

**ST. PAUL LUTHERAN CHURCH
TEENAGE WORKER APPLICATION**

This form is to be completed by any teenage worker (paid or volunteer) who has the responsibility of working with, supervising, or caring for children, other youth, and/or dependent adults.

Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Present Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home Phone Number: _____ E-mail address: _____

School _____ Last Grade Completed _____

Please list all the states you have lived in. Include the dates you lived in each state. _____

Work Experience: Please list your current and previous employers (company name, position held and dates of employment). _____

Previous Volunteer Experience: _____

Personal References:

Name _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____

Length of time you have known the reference: _____

Relationship to reference: _____

Name _____

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Daytime Phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____

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Name _____

Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Daytime Phone: _____ Evening Phone: _____

Length of time you have known the reference: _____

Relationship to reference: _____

Are you currently a member of St. Paul Lutheran Church? _____ How long have you been a member? _____

TEENAGE WORKER PARTICIPATION COVENANT STATEMENT

I understand that in serving as a volunteer or in a paid position for St. Paul Lutheran Church I am willing to abide by the policies and procedures of St. Paul Lutheran Church as presented in the Safe and Friendly Environment (SAFE) Policies and Procedures document. I understand that child abuse is a serious matter and I will do my part to provide a safe and friendly environment for children and youth at St. Paul Lutheran Church and will do my part to prevent child abuse while serving at St. Paul Lutheran Church.

Please answer the following questions:

1. As a volunteer in this congregation, do you agree to observe and abide by all church policies regarding working in ministries with children and youth? Yes No
2. As a volunteer in this congregation, do you agree to observe the "Two-Adult Rule" at all times? Yes No
3. As a volunteer in this congregation, do you agree to abide by the six-month rule before beginning a volunteer assignment? Yes No
4. As a volunteer in this congregation, do you agree to participate in training and education events provided by the church related to your volunteer assignment? Yes No
5. As a volunteer in this congregation, do you agree to promptly report abusive or inappropriate behavior to your supervisor? Yes No

I have read this **Participation Covenant**, and I agree to observe and abide by the policies set forth above.

Signature of Teenage Worker

Date

I do not know of any reason why my child should not serve as a teenage worker. He/She does not demonstrate any signs of being a potential risk to the church or its members.

I give permission to St. Paul Lutheran Church to verify the information my child has provided on this application by contacting the references and employers listed, by conducting a criminal records check, or by other means, including others who have not been listed.

Signature of Parent or Guardian

Date

Please return the completed application to:

Church Office
St. Paul Lutheran Church
610 15th Street
Ames, Iowa 50010

