supporting in:
- Assemblies
- Lunch Clubs
- Mentoring Groups
- School visits to Church

# **GFORCE**

#### Friday nights in term-time

#### How you can help:

- Register
- Set-up
- Leading or telling the story
- Minibus driver or chaperone
- Parent's Cafe
- AV tech support

## **HOLIDAY CLUB**

1 week during the summer

- Set building
- Painting
- Crafts & Fun Day activities
- Registration & Supervision
- Leading or acting
- AV tech support

# **ONEIGHTY**

Friday evenings in term-time

#### How you can help:

- Set-up and pack down
- Tuck shop
- Register
- Minibus driver or chaperone

#### **Supporting SMALL GROUPS:**

- 1:1 mentoring
- Discipleship
- Leading or co-leading bible studies and/or Youth Alpha

#### **Supporting SATURDAYS IN THE PARK:**

- Leading or participating in sports
- Befriending young people

# SECONDARY SCHOOLS MINISTRY

Ad-hoc throughout the year

#### How you can help:

- Leading or supporting in:
- Lunch clubs
- Courses

### **IGNITE**

**Sunday mornings** 

- Study leader
- \* There are also opportunities to help at Summer Youth Camp, trips, band rehearsals, and one-off events.

# **SANTA'S GROTTO**

Annually - 2 weeks leading up to Christmas

#### How you can help:

- Set building
- Preparing refreshments
- Photographer
- Photo editor
- Elves!
- The man in red!

# **FOODBANK**

Mondays, Tuesdays & Wednesdays

#### How you can help:

- Delivering food parcels
- Collecting food surplus
- General support

## **ADVICE SERVICE**

Monday afternoons & by appointment

- Assisting with form-filling
- Assisting with job search
- Advocacy
- Research
- \* Training can be arranged



# NOAH'S ARK Playgroup

Wednesday afternoons & Friday mornings during term-time

How you can help:

- Set up and pack down
- Preparing refreshments
- Storytelling

# **EXCEL COMPANIONS**

Senior Citizens' Luncheon Every Thursday afternoon

How you can help:

- Serving meals
- Cooking
- Set up and pack down
- Kitchen helper

## **ONEIGHTEA TUESDAYS**

Youth and Homework Club
2nd & 4th Tuesday evening of
every month

- Helping with homework
- Cooking
- Befriending
- Set up and pack down





# SPORTS MINISTRY Get active; keep fit!

Various days throughout the week/month

How you can help:

- Organising sports activities
- Providing transport
- Washing kit
- Storing equipment
- Registration

# **BPC CAFE (NEW)**

Building relationships with people in our community
Wednesday mornings

- Befriending
- Kitchen assistant
- Set up and pack down



# **EVENTS**

# **WORSHIP TEAM**

#### Roles:

- Vocalists
- Instrumentalists

# **WELCOME TEAM**

#### How you can help:

- Meet & greet
- Car park management
- Event management

# **HOSPITALITY**

#### How you can help:

- Food & drinks preparation
- Cooking/baking
- Room & table decoration
- Washing up/Cleaning

# **PRISON MINISTRY**

#### **Roles:**

- Worship
- Befriending
- Prayer Team
- Letter writing

# **MINISTRY SUPPORT**

#### There are opportunities to support:

- Devoted Women's Ministry
- Courageous Men Men's Ministry
- Prayer Team
- Connect Groups
- Care Home Ministry

# **OTHER SUPPORT**

#### **Roles:**

- AV Technician
- Minibus driver
- Fire Marshall
- First Aider
- Data Controller

# **FINANCE TEAM**

#### How you can help:

- Cashing up after Sunday service
- Ticket sales & card payments
- Accounting team member

# **OFFICE SUPPORT**

#### How you can help:

- Creating and/or maintaining spreadsheets and databases
- Basic data analysis & reporting
- General clerical tasks e.g. photocopying, laminating etc.

# **MEDIA**

#### How you can help:

- Graphic design
- Video editing
- Video recording
- Photography
- Church News Presenter
- Website design & maintenance
- Social media marketing & management

# **CHURCH ONLINE**

- Live streaming
- Presenting online church
- Camera operator

# **ESTATES & MAINTENANCE**

#### How you can help:

- Cleaning
- Gardening
- Painting
- Plumbing
- Carpentry
- General maintenance & caretaking
- Excess waste removal i.e. trips to the tip!
- Key holding responsibilities for external events



DO YOU HAVE ANY OTHER SKILLS? Then please chat to us about how you might use them.



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