

A Covenant For Ministry

Ministry Area		Name of Ministry	Description
Worship and Arts	General Worship Assistance	Sunday Morning Driver	Provide rides to church for senior members by either driving the van or your car
		Linens Laundered	Weekly laundry of kitchen towels and linens for worship & fellowship
		Sunday Flowers	Provide flowers in worship services
		Youth Praise Band	Gives our Youth an opportunity to help lead and provide special music in worship
		Children's Choir Parent	Assist the director with non-musical details
		Children's Choir Accompanist	Provides accompaniment for rehearsals and performances
	Sanctuary Worship	Chancel Choir	Leads in worship at Sanctuary worship services at 8:30 and/or 10:45
		Adult Hand Bells	Provides special music at the Sanctuary and Launch worship services
		Instrumentalist	Adds special accompaniment to Chancel Choir and Hand Bell Choir
		Sound Operator	Operate Sound system for the service and capture audio recording for website
		Video Operator	Operate Video system for the service and capture video recording for website
		Liturgist	Assist the pastor with the service
		Communion Steward	Help prepare and clean up sacramental elements for worship services
		Head Usher	Gathers other ushers, collects offering, takes attendance, and assists in seating
		Altar Guild	Prepare Sanctuary for Worship by setting out paraments, tidying up the space, etc.
		Worship Planning Team	Plans creative worship experiences with pastors
	Launch Worship	Asbury Praise Team Vocalist	Be a singer in the Praise Team on Sundays as well as be at practice prior to service
		Asbury Praise Team Instrumentalist	Play instrument in Praise Team on Sundays as well as be at practice prior to service
		Multimedia Team	Operate the PowerPoint for the Launch Service
		Head Usher	Gathers other ushers, collects offering, takes attendance, and assists in seating
		Sound Operator	Operate Sound system for the service and capture audio recording for website
		Lights Operator	Adjusts and sets lighting for worship
		Video Operator	Operate the video system for the service and capture video recording for website
		Communion Stewards	Help prepare and serve sacramental elements for Launch service
	Young Adults	Design Team	Help design and decorate altar as well as worship space for Launch Service
		Small Group Leader	Help lead and facilitate the Young Adults in deep discussion with Biblical points
		Lead Off-Site Small Group	Gather a small group outside the church for discipleship
Hospitality Ministries	Events Coordinator	Help prepare retreats and mission oriented events	
	Connections Team	A team which oversees and improves how we welcome and connect with guests	
	Breaking Bread Ministry	Prepare a special gift on Sunday for our first time visitors	
	Sacred Grounds	Provide monies for coffee and donuts on Sundays	
	Greeter	Greet those who enter the doors of Asbury on Sunday with the love of Christ	
	Beautification	Furnishing flowers for outdoor containers and/or flowerbeds	
Student Ministries	Family Life Event Team	Serve on team to help design and implement fellowship events for congregation	
	Adult Counselor	Help welcome and connect with Students on their level	
	Sunday School Teacher	Help teach and lead Reverb (Sunday School) on Sunday mornings	
	Help with Special Events/Fundraisers	Assists in providing specific needs for our Student Ministries area	
	Provide Snack Supper	Provide supper on Sunday night	
	Trip Chaperone	Join the youth on trips to camps, retreats, mission projects, & other outings	
Children's Ministries	Lead a Bible Study for Youth	Help design and prepare small group lessons for our Wednesday night	
	Be an Acolyte	Opportunity for children in 3 rd -5 th grade, to help in the Sanctuary service by lighting candles, receiving offering, etc.	
	Be an Acolyte Parent	Assist the acolytes by helping them with their responsibilities and sitting with them during the service.	
	Children's Event's Team	Help plan, organize, and work special events throughout the year (e.g. Fall Festival)	
	Children's Weeknight Ministries	Help teach or assist in the children's program on Wednesday nights	
	Early Childhood Teacher	Help teach or assist in our Preschool (age 3 through K) Sunday School classes	
	Elementary Teacher	Help teach or assist in our Elementary (1 st through 5 th grade) Sunday School classes	
	Kids' Club Worship Helper	Help teach or assist with our children during the 10:45 Worship hour. Two groups of opportunity: 3's - K or 1 st - 5 th grades	
Puppets	Be a part of a fun and entertaining way to share the truth of God's love.		
Children's Sermon	Help share the love of God with our children during the worship service.		

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Children's Ministries	Vacation Bible School	Be a center teacher, guide, assist in the kitchen, or anything to make VBS a success
	Children's Supply Closet Helper	Organize and keep clean the Children's Resource closet
	Cub Scout Pack 24 Leader	Be a Cub Scout leader with Pack 24 on Tuesdays nights
	Boy Scout Troop 24 Leader	Be a Pack leader for Boy Scout Troop 24 on Tuesday nights
	Daisy Girl Scout Leader	Be a leader for the Daisy Girl Scouts on Tuesday nights
Outreach and Missions	Stone Soup	Help prepare and serve meals to area homeless on 4 th Sundays at Quapaw UMC
	Prison Ministry	Assist with worship and support for inmates at a local correctional facility
	Good Samaritan Closet	Assist with organization and dispensing of supplies
	United Methodist Women	Join a UMW circle and participate in their various mission projects and meetings
	Putting Faith to Work	A ministry of preparing persons w/special needs for employment beyond graduation.
	Van Driver – Special Events	Drive the van for special events scheduled for the church
	Asbury Beautification Committee	Assists in the maintenance of flowerbeds and landscaping of church property
	Family to Family Boxes	Prepare food boxes for needy families
	Food Pantry	Help prepare bags of food to distribute to the needy at the church
	Donate to Food Pantry	Bring food items from Food Pantry list
	Change the World Day	Volunteer to help with community service projects
Adult Discipleship	Sunday School Teacher	Serve as a Sunday School Teacher
	Lead Off-Site Small Group	Gather a small group outside the church for discipleship
	Substitute Sunday School Teacher	Be a substitute teacher for Adult Sunday School classes when regular teachers are not available
	Terrific Tuesday Lunch & Program	Help serve, plan, or even provide programming for the monthly group
Church Office	Pick up Supplies	On call runner for office/church supplies (vehicle required)
	Office Volunteer/Phone Receptionist	Receptionist in office (computer skills preferred but not necessary)
	Church History Room	Oversee and keep accurate records of Asbury's history
	Church Library	Help restock Library books; oversee general maintenance of Church Library
Congregational Care	Prepare meal for joy or grief	Help prepare and/or deliver meals for members and friends of Asbury
	Bereavement Team	Coordinate Hospitality for funerals at the church
	Asbury Card Ministry	Help make and send handmade cards for homebound, new visitors, or those in need of encouragement
	Care Team – Hospital Visitation	Assist pastors with hospital visitation of member
	Care Team – Nursing Home Visitation	Assist pastors with visits to area nursing homes or rehab facilities
	Care Team – At Home Member Visitation	Assist pastors with visitation of church family members that are no longer able to come to church
	Charitable donation delivery	Help deliver supplies to Rice Depot or area shelters as needed
Administration	Willing to serve on a Committee	Be open to serving on Church Council, Trustees, Finance, SPRC
	Willing to serve on ACCDC Council	The ACCDC Council is a group of people who govern ACCDC with responsibilities of developing policies, procedures, approving forms and approving the annual budget. (Meets 2-3 times a year).
Witness	Help Implement Special Evangelism events	Having willing hands and hearts to help begin and/or assist during an Evangelism initiative
	Hang Door Hangers	Handing out informational brochures, door hangers; visit new visitors to Asbury
ACCDC	Read Stories	Be willing to read stories to preschoolers
	Help with Chapel	Be willing to help with music or chapel stories once or twice a week
	Rock Babies	Be willing to cuddle and soothe infants.