



## **Oakland Children's Ministry**

### **Volunteer Application**

We're so excited that you've decided to volunteer with Oakland Children's Ministry of Oakhurst Church! The leadership of this ministry is not limited to one person but consists of a dedicated team of volunteers who are equally committed to the spiritual and physical care of the youngest among us. YOU are what make this ministry happen—so thank you!

In order to volunteer with us, we do require that you complete a criminal background check and Safe Sanctuaries Training (an online program about sexual abuse that you can complete at your convenience). The safety of our children is our number one priority. We also encourage volunteers to consider First Aid and CPR Training; please let us know below whether you are certified in either of these areas so we can monitor our need to provide training opportunities. We'd also love to hear a little about you and why you've decided to offer your time to the children of Oakhurst. If you have any questions or concerns about any of the questions on this application, or about anything related to your volunteer service, do not hesitate to let me know.

Faithfully,  
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Name:

Email:

Phone Number:

Address:

What led you to volunteer with Oakland Children's Ministry?

In what capacities have you previously worked with children or youth?

Do you have any areas of interest or skills/talents that would aid in your service to our children? (Both for Sunday volunteering and for special events—for example, "crafty," "musical," "flier design," etc)

Please provide two references below (other than family members)

Name:

Phone:

Email:

Relationship to you:

Name:

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Finally, please complete the form attached separately that will allow us to run your background check with Trak-1 Screening Services. I will be in touch with you about the results of this screening, as well as to set up your online Safe Sanctuaries Training.