

# Time, Talent, and Interest

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

*Stewardship is how we use all of the gifts of God. Please prayerfully consider how you might participate in the life of Shiloh Cumberland Presbyterian Church in the year to come. Often in a church, there are abilities that go unused because no one asks for help with a particular task. Consider this your personal invitation to use those gifts! Place a check mark beside the roles you are able and willing to do. Some of these tasks are currently being done by someone in the congregation. If you are that someone, please check the box for those tasks you are willing to continue to do! There are many tasks which are very much in need of being done as well. If you are not currently doing a task but would like to start, please check the box, as well! If more than one person checks a certain task, then we can have a backup for that task, or take turns. The intention is certainly not to take away a task from someone who is currently cheerfully performing that task – only to enable all of us to fully participate in the life of the church. Please note that some jobs (such as treasurer and clerk) are currently filled. Please check those items if you would be willing to take on those jobs should they become vacant at some time in the future.*

*This is the first time we've used such a form, so there are surely items we have omitted. Please add any other ways you feel called to use your time and talents in the "Comments" section below each area. When you are finished, please return your form to Bro. Eric.*

## Christian Discipleship

I am willing to (check all that apply):

- \_\_\_ teach Children's Church (with curriculum provided).
- \_\_\_ teach Sunday School for children.
- \_\_\_ teach Sunday School for adults.
- \_\_\_ serve as a substitute teacher for children.
- \_\_\_ serve as a substitute teacher for adults.
- \_\_\_ assist with Vacation Bible School (likely 1 week in the summer)
  - \_\_\_ teaching \_\_\_ crafts
  - \_\_\_ organizing \_\_\_ snacks
- \_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments:

## Worship

I am willing to (check all that apply):

- serve as worship leader (welcome, lead in responsive readings, introduce hymns, etc.).
- assist with sanctuary preparations for special occasions.
- lead a time of sharing with the children during worship.
- plan and put on a special element of worship (Christmas, Easter, etc.).
- serve as an usher.
- make bread for communion.
- prepare the communion elements for worship.
- regularly play the organ/piano for worship (circle one or both).
- occasionally play another musical instrument for worship.  
Specify instrument(s) \_\_\_\_\_
- serve as substitute organist/pianist for worship (circle one or both).
- sing in the choir.
- lead the choir.
- assist with technology (projector, sound board, etc.).
- change banners and tablecloth when the liturgical season changes.
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments:

## Leadership

I am willing to (check all that apply):

- serve on the church session.
- serve as church treasurer (when the position becomes vacant).
- serve as church clerk (when the position becomes vacant).
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments:

## **Fellowship**

I am willing to (check all that apply):

help provide food for special events/celebrations.

decorate for events

in Ingram-Forester Fellowship Hall.

in the Sanctuary.

set up for church dinners.

clean-up/wash dishes after church dinners.

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments:

## **Member Care**

I am willing to (check all that apply):

visit the homebound / those in extended care facilities.

visit the hospitalized.

check on the recently hospitalized upon their return home.

provide food in time of need.

provide transportation in time of need.

send sympathy cards in times of death or serious illness.

send congratulatory cards for birthdays, graduations, retirement, etc.

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments:

## Outreach

I am willing to (check all that apply):

- deliver gifts and donations to United Neighbors.
- help with sponsorship of families in need (by bringing such needs to the attention of the session, coordinating the assistance, etc.).
- bring needs of the community and world to the attention of the pastor / session.
- serve as a greeter on Sunday morning.
- write a note to visitors and prospective members periodically.
- invite neighbors/friends to worship.
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments:

## Building & Grounds

I am willing to (check all that apply):

- help with upkeep of bathroom supplies (paper towels, toilet paper, soap, tissue, etc.).
- weed and trim bushes.
- check and replace the filters on the heating/cooling system.
- empty garbage cans.
- sweep and vacuum in fellowship hall.
- sweep and vacuum in the sanctuary and basement.
- disinfect and clean toilets and sinks monthly.
- inspect walls and ceiling in the basement and clean any mildew growth.
- dust and pick up trash or clutter inside the church sanctuary.
- periodically replace the filter in the air conditioner/heating system.
- clean out the gutters.
- assist with building problems as they arise.
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

Comments:

## Interests

In this section, please indicate your interests in various aspects of the church's life.

*Please name some of your favorite hymns:*

*What would you like for us to differently in worship?*

*The session is interested in having some church trips. Some possibilities are trips to Montgomery Bell State Park (the site of the founding of the C.P. Church), Camp Clark Williamson (our presbyterial camp near Humboldt), and Carroll Lake. Would you be interested in such trips? If so, what location(s) would you prefer (not limited to those listed above)?*

*Would you be interested in a picnic on the grounds?*

*Would you be interested in church movie nights? If so, do you have any movies to recommend?*

*What other suggestions do you have for church fellowship activities?*

*Do you have any suggestions for revival speakers?*

*What activities would you like us to have for Homecoming?*

*Other comments (use the back)*