

# Interested in being a Teacher for Sunday School?



A Sunday school teacher has a worthy and noble task – teaching the Bible and being a shepherd for each of our children. We are looking for teachers who are willing to serve in students Nursery to 6<sup>th</sup> grade. This packet contains information about what being a Sunday school teacher entails at CCPC. We hope that you will be in prayer as you make this decision about wanting to join our ministry.

**Our Vision:** Sunday School Ministry exists to help children know Jesus and put their faith in Him.

## **Mark 10:14 Mission Statement:**

1) **Be a Friend.** We seek to understand our children, and to embody God's love for them so that they feel empowered to learn, worship and ask kid-questions.

2) **God's Word** is the spiritual food for growing children. Teachers help their students to understand the word through Sunday school lessons, and helps children apply God's Word to their lives.

3) **Prayer.** Ultimately, it is God who works in the hearts of these children. We entrust these children to God by taking time each week to pray for each of our students.

## QUALIFICATIONS FOR A SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER

1.) **Follower of Christ:** You acknowledge Jesus as your Lord and Savior and strive to grow like Him through daily Bible reading and prayer.

2.) **Christ Central Presbyterian Church Involvement (Mandatory)**

- a. **Installed Member of CCPC**
- b. **1 Year of Attendance at Christ Central Presbyterian Church (worshipping regularly)**

## WHAT IS EXPECTED OF ME?

The most significant commitment you will be making as a teacher for Sunday School is your **presence**. By being there for your students week by week, you demonstrate your care for them and strengthen the Sunday School Ministry team as a whole.

### **1.) TIME COMMITMENT**

A.) **Length of Commitment:** September 2015 – June 2016

B.) **MANDATORY Teacher's Training:** August 1<sup>st</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup>, 23<sup>rd</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>

C.) **Sunday School:** Teachers are required to attend Teachers' Service in the morning and teach students during worship time.

**Teachers' Service 9:20 am - 9:50 am**  
**Teaching Time 10:20 am - 11:15 am**

Additionally, teachers are expected to spend **30-40 minutes each week to prepare** for their Sunday school class and to pray for their students.

D.) **Monthly Teacher's Meetings** – a **ONE HOUR meeting** the FIRST Sunday of each month.

### **2.) CHRIST-LIKE CHARACTER**

While we all struggle against sin, **Christians in teaching positions** are called to be examples of Christ-like character in every part of our lives, and especially, as we minister to these young children.

## **APPLICATION PROCESS**

- 1.) Fill out an Application Form and return to your respective Director.  
(Due: July 26<sup>th</sup>, 2015)
- 2.) Interview with your respective Director. (*via phone call or over coffee*)
- 3.) Applicants are submitted to be approved by the Deacon and Elder Board.

*If you're still not sure. . . here are a couple of things you can do to check out Sunday School Ministry:*

- a. Meet with previous teachers and current directors.
- b. Arrange to visit us downstairs during Sunday Bible Study and "shadow" teachers