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## Simpsonwood United Methodist Church Volunteer Application

Note: All information on this completed form will be kept strictly confidential and access will be restricted to those few people with a legitimate interest in the information.

### Personal Information

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

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

How long at this address? \_\_\_\_\_ Day phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Evening phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell phone: \_\_\_\_\_ email: \_\_\_\_\_

Driver's License Number and State of Issue: \_\_\_\_\_

Are you over 18 years of age? \_\_\_\_\_

Are you at least 5 years older than the age level with which you wish to work? \_\_\_\_\_

### Church History and Prior Work Experience with Children and/or Youth

Are you a member at Simpsonwood? \_\_\_\_\_ How long? \_\_\_\_\_ List previous church names and locations during last 7 years: \_\_\_\_\_

List previous church volunteer positions with children and or youth: \_\_\_\_\_

List previous non-church work involving children and/or youth: \_\_\_\_\_

Age with which you wish to work: \_\_\_\_ 0-2 yrs \_\_\_\_ 3-5 yrs \_\_\_\_ Kdg-5<sup>th</sup> grade \_\_\_\_ 6<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup> grade

Reasons for volunteering for this position: \_\_\_\_\_

List qualities, gifts, training, or experience that prepared you for working with children and/or youth: \_\_\_\_\_

### Criminal History

Have you ever been convicted of or pleaded guilty to a crime, either misdemeanor or felony (including but not limited to drug or alcohol charges, child abuse, other crimes of violence or theft)? \_\_\_\_\_

If yes, please explain fully. \_\_\_\_\_

Were you a victim of abuse or molestation while a minor? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, how do you feel about the incident now? \_\_\_\_\_

(If you prefer, you may refuse to answer this question, or you may discuss your answer in confidence with the ordained clergy rather than answering it on the form. Answering yes or leaving the question unanswered, will not automatically disqualify you from working with children and/or youth.)

### References

Please list 3 references (who are unrelated to you by blood or marriage) and provide contact information for each. As stated above, all responses are kept confidential.

1. Name and Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Day and Evening Phones: \_\_\_\_\_
2. Name and Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Day and Evening Phones: \_\_\_\_\_
3. Name and Address: \_\_\_\_\_