

Ministry Interest Form

If you are interested in serving on one of Abiding Saviors Ministry Teams or if you wish to get more information about a ministry opportunity, please fill out this form and return it to Julie Schmid, Volunteer Coordinator at Abiding Savior Lutheran Church.

NAME:

PHONE:

E-MAIL ADDRESS:

I am interested in the following:

Please place this form in Julie Schmid's mailbox.
Thank You!

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Opportunities



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“It was He who gave some to be apostles , some to be prophets, some to be evangelists, and some to be pastors and teachers, to prepare God’s people for works of service, so that the body of Christ may be built up until we all reach unity in the faith and in the knowledge of the Son of God and become mature, attaining to the whole measure of the fullness of Christ.”

Ephesians 4:11-13

Our Lord has blessed Abiding Savior Lutheran Church with many service opportunities! We would like to share those opportunities with you and invite you to get involved. This brochure quickly highlights those areas in order to help you find easy connections into His church.

In His Service,

Julie Schmid

lives by mentoring and educating, supporting and reaching out through opportunities to experience Christ in study of His Word, service, fellowship, outreach, and mission. Areas to serve in this ministry are as a Chaperone, a Mentor, teacher, an Event Leader or on the Youth Board.

Amanda Rowland.....arowland@abidingsaviorlutheran.org



advertising, crafts, and mail.

Bev Gruenwald.....bgruenwald@abdingsaviorlutheran.org

Stewardship Ministry

The Lord has called us to be good stewards of His blessings! God has blessed us richly which in turn we can give back to Him and His Church through our time, talent, and treasure.

Les Nappier.....lnappier@megamet.com

Volunteer Coordinator

Connecting people into the life of His church is fun! According to Ephesians 4:11-13, God has called each of us to serve each other in order to build up His church. There are many opportunities available.

Julie Schmid.....jschmid@abdingsaviorlutheran.org

Women's Ministry

Striving to serve women of all seasons! Our women's ministries include opportunities in various Bible studies, Retreats, Advent-Tea by Candle-Light, and Secret Sister.

Worship & Music Ministry

Worship is our response to God's gracious and free gift to us for forgiveness and salvation. His desire for us is to use the gifts and talents He has given us in service to Him. Worship and music are excellent areas in which to both praise and serve. His mission for us is to serve God through uplifting, Spirit-Lead worship! There are many areas in which to get involved like on a team of Readers, a team of Ushers, the Children's Message team, the Worship team, as the Power Point Coordinator, the Power Point Team, the Communion Prep Team, Acolyte Team, Praise Band & Instruments, Anthem Choir, Worship Choir, or Praise Band Vocals.

Steve Gruenwald.....steve.gruenwald@concordiaplans.org

Youth Ministry

We will be a family-friendly youth ministry that changes

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A.C.T.S. Group

A.C.T.S. is an acronym for Anchoring in prayer, Connecting people, Transforming lives, and Studying God's word. ACTS groups are small groups that meet regularly for informal Bible study, fellowship, and prayer. These family-sized Bible study groups welcome everyone and meet in homes throughout the area .

Assimilation Ministry

The assimilation ministry will meet, welcome, and integrate visitors into our church family. Our mission is that each person grows to know Christ, which will in turn make Christ known through that person's service to the Lord. Opportunities are available for special events like our New member luncheons, sponsoring a family, New Member Biographer/photographer, etc. Debbie Younglove.....Debbie.Younglove@roadway.com

Christian Concerns Ministry

The Christian Concerns ministry will encourage people in their Christian service, coordinating opportunities for them both to be helped and to help others, so sharing God's love. More specifically, Christian Concerns Ministry will be caring and encouraging members to care for others and their needs, "doing deeds of love in Jesus' name." Opportunities include our Prayer Chain Teams, Seminary Connection, Deliver-a-meal, love basket, College Student Care, the Giving Tree, and Card Ministry, and Feed My People.

Megann Meurer.....mmeurer26@yahoo.com

Christian Growth Ministry

The mission for us is simple, "to grow in the grace and knowledge of Jesus Christ! (2 Peter 3:18) We will provide leadership and opportunities for the spiritual education and programs for our congregation. Opportunities include Adult Bible Study Leaders,

Teachers/Shepherds in Kingdom Quest, Confirmation, and our Drama Ministry.

Scott Miller.....scott.miller@sgsintl.com

Church Administrative Assistance

Christina Lashley is our Administrative Assistant and is always looking for more volunteers to assist in office needs.

Christina Lashley.....clashley@abidingsaviorlutheran.org

Elder

The Board of Elders will support the Pastoral Ministry, praying for our church including the pastor. We are to promote peace, love, and harmony throughout the congregation. We are an extension of the pastoral office therefore, in times of conflict, anything brought to our attention in these matters must be kept in strict confidence. We will continually work with the pastor spiritually supporting all ministries of the congregation and help administer the Word and Sacraments.

Fellowship Ministry

Fellowship is about creating a friendly, social atmosphere for fun. This ministry values hospitality, serving, a positive attitude, and doing our best. Opportunities include serving luncheons, Advent/Lenten meals, coffee hour, promoting social events, etc.

Pat Dorris.....patricia.dorris@thrivent.com

Men's Ministry

The Men's Ministry participates in the life of the congregation wherever needed. For example, they have worked on special projects like the care of the Athletic field, may offer service to needy members (roofing), sponsor opportunities for Bible Study Growth and Retreats, and Mentor the youth.

Mike Kurtz.....kurtz83@netzero.net

Outreach Ministry

To be a light to our guests, our congregation, and the community by sharing the hope that is found only through faith in Christ Jesus. To know Christ and make him known! Opportunities in this area include serving as a Greeter, Front Porch Visitor, being a follow-up caller, Visitation Coordinator, Evangelism Coordinator, Missions Coordinator, Public Relations Coordinator and serving on the 25th Anniversary Committee.

Practical Services Ministry

The practical services ministry is devoted to the proper maintenance and care of the building and grounds to the glory of God. They aspire to value the church and school property and maintain them to the best of their abilities while being good stewards of the gifts the Lord has bestowed upon Abiding Savior! There are many opportunities available as we strive to maintain our church and school with excellence.

Mike Bram.....beaverlakefarm@prodigy.net

Abiding Savior Lutheran School Ministry (ASLS)

Abiding Savior Lutheran School educates the body and soul! It is our goal to provide Lutheran, Christian education nurturing both students and families. Our students will grow in faith as they learn and are challenged in an accredited classroom.

Laura Montgomery.....lmontgomery@abidingsaviorlutheran.org

1.) **Administrative Assistance** which may include making copies, receptionist, newsletter assembly and/or other office work.

Sue Robertson.....srobertson@abidingsaviorlutheran.org

2.) **Early Childhood Ministry** which provides a loving, Christian environment in which children ages 2-5 can learn and develop. There are many opportunities available to help with this outreach like sewing,