

Voice of Hope Pregnancy Centers

Volunteer Application



Name: _____ E-Mail: _____

Address: _____ City _____ Zip _____

DOB _____ Phone: Home _____ Cell _____ Texting: Y ___ N ___

Most preferred form of contact: E-Mail ___ Home ___ Cell ___ Texting ___ Facebook ___

At Voice of Hope we have 3 locations in which you can volunteer. Please check which center is of interest to you.

_____ Upper Center

_____ Marion Center

_____ Bucyrus Center

Possible Availability

During which hours are you available to volunteer?

Monday: Morning/Afternoon _____ Evening _____

Tuesday: Morning/Afternoon _____ Evening _____

Wednesday: Morning/Afternoon _____ Evening _____

Thursday: Morning/Afternoon _____ Evening _____

Friday: Morning/Afternoon _____ Evening _____

Saturday: Morning/Afternoon _____

I would like to work:

Receptionist _____

Client Advocate _____

Behind the Scenes _____

How often would you be able to volunteer? Weekly _____ Bi-weekly _____ Monthly _____

Written Response Questions

1. Please state your interest in Voice of Hope and why you desire to volunteer?

2. Please summarize special skills and qualifications you have acquired from employment, previous volunteer work, life experience or other activities (include education and hobbies).

3. Do you consider yourself a Christian and what does that mean to you?

4. What is the name and city of the church you attend? _____

About Voice of Hope (Bethel Ministries)

Foundations

Bethel Pro-Life Ministries is an interdenominational, Christian, 501(c) (3) tax deductible, charitable organization. Bethel Ministries began in Upper Sandusky, Ohio. The organization is dedicated to serving families, experiencing unplanned pregnancy. It was founded in February of 1988, by residents of Wyandot County who were concerned about the lack of options being presented to women experiencing an unplanned pregnancy. Bethel Ministries is a Christ-centered organization based on principles found in God's Word. No guidelines of the ministry shall violate God's laws. The ministry believes in the sanctity of human life and does not encourage or refer for abortion. The organization is non-political in nature.

Statement of Faith

1. We believe the Bible to be the inspired, the only infallible, authoritative Word of God revealing the love of God to the world. (1Thessalonians 2:13, 2 Timothy 3:15-17, John 3:16)
2. We believe that there is one God, eternally existent in three persons: Father, Son and Holy Spirit. (Matthew 28:19, John 10:10, Ephesians 4:4-6)
3. We believe in the deity of the Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His vicarious and atoning death through His shed blood on the cross, in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father, and in His personal return in power and glory. (Matthew 1:23, John 1:1-4 & 1:29, Acts 1:11 & 2:22-24, Romans 8:34, 1 Corinthians 15:3-4, 2 Corinthians 5:21, Philippians 2:5-11, Hebrews 1:1-4 & 4:15)
4. We believe that all men everywhere are lost and face the judgment of God that Jesus Christ is the only way of salvation, and that for the salvation of lost and sinful man, repentance of sin and faith in Jesus Christ results in regeneration by the Holy Spirit. Furthermore we believe that God will reward the righteous with eternal life in heaven, and that He will banish the unrighteous to everlasting punishment in hell. (Luke 24:46-47, John 14:6, Acts 4:12, Romans 3:23, 2 Corinthians 5:10-11, Ephesians 1:7 & 2:8-9, Titus 3:4-7)
5. We believe in the present ministry of the Holy Spirit, whose indwelling enables the Christian to live a godly life. (John 3:5-8, Acts 1:8 & 4:31, Romans 8:9, 1 Corinthians 2:14, Galatians 5:16-18, Ephesians 6:12, Colossians 2:6-10)
6. We believe in the ministry of evangelism (sharing and proclaiming the message of followers of Christ grows up into maturity in Christ) is a responsibility of all followers of Jesus Christ. (Matthew 28:18-20, Acts 1:8, Romans 10:9-15, 1 Peter 3:15)
7. We believe God's plan for human sexuality is to be expressed only within the context of marriage, that God created man and woman as unique biological persons made to complete each other. God instituted monogamous marriage between male and female as the foundation of the family and the basic structure of human society. For this reason, we believe that marriage is exclusively the union of one genetic male and one genetic female. (Genesis 2:24, Matthew 19:5-6, Mark 10:6-9, Romans 1:26-27, 1 Corinthians 6:9)
8. We believe that human life is sacred from conception to its natural end; and that we must have concern for the physical and spiritual needs of our fellowmen. (Psalm 139:13, Isaiah 49:1, Jeremiah 1:5, Matthew 22:37-39, Romans 12:20-21, Galatians 6:10)

Statement of Marriage, Gender and Sexuality

We believe that the term "marriage" has only one meaning and that is marriage sanctioned by God which joins one man and one woman in a single, exclusive union, as delineated in Scripture. We believe that God intends sexual intimacy to only occur between a man and a woman who are married to each other. We believe that God has commanded that no intimate sexual activity be engaged outside of a marriage between a man and a woman. We believe that any form of sexual immorality, such as adultery, fornication, homosexuality, bisexual conduct, bestiality, incest, pornography or any attempt to

change one's gender, or disagreement with one's biological gender, is sinful and offensive to God. We believe that in order to preserve the function and integrity of the purposes and mission of our organization, and to provide a biblical role model to the clients we serve and members and the community, it is imperative that all persons employed by the organization in any capacity, or who serve as volunteers, should abide by and agree to this Statement on Marriage, Gender and Sexuality and conduct themselves accordingly. We believe that God offers redemption and restoration to all who confess and forsake their sin, seeking His mercy and forgiveness through Jesus Christ. We believe that every person must be afforded compassion, love, kindness, respect and dignity. Hateful and harassing behavior or attitudes directed toward any individual are to be repudiated and are not in accord with scripture nor the mission of this organization.

I am in agreement with the truths contained in the Statement of Faith and I commit to a lifestyle of sexual integrity and life affirming values.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

CONFIDENTIALITY AGREEMENT

As a member of the Bethel Pro-Life Ministries and Voice of Hope Pregnancy Center team, I hold in high esteem the right of our clients/fellow staff and volunteers to the protection of their privacy. By signing this document, I am agreeing to keep confidential all information about those individuals, as well as the internal issues of the ministry.

I know that confidentiality must be maintained at all levels, including within the office, in the community, on the telephone and other electronic devices, with new applicants (volunteer or otherwise), and etc.

I understand that certain information pertaining to the internal matters of Bethel Ministries should be maintained confidentially. Any sharing of the agency issues, sensitive matters, and personal information should be done with extreme care and considering the welfare of the ministry, those who work with and those we serve.

I will, to the best of my ability:

- Prepare records carefully, being accurate and professional.
- Physically safeguard records and confidential materials during use, and keeping them locked when not in use.
- Release confidential information from records ONLY with the express written permission of the client.
- Guard against informal violations of confidentiality by being VERY DISCRETE about what I discuss both within and outside of the agency.
- Seek access only to the records with which I am professionally involved.
- Continue to observe these matters of confidentiality even when no longer working with Bethel Ministries.

I understand that infractions of this confidentiality agreement will result in a discussion with my immediate supervisor and a note being added to my personnel or volunteer file. Serious or continued infractions may result in my need to forfeit my position with the ministry.

I am familiar with this confidentiality policy and agree to adhere to the guidelines set forth in this document.

Signed: _____ Date: _____