

foothills alliance church



how do i get involved?

steps to getting involved ...



Thank you for your interest in joining the team of volunteers here at foothills alliance church. Our commitment to you is:

- to help you discover how God has uniquely designed you to serve others
- to help you find a place of serving that fits you best
- to help you grow as a follower of Jesus Christ

Take a moment to check out all of the great opportunities in this booklet and discover a place that fits for you.

What are you good at?
What do you love to do?

To get connected or for help with your questions about getting involved, please contact the church office
(foothills@foothillsalliance.com)

step 1: if you are a newcomer, we would encourage you to first attend our Starting Point class and then proceed through our NextStep classes. Watch the bulletin for times and dates of these classes or contact Clarice Fowler, admin assistant adult ministries (clarice@foothillsalliance.com) at the church office.

step 2: complete our volunteer application form available at the Information Centre. Return the completed form to the Information Centre on weekends or to the church office during the week. It is also available on our website (www.foothillsalliance.com).

step 3: read through the volunteer opportunities in this booklet. Note that the left column lets you know what kind of time commitment is involved and the right column gives an idea of some of the spiritual gifts or strengths that may be involved. Please know that it is not expected that you have all the listed gifts. They are included as a helpful tool.

step 4: contact the church office (foothills@foothillsalliance.com). If you are not sure what your gifts are, we invite you to attend the next class offered on discovering your gifts.



adult ministries

alpha

10 Mondays, 1 hr/night	<u>kitchen crew</u> Set and clear tables, load dishwasher, wash pots and pans	helps hospitality service
10 Mondays, 3 hrs/night	<u>sound/tech</u> Run sound, video and microphones throughout an evening of alpha	helps service
up to 10 Mondays, 20 min/night	<u>worship leader</u> Lead a short worship set (1-2 songs) per evening	music
10 Mondays, 2 hrs/night	<u>welcome, name tag, book table</u> Welcome guests at the beginning of the evening with a hand shake and name tag, sell books at book table throughout the evening	hospitality service helps
10 Mondays, 3½ hrs/ night	<u>table host/leader</u> Lead a table of 6-8 participants for a full alpha course, get to know, love, and minister to your small group and facilitate open discussion following video teaching	leadership hospitality mercy shepherd faith wisdom healing miracles
10 Mondays, 2½ hrs/ night	<u>assistant host/leader</u> Help/assist leading a table of 6-8 participants for a full alpha course. Get to know, love, and minister to your small group	leadership hospitality mercy shepherd faith wisdom healing miracles
10 Mondays, 3 hrs/night	<u>prayer team</u> During the 45 minute small group discussion time, join others in a separate area to pray for spiritual openness and growth of participants	discernment faith mercy intercession

adult ministries continued

10 monday nights, 2½ hrs/night	<u>child care</u> Lead a child care ministry during alpha evenings for participants with smaller children	administration service shepherd
summit		
2-4 sunday nights, 3½ hours/night	<u>teacher</u> Teach a course during a Summit session	teaching exhortation evangelism missionary
life groups		
2-4 nights/ month, 2 hours/ gathering	<u>life group leader</u> Facilitate the gathering of your small group by helping them come together at times and places convenient for all, grow in faith, serve together, and reach out as a community	helps leadership hospitality faith knowledge teaching shepherd
2-4 nights/ month, 2 hours/ gathering	<u>assistant life group leader</u> Assist a small group leader to facilitate the gathering of your small group by helping them come together at times and places convenient for all, grow in faith, serve together, and reach out as a community. The assistant is an apprentice who will one day lead his/her own group	helps leadership hospitality faith knowledge teaching shepherd

adult ministries continued

first impressions		
before & after weekend services, ½ hour	<u>welcome cart host</u> Smile, greet, inform and direct newcomers before and/or after a weekend service	helps hospitality service
before & after weekend services, ½ hour	<u>information centre host</u> Stationed at the Information Centre, you will provide information and direction to people who approach you	helps hospitality service
before a weekend service, ½ hour	<u>greeter</u> Warmly greet people as they enter our facility for worship services. Direct newcomers to appropriate areas (welcome cart, Info Centre, nursery, etc.)	helps hospitality
one service/ weekend , 1 ½ hour	<u>usher</u> Warmly welcome people as they enter the Worship Centre, hand them a bulletin, direct them to a seat. Assist in receiving weekend offerings	helps hospitality service
communion		
once/ month for about 20 minutes	<u>communion server</u> Help a team of folks to serve the elements of communion (cup/bread)	helps
40 minutes before services, once/ month	<u>communion prep</u> Fill communion cups and bread trays before communion services	helps

adult ministries continued

men's ministry	
one time events	<p><u>special events:</u> <i>father/daughter banquet; father/daughter bowling; father/son campout</i> Help organize and run an outreach event for men, fathers, etc.</p> <p>helps hospitality service</p>

women's ministries

womencconnect	
4-8 hrs/ weekly, limited team mtgs.	<p><u>facilitator</u> In conjunction with the Pastor of Women's Ministry, coordinate all of Evening News activities, recruit and support team members, facilitate the choosing of studies, work with church office in booking rooms, request set-ups and food, plan or recruit for special events, align goals and objectives with FAC ministry direction, mentor emerging leaders or women where appropriate</p> <p>leadership administration pastor/shepherd helps teaching discernment</p>
once a week, Sept to April, limited team mtgs, 20 minutes/ weekly, email responses	<p><u>registration & finance</u> Keep track of all the registration money, submit receipts, oversee the Evening News budget</p> <p>administration service hospitality helps</p>
once a week, same as above	<p><u>registration</u> Welcome and greet, ensure everyone is registered, keep track of attendance, monitor the "friendliness" of Evening News so that every woman feels she belongs</p> <p>helps hospitality mercy leadership discernment</p>
once a week, same as above	<p><u>greeter</u> Intentionally ensure that everyone is welcomed</p> <p>hospitality helps</p>

women's ministries continued

womenconnect continued

once a week, Sept to April, weekly attendance and Bible study preparation approx. 3 or more hours	<u>study leader</u> An Evening News small group leader is committed to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Growing in her spiritual life • Faithfully preparing her study • Regularly praying for and contacting each group member • Willingly greet and keep an eye open for women who are in need 	teaching discernment wisdom knowledge
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once a week, Sept to April, limited team mtgs, 20 minutes/ weekly, email responses	<u>sound/tech</u> Set up and run the sound and PowerPoint	helps craftsmanship service
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once a week, same as above	<u>game/ice breaker person</u> Find or create and lead women in fun activities that help them get to know each other. Purposely "tune in" to what is happening at Evening News - for example, are the all ladies fitting in? Make recommendations and/or changes. Work to create engaging open sessions. Lead open sessions as an alternative to the leader	leadership pastor/shepherd helps discernment
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once a week, same as above	<u>member at large</u> Observe, advise and fill in as leader or guest presenter if desired	teaching discernment wisdom mercy
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women's ministries continued

womenconnect continued

once a week, Sept to April, limited team mtgs, 20 minutes/ weekly, email responses	<u>set-up/food</u> Check coffee cart, arrange for food, place simple decorations on tables	helps hospitality service
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new mom's brunch

5 hours per month	<u>coordinator</u> Plan and facilitate semi-annual brunch for all moms with new babies; work with team to arrange food, program and childcare; work with Tiny Blessings coordinator	service hospitality administration mercy
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4 hours per brunch	<u>team member</u> Take minutes, send out communication, keep track of funds	hospitality helps mercy
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2 1/2 hours/ 2x per year	<u>child care</u> Provide childcare for older preschool siblings during the brunch	service helps
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5 hours per brunch	<u>team member/communicator</u> Discover new moms from past 6 months and send out invitations, attend brunches	administration helps
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women's ministries continued

special events		
meetings (1 per month and an additional 1 or 2 around event times) 2 events per year	<u>treasurer</u> Attend meetings, receive all receipts, fill out cost sheet after event and hand to women's pastor	organization administration finance
same as above	<u>decoration/theme coordinator</u> Attend team meetings, meet with other "decor" people, purchase needed supplies	craftsmanship service creativity
same as above	<u>secretary</u> Attend team meetings and take notes, send out minutes to team	administration
same as above	<u>leader and co-leader</u> Attend team meetings, keep in touch with sub-committees, make meeting agendas, keep flow of meetings	hospitality leadership
same as above	<u>team members</u> Attend team meetings and any other sub-committee meetings	hospitality service
same as above	<u>registration/ticket sales coord.</u> Attend team meetings, coordinate sales schedule for ticket sales	organization
same as above	<u>promotion coordinator</u> Put in requests for ppt, posters, bulletin, website, facebook. Communicate with church administrative staff for nametags, tickets, posters	organization creativity friendliness helps

women's ministries continued

daybreak		
volunteer "part-time job" planning/prep during week weekly thursday am 3-4 hrs, monthly team mtg 2.5 hrs	<u>coordinator</u> Coordinate and oversee all aspects of DayBreak Thursday am women's ministry including planning, communication, and hands-on involvement in whatever needs to be done	heart for women & understanding of ministry; mature Christian; able to build relationships with/mentor team, leaders & women; administration; friendly; reliable; good communication skills
time-intensive in fall through December; monthly team mtg 2.5 hrs	<u>craft fair</u> Promote, recruit & organize vendors for DayBreak December Craft Fair	administration; good communication skills
weekly 2-4 hrs; monthly team mtg 2.5 hrs	<u>treasurer</u> Handle receipts and expenses related to Daybreak, turning them in to church accountant; keep Daybreak financial records, assist with registration	administration service finance
weekly monthly team mtg 2.5 hrs	<u>child care coordinator</u> Advocate for, communicate needs & progress of children's program to DayBreak team	administration; heart for children and understanding of child care operation
2.5 hrs/week at DayBreak	<u>child care facilitator</u> Ensure adequate staffing and smooth operation of DayBreak by overseeing workers, safe adult/child ratios, etc.	heart for children and understanding of child care operation; friendly assertive

women's ministries continued

daybreak continued		
several hrs at home during the week	<u>child care scheduling</u> Ensure sufficient caregivers to provide quality care and safe adult/child ratios by phoning/scheduling hired child care workers from community, agency and volunteer moms	friendly polite assertive
2 hrs/week at Daybreak; some prep time during week	<u>child care story/craft</u> Plan & prepare Bible story and related craft for three classes of pre-schoolers (2s; 3s; 4/5s), including craft prep, photocopying, etc.	growing Christian; rapport and ability to work with children; understanding of this as ministry to kids & moms
1 hr/week at Daybreak	<u>nursery receptionist</u> Welcome, sign in and settle babies & toddlers to nursery; sign out/release at end of morning	love children & young moms; friendly hospitality
1 hr/week at Daybreak	<u>sound tech</u> Operate and run sound, projector, ppt, etc. during open session Thursday am; must arrive early to set up	reliable
2.5 hrs at DayBreak; additional prep time during week; Leaders Connection 2 hrs, 4X/year	<u>study leader/co-leader/class leader/apprentice</u> Prepare for & lead women's Bible study class	leadership teaching/mentoring mature Christian heart for women & ministry; willingness to build relationships with women; good communication skills; willing to be part of team

women's ministries continued

daybreak continued		
seasonal - for December Craft Fair and Spring Brunch	<u>decorator</u> Plan, gather/borrow/purchase items to decorate tables and room for special occasions	servicing creativity
0.5 hrs at DayBreak	<u>greeter</u> Greet and direct women as they arrive at DayBreak	hospitality friendly
2 hours per week	<u>child care worker</u> Care for children in the following age groups: baby, toddler, 2s, 3s and 4&5s guiding them in play, Bible story time (provided by story teller), gym time and craft time	love for children kind caring consistent
leaders connections		
4 planning meetings (2 hours each) & 4 meetings per year (2 hours)	<u>coordinator</u> Lead team, organize and lead 4 events for Women's Ministry volunteers that will encourage and support them	administration leadership encouragement
same as above	<u>assistant</u> Take minutes, sends out communication/invitations, keeps track of funds	creativity hospitality servicing administration
same as above	<u>team members (3)</u> Responsibilities include décor, setting the program, set and clean-up of the room, general support	creativity hospitality servicing

women's ministries continued

<p>threadbearers</p> <p>once a month, 2 hour meeting, plus organizing at home</p>	<p><u>coordinator</u> Lead a group of women to create quilts to be given away to encourage others. Choose and lead projects, gather needed supplies, connect with pastors regarding distributing completed work</p>	<p>creativity compassion helps</p>
<p>once a month, 2 hour meeting</p>	<p><u>assistant</u> Help with projects, purchase needed fabric</p>	<p>creativity compassion helps</p>
<p>tiny blessings</p> <p>5 hours per month</p> <p>4 hours per month</p> <p>same as above</p>	<p><u>coordinator</u> Oversee the mom and preschool drop-in time 2x per month, lead team meetings, work with team members to connect with moms</p> <p><u>team member</u> Assist with set-up and take-down of toys, greet moms, encourage, help moms connect</p> <p><u>team member/communicator</u> Attend Tiny Blessings 2x per month, send reminders to moms via email and Facebook</p>	<p>service hospitality administration</p> <p>service encouragement</p> <p>administration helps</p>

women's ministries continued

<p>friday morning prayer group</p> <p>once/week 9-11am Fridays</p>	<p><u>co-leader (shared responsibilities)</u> Find ways of implementing our Women's Ministry focus within our group, lead the weekly morning prayer time, sharing prayer requests from International Workers and church family. Attend women's leadership meetings monthly</p>	<p>leadership hospitality administration intercession compassion</p>
<p>same as above</p>	<p><u>assistant</u> Keep stocked and set out weekly drinks (tea)</p>	<p>hospitality helps</p>
<p>same as above</p>	<p><u>treasurer</u> Collect funds for Place of Rescue sponsored child and donate these funds</p>	<p>administration finance</p>

children's ministries

extreme kids		
Saturdays, 6:30pm 1 month on 1 months off/rotation	<u>grade school small group leader</u> Leading a small group of kids in activities and crafts from a curriculum, applying the lesson and building friendships during the church service	shepherd teaching evangelism wisdom
OR		
Sundays, 9am or 11am 1 month on 1 month off/rotation	<u>grade school large group leader</u> Using a curriculum, present the weekly Bible lesson in creative and dramatic ways before all of the children in a given age group (K/1 or 2/3/4)	faith intercession leadership including up-front performance
	<u>grade school teacher</u> Using a curriculum, teach a Bible lesson to grade 5/6 kids and lead either the boys or girls in application activities	leadership shepherd teaching relate well to pre-teens
Sundays 9am & 11am, on a flexible rotation	<u>grade school worship leader</u> Come into the grade school classes and lead children in singing, prayer, offerings and expressions of worship	wisdom exhortation faith intercession music

children's ministries continued

extreme kids continued		
1 service/week, 1 month on 2 months off	<u>preschool teacher</u> Using a curriculum, teach small children a Bible lesson in creative ways. Lead a team of assistants in helping with crafts, snacks, etc. Be able to manage and interact well with children	leadership shepherd teaching
1 service/week, 1 month on 2 months off	<u>preschool assistant</u> Help the lead teacher with classroom management, playing with/comforting children, assisting with crafts, snacks and cleanup; learn how to lead/teach to help kids know Jesus	shepherd helping faith
1 service/month	<u>nursery counter</u> Manage the nursery counter: receiving and checking in kids, welcoming families, ensuring all nursery workers are coping, checking kids out of class	hospitality faith
1 service/month	<u>nursery worker</u> Play with and care for babies up to age 2 through a service. Be creative, comforting and build community among other workers	hospitality shepherd

children's ministries continued

extreme kids continued		
30 mins/ service/ week 1 month on 1 month off	<u>visitor registration</u> Make guests feel very welcome as you register their children as visitors using a computer, direct kids to their appropriate classes, pray for new families	hospitality service administration
30 mins/ service/week 1 month on 1 month off	<u>classroom registration</u> Welcome and check children into the classroom, listen to memory verses	hospitality service administration
family carnival		
Once a year, Oct 31, 6-9pm	<u>volunteer</u> Welcome kids, run a game station, maintain security, hand out candy, create a fun & welcoming environment for families in our community	hospitality service
extreme praise		
3 x 3 weeks a year (Monday night rehearsals, weekend performances)	<u>choir director/assistant</u> Direct/assist with children's choir in teaching children music, making it fun for them; teach the implications of the song messages and lead the kids in performing during church services over 3 "special season" weekends in the year	music leadership helps

children's ministries continued

extreme praise continued		
same as above	<u>dance director/assistant</u> Direct/assist with children's choir in teaching children music, making it fun for them; teach the implications of the song messages and lead the kids in performing during church services over 3 "special season" weekends in the year	music leadership helps
miscellaneous		
once a week, mid-week, or as occasion arises	<u>admin/craft assistant</u> Help the ministry leaders to prepare crafts, structures, follow-up and teaching materials for the weekends or for ministry props. Be careful and prompt in producing these, from the home or at the church	helps service administration craftsmanship
special events		
as needed	<u>planner/helper</u> Help to organize, prepare for and lead special events for families in the church such as games nights, Christmas parties, Faith@Home events	administration craftsmanship hospitality
as needed	<u>drama/performer</u> Perform skits to help with teaching moments during special events, particularly to equip parents for nurturing their children in Christ or to entertain and teach at children's seasonal parties	leadership service dramatic/ creative ability

intercultural ministries

esl		
once a week for 12 week semester	<u>teacher</u> Lead a class in the area of your choice/ interest (eg: novel study, pronunciation, beginner, intermediate, advanced, conversation, etc.)	teaching patience friendliness
once a week for 12 week semester	<u>assistant to teacher</u> Assist the teacher with administrative help by gathering visual aids, helping small groups, etc.	helps service
2 hrs/week	<u>curriculum writing</u> Various classes would like to develop and follow a specialized ESL curriculum	helps administration esl teaching
4 hrs/month	<u>administrative help</u> Help with filing, updating curriculum, etc.	helps administration
once a week for 12 week semester	<u>small group leader</u> Assist the teacher by leading a small group of students in conversation, following a prepared handout (women's class and/or conversation class)	teaching helps mercy friendliness patience
bridges		
Sun 11am once a week for 12 week semester, class ongoing 52 weeks/yr	<u>small group leader</u> assist the teacher by leading a small group of students following a vocabulary handout and a list of bible passage questions	friendliness patience

intercultural ministries continued

bridges	continued	
Sun 11am once a week for 12 week semester, class ongoing 52 weeks/yr	<u>welcome table</u> Organize the welcome table each Sunday and welcome new students by completing registrations, etc.	helps administration friendliness kindness
same as above	<u>snack table</u> Organize the snack table each Sunday, keep supplies filled, set-up and clean-up with help of students	helps hospitality mercy
4 hrs/month	<u>prayer coordinator</u> Help the pastor create and maintain prayer ministry via e-mail	mercy helps intercession
2 hrs/week	<u>special events planner</u> Help the bridges planning team in preparing for social events and annual banquets	helps administration hospitality
2 hrs/week	<u>curriculum writing</u> Help develop esl curriculum focusing on vocabulary in Bible passages	helps administration esl teaching
community night		
once a week for 12 week semester, ongoing ministry 52 weeks/yr	<u>assistant</u> Attend weekly community night to mingle with neighbours, play games, and/or chat with participants (need 10 more in this position)	discernment faith hospitality friendliness kindness

intercultural ministries continued

community night continued		
once a week for 12 week semester, ongoing ministry 52 weeks/yr	<u>welcome table</u> Organize the welcome table and welcome new participants by completing registrations, etc.	helps administration friendliness kindness
same as above	<u>equipment manager</u> Organize sports equipment, maintain equipment, purchase new supplies, oversee set-up & take-down	service leadership hospitality administration
same as above	<u>programming coordinator</u> Organize non-sporting activities (example: movies, crafts, how-to classes, etc.)	service leadership hospitality administration
esl bible study		
once a week for 12 week semester	<u>leader</u> Lead a Bible study for immigrants who are interested in learning about Jesus	teaching pastor/shepherd missionary apostleship evangelism friendliness hospitality
once a week for 12 week semester	<u>assistant</u> Assist in an esl Bible study for immigrants who are interested in learning about Jesus	teaching pastor/shepherd missionary apostleship evangelism friendliness hospitality

intercultural ministries continued

miscellaneous		
1 or 2 hrs/week	<u>visitation</u> Visit with new Canadians either in their home, at a coffee shop, or in your home. Most immigrants attending intercultural programming have not been visited by a friendly Canadian	hospitality mercy service discernment pastor/shepherd missionary
4 hrs/month	<u>prayer coordinator</u> Help the pastor create and maintain prayer ministry via e-mail	mercy helps intercession
4 hrs/month	<u>administrative help</u> Help with filing, maintaining records, organizing storage, etc.	administration service helps
4 hrs/month	<u>resources help</u> Help with creating and maintaining resources (books, supplies, etc.)	administration helps service

campus ministries

jumpstart

every 2nd
Tues from
6:30-8pm

jumpstart leader

Whether you help at boys club or girls club your role is to assist the Pastor in the evening's program. Everything from getting involved in games to helping kids stay focused during the lesson; a jumpstart volunteer really is a hands on volunteer that assists the Pastor.

helps
service

junior high and senior high

Want to be a part of leading students towards knowing God, loving others and serving the world? Want to be stretched to greater dependency on Christ yourself? Do you feel the Spirit is leading you towards serving in the area of youth ministry or young adult ministry? We may have a place for you to serve! We believe that leaders are the life-blood of the Foothills Youth and Young Adult Ministry. Without each committed leader, we would not be able to help students know God's story as revealed in his Word and help them actively become a part of that story.

every Wed
night from
6:30-9pm

youth leader

Youth Leaders help to connect youth to the ministry. They are responsible for helping youth feel welcome and getting them involved. You are asked to be with the youth, participate in activities and help keep control of the evening. We want youth leaders to get involved in the lives of our youth and be a real connection point for them!

service
hospitality
helps

campus ministries continued

junior high and senior high continued

Wed nights
from 6:30-
9pm and
every 2nd
Fri from
7:30-9:30pm

life group leader

Life Group leaders are our more involved youth leaders. They fill the responsibility of a Wednesday night leader but also lead a small group, every second Friday. At small group, leaders are responsible to help students build community, friendships, and to disciple them. Youth leaders must be graduated from high school.

service
hospitality
helps
teaching

to be a youth
leader you just
need a heart to
disciple youth

young adult (18-25+)

every Tues
night from
7-10pm

We have many areas of service for you to be involved in depending on your gifts, passions, and availability.

compassion ministries

<p>brentwood care centre</p> <p>2 hrs/month</p>	<p><u>service host</u> Assist a team of volunteers in hosting a hymn and devotional time at Brentwood Nursing Home</p>	<p>hospitality service teaching</p>
<p>edgemont retirement residence</p> <p>2 hrs bi-monthly</p>	<p><u>service host</u> Join a rotation of volunteers to conduct a hymn time and preach a message for residents at the Edgemont Retirement Home</p>	<p>pastor/shepherd teaching/preaching music</p>
<p>caring team</p> <p>1-2 hrs bi-weekly</p>	<p><u>companion</u> The CARING team provides skillful companionship, encouragement, and prayer for people who are shut-in, going through difficult life seasons, or are palliative. A volunteer is matched and receives ongoing support and supervision</p>	<p>mercy service evangelism faith discernment</p>
<p>financial management</p> <p>flexible - 2 hrs monthly</p>	<p><u>financial management volunteer</u> Provide practical, Biblically based support in the area of stewardship as an extension of Christ to those in the congregation and surrounding community of Foothills Alliance</p>	<p>teaching mercy wisdom accounting background</p>

compassion ministries continued

<p>bread ministry</p> <p>2 hrs every 3 months</p>	<p><u>host</u> Facilitate the monthly distribution of bread by hosting this monthly outreach, meeting the practical needs in our community as an extension of Christ to those in our church and community</p>	<p>hospitality evangelism</p>
<p>2 hrs every 3 months</p>	<p><u>pick up/delivery volunteer</u> Sorting through and transporting bread from Tuscany Sobey's and delivering it to Foothills Alliance Church. Requires large vehicle</p>	<p>helps service</p>
<p>2-5 hrs quarterly</p>	<p>inn from the cold <u>variety of opportunities</u> Participate in a volunteer role either with set up, serving a meal, hosting, overnight awake supervision, or take down as we serve our city's homeless in the name of Jesus</p>	<p>helps service mercy evangelism hospitality</p>
<p>flexible (weekly to monthly)</p>	<p>mercy meals <u>mercy meal volunteer</u> Prepare and deliver a homemade meal when contacted by the coordinator for a family in our church or community who are experiencing life transitions or difficult circumstances</p>	<p>cooking helps giving</p>
<p>2 hrs monthly</p>	<p>acts of kindness <u>acts of kindness volunteer</u> With a second volunteer, provide monthly practical support to a family in our church or community who require assistance in their house or yard (eg. a senior, single mom, person with disabilities)</p>	<p>service helps mercy evangelism</p>

worship arts ministry

<p>artistic</p>	<p><u>visual artist</u> Opportunities will come up on a per-project basis where your talents would be invaluable; we are always open to suggestions as well. We create a worship atmosphere for our sermon series that we</p>	<p>faith craftsmanship creativity ingenuity innovation</p>
<p>per-project availability (negotiable)</p>	<p>are always looking to create art on a large scale and would love your input and services to help with design and execution. Out of respect for your professional time and talent, there is no required time commitment; you choose which projects to be part of and how to manage your time.</p>	
<p>per-project availability (negotiable)</p>	<p><u>dancer</u> Opportunities will come up on a per-project basis where your talents would be invaluable; we're always open to suggestions as well. We are always looking for interesting and unique ways to enhance our worship experience and open doors for people to show and receive God's blessing. We recognize dance as a powerful way to reach his people. Out of respect for your professional time and talent, there is no required time commitment; you choose which projects to be part of and how to manage your time.</p>	<p>faith creativity innovation training</p> <p>willingness to perform solo or in a group</p> <p>ability to choreograph is a bonus</p>

worship arts ministry continued

<p>artistic</p>	<p><u>alternative</u> There are opportunities on a per-project basis for almost anything that honors God with the talents He has given us. We want to use your God-given talents to connect with people and show how</p>	<p>faith creativity innovation training/experience craftsmanship talent conviction</p>
<p>per-project availability (negotiable)</p>	<p>awesome God is. We are always looking for interesting and unique ways to enhance our worship experience and open doors for people to show and receive God's blessings. Let us know how we can use your talent to showcase our Father's gifts to His children; nothing is too outrageous to be considered.</p>	
<p>choral ensemble</p>	<p><u>vocalist (soprano, alto, tenor, bass)</u> The Choral Ensemble is a vocal group that meets once a week and concentrates on proper vocal production, listening, blending, and sight-reading as well as singing by ear, all with the pursuit of vocal excellence. The ensemble participates in one full weekend (3 services) every 2nd month (approx.) to help lead worship and to sing a special number (or 2). Music ranges from traditional choral to contemporary and everything in between.</p>	<p>faith creativity innovation talent music appreciation team skills</p>
<p>1 rehearsal a week plus 1 performance weekend every month and special events where applicable</p>		

worship arts ministry continued

praise team & worship music	
1 rehearsal a week plus 1 praise team commitment a month	<p><u>vocalist (lead, tenor, alto, *soprano) *often same as lead</u></p> <p>We have 4 praise teams that rotate through each month, so the commitment is one full weekend (3 services) per month. We are looking for strong singers that are capable of both leading the vocals and being back-up (ability to harmonize is key). You are the face of leadership in the congregation's worship, being genuine and loving what you are doing is a must.</p>
same as above and special events where applicable	<p><u>instrumentalist</u></p> <p>We need instrumentalists that cover everything including drums, acoustic guitar, electric guitar, bass guitar, piano and keyboards, strings, brass, woodwinds, orchestral percussion and more. Our standard worship team is more contemporary, but we like to use orchestral arrangements and small ensemble music where possible, especially for our theatre productions. If you play an instrument and want to be able to worship through your gift of music, we want to hear from you.</p>
1 rehearsal a week plus performance (TBD)	<p><u>piano accompanist</u></p> <p>We have many very talented pianists who rotate through our worship teams, but we also have a strong need for rehearsal and performance accompanists for choral and chorus in theatre productions. The more players we have on hand, the better off we are all around.</p>

worship arts ministry continued

worship tech	
1 rehearsal a week plus 1 tech commitment a month and special events where applicable	<p><u>sound operator</u></p> <p>Our goal as a tech department is to provide the technical needs that add excellence to the worship experience and enhance the worship arts ministry with absolute professionalism. Our sound techs all receive in-house training to supplement their technical knowledge-base. There are opportunities for mixing everything from amazing praise teams to live theatrical productions, as well as concerts that come to us from outside the church.</p>
same as above	<p><u>lighting operator</u></p> <p>Our goal as a tech department is to provide the technical needs that add excellence to the worship experience and enhance the worship arts ministry with absolute professionalism. Our lighting techs all receive in-house training to supplement their technical knowledge-base. There are opportunities to do everything from designing, hanging, and focusing lights for Sunday worship to being part of the lighting crew for our theatrical productions, and lighting events for concerts and events outside the church.</p>
time for hanging and focusing lights for interested team members	

worship arts ministry continued

worship tech continued	
1 tech commitment a month and internal video production where applicable	<p><u>camera operator</u></p> <p>Our goal as a tech department is to provide the technical needs that add excellence to the worship experience and enhance the worship arts ministry with absolute professionalism. Camera operators will have opportunities to operate the cameras on weekends for the regular services, and be part of internal video productions that are commissioned by the church or by the Alliance District Office.</p>
same as above	<p><u>video switcher/editor</u></p> <p>Our goal as a tech department is to provide the technical needs that add excellence to the worship experience and enhance the worship arts ministry with absolute professionalism. Video switchers will have the opportunity to direct the camera operators and switch the image seen on the main monitor during services. As editors (for those who are interested in pursuing further talents outside the worship setting) you can be part of internal video productions that are commissioned by the church or by the Alliance District Office.</p>

worship arts ministry continued

worship tech continued	
1 rehearsal a week plus 1 tech commitment a month and special events where applicable	<p><u>graphics operator</u></p> <p>Our goal as a tech department is to provide the technical needs that add excellence to the worship experience and enhance the worship arts ministry with absolute professionalism. PowerPoint operators are responsible for running the welcome slides, announcements, song lyrics, sermon slides, pictures, etc. We use Easyworship as our main tool for this job (training provided), and encourage people who are good, active listeners and have a good sense for music and timing to become part of our PowerPoint team.</p>
theatre	<p><u>production team</u></p> <p>We strive for excellence in our production. The more experienced and creative people we have on our team, the better our productions will be. We strive to follow best practices for theatre and challenge all designers and experienced production team professionals to become part of our team while we're still developing the program. God has given us the amazing opportunity to honour Him through this expanding ministry. We're looking for sound, lighting, costumes & make-up and set designers, as well as directors, stage managers, production managers, set builders and painters, prop managers, etc. Let us know what you can do to help us move forward with this ministry.</p>

worship arts ministry continued

theatre continued

per-show basis - as per the needs of the production

performer

We strive for excellence in our production. The more experienced and enthusiastic people we have in our casts, the better our productions will be. We strive to follow the best practices for theatre and challenge all actors to pursue the best training they can, both in and outside of our ministry. God has given us the amazing opportunity to honour Him through this expanding ministry. If you're interested in pursuing acting roles in our productions, there are plenty of opportunities available.

faith
creativity
innovation
talent
art appreciation
music appreciation
team skills
technology savvy
training/experience
evangelism

global impact ministry

global impact

4 hours/
month

team member

Global Impact weekends, International Workers of the Month, missions special events, communication and support of Global Impact workers

service
encouragement
passion for global evangelism

4 hours/
month

treasurer

Manage Global Impact finances

administration
finance

4 hours/
month

secretary

Attend team meetings, take notes, and send out minutes to the team

administration
organization

2 hours/
month

bulletin board designer

Design and post pictures and information

creativity
service

4 hours/
month plus
seasonal
increase

short term mission coordinator

Coordinate the planning and implementation of annual short term mission trips

leadership
organization
passion for evangelism

4 hours/
month plus
seasonal
increase

short term mission assistant

Assist planning and implementation of annual short term mission trips

leadership
organization
passion for evangelism

miscellaneous

<p>library</p> <p>once a month</p>	<p><u>library worker</u> Help to check books in and out of the library</p>	<p>helps hospitality service</p>
<p>resource centre</p> <p>twice a month</p>	<p><u>head resource centre worker</u> We would love to find someone that has administrative skills to be the lead in scheduling workers for all 3 services, order books that have been recommended, track the money and deposit it with the church accountant</p>	<p>helps administration service</p>
<p>twice a month</p>	<p><u>resource centre worker</u> We would love to find someone that has administrative skills to schedule workers for all 3 services, order books that have been recommended, track the money and deposit it with the church accountant</p>	<p>helps hospitality service</p>
<p>finances</p> <p>once every 4-6 months</p>	<p><u>tellers</u> There are always opportunities to serve as a teller that works with a team to count offerings during the 11am worship service, or to just be on the spare list for substituting</p>	<p>helps service</p>

miscellaneous continued

<p>marriage ministries</p> <p>per event</p>	<p><u>planning committee</u> We are looking for couples who would love to help plan and prepare for a yearly marriage retreat</p>	<p>helps hospitality service</p>
<p>prime tymers</p> <p>once a month</p>	<p><u>planning committee</u> This committee meets once a month to discuss future functions. It involves presenting ideas for speakers and entertainers and sometimes making the arrangements for the event.</p>	<p>hospitality service</p>
<p>once a month or so</p>	<p><u>drivers</u> We are looking for people who could pick up shut-ins to bring them to church functions</p>	<p>helps hospitality</p>

facilities

maintenance

daytime or evening times that suit you

maintenance volunteers

We would love to have help with various and numerous fix-it jobs around the church from changing light bulbs to fixing door handles to repair work, etc.

helps service

gardening

daytime or evening times that suit you

garden/landscape volunteer

The live flowers that are found around the outside of the church during the summer are all done by volunteers who hang baskets and climb clematis. We're looking for volunteers to pick up plants/flowers and plant them, water them and weed them during the summer. The flower beds also need to be tended and maintained.

helps service
a love for gardening

cleaning

daytime or evening times that suit you

various cleaning tasks

We are looking for volunteers that would be willing to help with cleaning glass entrances and windows, washing walls, cleaning carpets, dusting, etc.

helps service

worship centre

daytime or evening times that suit you

stuffing chair pockets

Each week the pockets that are on the backs of the chairs in the Worship Centre need to be stuffed with offering envelopes and connection cards.

helps service

get involved

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