

# Application for Children and Youth Work 2009 / 10 School Year

Diocese of Grand Rapids

## Confidential

All applicants should complete this application for any position (volunteer or compensated) involving the supervision or custody of minors. It is designed to help the church provide a safe and secure environment for those children and youth who participate in our programs and use our facilities.

### Personal

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name:

\_\_\_\_\_

Last

First

Middle

(Maiden)

Present Address:

\_\_\_\_\_

Number

Street

City

Zip

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Sex: \_\_\_Male \_\_\_Female

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

What type of children / youth work do you prefer?

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

On what date would you be available? \_\_\_\_\_

Minimum Length of Commitment: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital Status:

Married\_\_\_Single\_\_\_Engaged\_\_\_Separated\_\_\_Divorced\_\_\_Remarried\_\_\_Widowed\_\_\_

Do you have any physical handicaps or conditions preventing you from performing certain types of activities relating to youth or children's work? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_

If yes, please explain \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever been convicted of a misdemeanor or a felony? If so, please explain:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

(A criminal record will not necessarily disqualify an applicant.)

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### **Church Activity**

Name of Church that you are a member of: \_\_\_\_\_

List (name and address) of other churches you have attended regularly during the past 5 years.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

List all previous church work involving children and youth (identify church and type of work).

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

List any gifts, callings, training, education or other factors that have prepared you for children/youth work.

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### **Personal References**

(Do not list former employers or relatives)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Applicant's Statement and Confidentiality Agreement**

The information contained in this application is correct to the best of my knowledge. I authorize any references or churches listed in this application to give you any information they may have regarding my character and fitness for children/youth work. I also give permission to the Michigan State Police and all other law enforcement agencies to release all information about any criminal convictions on my record. I release all such references from liability for any damage that may result from furnishing such evaluations to you. I waive any right that I have to inspect references provided on my behalf.

Should my application be accepted, I agree to be bound by the Constitution and Bylaws and policies and to refrain from unscriptural conduct in the performance of my services on behalf of the church.

I understand that anything I may hear or see within the classroom environment is to be kept strictly confidential between the teacher, the student, and myself. I will report any areas of concern directly to the teacher. I will follow these measures to protect the best interest of the student.

Applicants Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Witness: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_