



Job Description – Junior Church Volunteer

Job Summary

To create a safe, engaging and enjoyable environment for primary school aged children during part of Sunday morning worship to enable the children to learn about faith in Jesus.

Responsible to: The deacon responsible for Children's work.

Commitment: To be on a rota between 1 out of 2 and 1 out of 4 Sundays.

Key Responsibilities

To prepare classroom materials, crafts and lessons in advance to ensure smooth operation. (possibly using provided curriculum and resources).

To lead bible stories, activities and discussions appropriate to the age of the children.

To ensure the overall well being and safety of the children at all times, maintaining records if needed, e.g. the accident book.

To communicate with the parents/carers and make sure that children return to the care of their parents/carers after the session.

To tidy the classroom after the session.

To become familiar with and comply with the church's safeguarding policy and be prepared to attend Baptist Union level 2 Safeguarding training.

Maintain confidentiality regarding personal information about children and families.

Person Specification – Junior Church Volunteer

A committed Christian and regular attender of Carey Memorial Baptist Church.

Have some experience of interacting with children and a desire to share the love of Jesus with children.

An ability to communicate with children and to be creative.

Have a caring, patient and empathetic nature.

A commitment to good practice in safeguarding and a clear enhanced DBS check.

To work as part of a team on a rota basis. Minimum of 2 volunteers per session.