



*SUNNYBROOK COMMUNITY CHURCH*

# FIRST SERVE CATALOG

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## A REVOLUTIONARY APPROACH TO THE JOY OF SERVING OTHERS

### **WHAT IS "FIRST SERVE"?**

First Serve is a chance for you to "try on" various experiences until you find an area of ministry where you feel welcomed, equipped and energized to serve. Through a one-time experience, you can test out as many volunteer opportunities as you'd like.

### **WHO IS IT FOR?**

First Serve is for first-time volunteers, as well as people who may want to migrate to a new serving opportunity. If you're a first-time volunteer, First Serve is a low-risk, no-obligation way to "try on" various opportunities until you find the right one. For those already involved, it offers a chance to explore fresh areas of ministry.

### **WHAT IS THIS CATALOG?**

Sunnybrook's First Serve Catalog is a listing of the First Serves within our ministries. By reading through this catalog, you'll get an idea of the many ways you can "try on" volunteering at Sunnybrook.

### **WHAT IF I FIND SOMETHING I WANT TO TRY?**

If something catches your eye, you can either call the contact person or send an email to [info@sunnybrookchurch.org](mailto:info@sunnybrookchurch.org).

### **JUST JUMP IN!**

We hope this catalog is a helpful tool for you to dive into ministry at Sunnybrook. If at any time you have questions or want more information, please feel free to email the church office @ [info@sunnybrookchurch.org](mailto:info@sunnybrookchurch.org).

MINISTRY	DESCRIPTION	WHEN	WHERE	CONTACT
<b>CARE TEAM</b> extends Christ's love to people who are hospitalized or in a care facility.				
	<b>CARD WRITER</b> write & send cards	as needed	from home	Bev Lessman 253-7434
	<b>HOSPITAL VISITATION</b> visit local hospitals	as needed	varies	Bev Lessman 253-7434
<b>BABYZONE</b> provides childcare for children 0-24 months old.				
	<b>CAREGIVER</b>	1x/month, Sunday morning, all services	BabyZone area	Lindsay Ter Wee 259-1997
	<b>TOY SANITIZER</b>	varies	varies	Lindsay Ter Wee 259-1997
<b>THE COFFEEHOUSE</b> provides great coffee and an opportunity for people to connect.				
	<b>COFFEE PREP TEAM</b> prepare & distribute coffee	Sunday morning 30 minutes prior to first service	Kitchen	Sam Todd 276-7915 ext. 30
	<b>CONNECTION CAFE HOST</b> Prepare & Serve Specialty Coffee drinks	Sunday morning following each service	Coffeehouse	Sam Todd 276-7915 ext. 30
<b>COLLEGE MINISTRY</b> reaches out to area college students to give them a church home				
	<b>MENTORS</b> be a Christian role model	varies	varies	Chris Ver Steeg 276-7915 ext. 32
	<b>CEREAL</b> Need people to donate cereal	First Sunday each month	Kitchen Commons	Chris Ver Steeg 276-7915 ext. 32

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<b>CONNECTION TEAM</b> helps people feel welcomed, accepted, and valued on Sunday mornings.				
	<b>WELCOME TEAM</b> provide open doors and a welcoming atmosphere	1x/month Sunday 30 min. prior to service	Coffeehouse	Sam Todd 276-7915 ext. 30
	<b>GUEST HOUSE</b> greet and assist visitors in the lobby and the guesthouse	1x/month Sunday 30 min. prior to service	Coffeehouse	Sam Todd 276-7915 ext. 30
	<b>INFO CENTER</b> answer questions and assist visitors at the Info Center	Sunday mornings before and after services	Information Center	Phil Wineland 276-7915 ext 25
	<b>USHER</b> hand out programs, receive offering & answer questions	1x/month Sunday mornings	Sanctuary	Pat McNear 276-2112
	<b>TRAFFIC TEAM</b> direct traffic to maximize traffic flow and parking	1x/month Sunday mornings	Parking Lot	Phil Wineland 276-7915 ext 25
<b>HOMEPLATE</b> is a Wednesday night program for 3rd—5th graders with four elements: recreation, dinner, small groups and worship.				
	<b>TABLE PARENT</b> sit at a table with kids, talk and participate in activities	Wednesday 6:00-8:00 p.m.	Commons	Laurie Van Cura 276-7915 ext. 26
	<b>KITCHEN CREW</b> help prepare and clean-up meals	Wednesday 1x/every 6 weeks 5:00-7:30 p.m.	Kitchen	Laurie Van Cura 276-7915 ext. 26
	<b>CAREGIVER</b>	Wednesday 5:30-9:00 p.m.	Preschool area	Laurie Van Cura 276-7915 ext. 26
	<b>GAME LEADER</b> lead games and activities	Wednesday 5:30-6:00 p.m.	KidZone	Laurie Van Cura 276-7915 ext. 26
	<b>SNACK MAKER</b> prepare designated snacks	Wednesday 1x/every 6 weeks	Kitchen	Laurie Van Cura 276-7915 ext. 26

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<b>HOMEPLATE</b> continued....				
	<b>WORSHIP TEAM</b> lead kids in worship	Wednesdays 6:45-8:00 p.m.	KidZone	Laurie Van Cura 276-7915 ext. 26
<b>JAM (MIDDLE SCHOOL)</b> reaches, connects, equips and challenges middle school students through small groups and large group teaching.				
	<b>AFTERSCHOOL PROGRAM HELPER</b>	Mondays 1:45-4:00 p.m.	Gym	Jim Ellis 276-7915 ext. 43
	<b>SMALL GROUP</b> observe & assist a Bible study of 6-10 students	Wednesdays 6:30-8:00 p.m.	Gym and Classrooms	Jim Ellis 276-7915 ext. 43
	<b>JAM STUDENT CHECK-IN SET-UP TEAR-DOWN</b>	Wednesday 6:00 - 6:30 p.m. 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. 8:00 - 9:00 p.m.		Jim Ellis 276-7915 ext. 43
	<b>FOOD PREPARATION</b> serve pizza to students	Wednesdays 6:00 - 6:30 p.m.	Gym	Kristi Gaither 490-6947
	<b>WORSHIP BAND</b> lead students in worship	Wednesdays 5:30-7:15 p.m.	Gym	Suzi Gausman 276-7915 ext. 42
	<b>MEGA SURGE</b> chaperone students during a city-wide outreach event	One Friday night in late winter 7:00-11:00 pm	Morningside Hyper Center	Jim Ellis 276-7915 ext. 43
	<b>IN SIOUXLAND FOR GOOD</b> live with and chaperone students serving community.	2nd full week in July	Sunnybrook	Jim Ellis 276-7915 ext. 43

<b>MINISTRY</b>	<b>DESCRIPTION</b>	<b>WHEN</b>	<b>WHERE</b>	<b>CONTACT</b>
<b>JR. KIDZ</b> (2-5 yrs.) develops champions for the cause of Christ through activities, drama, worship, teaching and small groups.				
	<b>STORYTELLER/TEACHER</b> present bible lesson during large group worship	Sundays 1x/month during services	Red Room	Amy Lofland 276-7915 ext. 34
	<b>SMALL GROUP LEADER</b> guide and encourage children in small group activities	Sundays during services, as needed	Red Room	Amy Lofland 276-7915 ext. 34
	<b>GREETER/REGISTRAR</b> welcome children and enforce security procedures	Sundays during services, as needed	Red Room	Amy Lofland 276-7915 ext. 34
	<b>WORSHIP LEADER</b> lead kids in fun and active songs	Sundays during services, as needed	Red Room	Amy Lofland 276-7915 ext. 34
	<b>DRAMA TEAM</b> participate in dramas during large group worship	Sundays during services, as needed	Red Room	Amy Lofland 276-7915 ext. 34
	<b>PREP TEAM</b> assemble crafts, games and activities for stations	2 hrs/week at your convenience	Red Room	Amy Lofland 276-7915 ext. 34
<b>LIFE GROUPS</b> form groups of 8-10 people for fun, acceptance and encouragement for spiritual growth and life-change.				
	<b>SMALL GROUP LEADERS</b> Lead a group of adults for 6-8 weeks in fellowship/bible study & prayer	varies	varies	Chris Ver Steeg 276-7915 ext. 32
<b>PRAYER TEAM</b> shares prayer concerns and supports and encourages Sunnybrook through prayer.				
	<b>SUNDAY PRAYER TIME</b> pray silently or out-loud with a group	Sunday after first service	Prayer Room	Ken Brandvold 251-1875

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<b>KIDZONE</b> (Kindergarten—5th grade) develops champions for the cause of Christ through activities, drama, worship, teaching, and small groups.				
	<b>STORYTELLER/TEACHER</b> present bible lesson during large group worship	Sunday 1x/month during services	KidZone	Laurie Van Cura 276-7915 ext. 26
	<b>GREETER/REGISTRAR</b> welcome children and enforce security procedures	Sundays during services	KidZone	Laurie Van Cura 276-7915 ext. 26
	<b>DRAMA TEAM</b> present drama during large group worship	Sundays during services as needed	KidZone	Laurie Van Cura 276-7915 ext. 26
	<b>CRAFT/STAGE TEAM</b> create visuals, backdrops, stages, bulletin boards	varies by project mid-week	KidZone	Laurie Van Cura 276-7915 ext. 26
	<b>MUSIC TEAM</b> lead music during large group worship	Sundays during services	KidZone	Laurie Van Cura 276-7915 ext. 26
	<b>PREP TEAM</b> assemble crafts, games and activities for activity stations	2 hrs./week at your convenience	KidZone	Laurie Van Cura 276-7915 ext. 26
	<b>SMALL GROUP LEADER</b> guide and encourage kids in small group activities	Sundays during services	KidZone	Laurie Van Cura 276-7915 ext. 26
	<b>SUPPLY TEAM</b> inventory and restock snacks, supplies; maintain toys and props	varies mid-week	KidZone	Laurie Van Cura 276-7915 ext. 26
<b>SECOND SATURDAY SERVE</b> serves Siouxland non-profits & needy individuals				
	<b>SERVING</b> spend one day working, cleaning, painting, etc.	Second Saturday each month 8:00 a.m.	Siouxland area	Jennifer Winquist 712-253-4125

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<b>LIV (HIGH SCHOOL)</b> reaches, connects, equips and challenges high school students through small groups and large group teaching.				
	<b>SMALL GROUP LEADER</b> lead a Bible study of 6-10 students	Wednesday 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.	Host neighborhood homes	Chuck Jespersen 276-7915 ext. 28
	<b>SMALL GROUP CO-LEADER</b> assist a Bible study of 6-10 students	Wednesday 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.	Host neighborhood homes	Chuck Jespersen 276-7915 ext. 28
	<b>WORSHIP BAND</b> assist high school worship band practice or play in band	Wednesday 6:30 - 7:15 p.m.	The Loft	Danny Bligh 204-0461
	<b>STUDENT CHECK-IN</b> Welcome and check-in students	Wednesday 6:15-6:45 p.m.	Welcome Center	Chuck Jespersen 276-7915 ext. 28
	<b>SERVE SNACKS</b> monitor and serve snacks for high school students	Wednesday 6:15-8:00 p.m.	The Loft	Chuck Jespersen 276-7915 ext. 28
<b>SIoux CITY SOUP KITCHEN</b> feeds needy individuals and families in Siouxland.				
	<b>FOOD PREP &amp; SERVING</b> help with preparing and serving food, clean up	Mondays or Thursdays 2:00-6:30 p.m. as scheduled	Soup Kitchen 717 W. 7th	Cherie Broll 276-5814
<b>SKILL SCHOOL</b> is a fun, four-day summer program for kids (completed K-5th gr.) that teaches the gospel and reaches the community.				
	<b>SKILL SCHOOL</b> hospitality, snack prep, transportation, leading a clinic, set building, planning	Monday-Thursday mornings 3rd full week of June	Sunnybrook	Laurie Van Cura 276-7915 ext. 26

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<b>SONSHINE STATION PRESCHOOL</b> provides loving care and early childhood education to children while supporting their parents.				
	<b>PROJECT BUILDER</b> build & help with projects	as needed	Preschool	Kate Rawdon 224-5611
<b>WELLNESS MINISTRY</b> equips & encourages people to improve their health & fitness to glorify God.				
	<b>PUMP &amp; PRAISE SET-UP</b> set-up 20 workout stations	Saturday 8:00 a.m.	Gym	Erik Nieuwenhuis 712-389-1564
	<b>ASSIST MEASUREMENTS</b> assist in taking measurements for Wellness Challenge	2x annually	Sunnybrook	Erik Nieuwenhuis 712-389-1564
<b>WORSHIP ARTS</b> leads & assists God-focused worship, encouraging a life of 24-7 worship.				
	<b>DRAMA MINISTRY</b> attend a drama team meeting and casting meeting	1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month at 6 p.m.	Sunnybrook	Gwen Kandt 823-0142
	<b>VIDEO AND TECH TEAM</b> assist computer and lighting technicians	Wednesday evening and Sunday morning	auditorium and The Loft	Jim Henry 276-7915 ext. 27
	<b>MUSIC MINISTRY</b> sing or play instrument during worship services	Sunday morning services and practice Thursday eve.	auditorium and The Loft	Suzi Gausman 276-7915 ext. 42





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