

Prince of Peace Lutheran Church Confirmation Small Group Adult Guide

Qualifications:

- Loves God
- Loves Young People
- Willing to show up and learn

Time Commitments/Expectations:

1. Participate in a Confirmation Adult Guide Training on **Wed., Sept. 18, 2019 from 7:00-8:30 p.m.**
2. Daily pray for the young people in your Small Group and your fellow Guide.

The following is an example of the type of prayer you might use, or use one of your own:

Dear Lord, I give thanks to you, that you have protected me and my students through the night from all harm and danger and I ask that you would also protect them (recite their names) today from sin and every danger, so that their life and actions may please you. Let your holy angel be with them, so that they may be blessed through the day. Amen.

3. Attend Catechetical Instruction Events as scheduled on Sundays from 6:30-8:30 p.m.
4. Participate in your Small Group's Fellowship and Servant Events.
5. Attend the scheduled Guide Huddles to get support and improve the ministry.
6. Attend teen/parent conferences with pastors for 8th graders.
7. Treat all young people with care, interest and respect.
8. Address discipline issues immediately, firmly, fairly and consistently.
9. Be open to learning with the group, and keeping my own faith.
10. Share the faith by role modeling, participating in worship and congregational life on a regular basis.

Monthly Time:

2 hours per week @ 3 times a month
for Catechetical Instruction = 6

2 hours per Fellowship/Servant Event = 2

TOTAL = 8 hours per month

Job Description:

1. Review the Guide Sheet for each Catechetical instruction before attending.
2. Show up at least 5 minutes before Sunday Evening Catechetical instruction.
3. Sit with your small group during the Pastor's presentation on Sunday night Catechetical instruction.
4. Lead by example by keeping your attention to the presentation. Help keep your Small Group's attention and focus on the pastor's presentation.
5. Shepherd your group during the Small Group portion of Sunday evening Catechetical instruction.
6. Smile at your young people as often as possible.
7. Listen to them.
8. Encourage them.
9. Love them.
10. Share personal faith experiences with them.
11. Help see that your Small Group completes their Fellowship and Servant Events
12. Participate with your Small Group during their Fellowship and Servant Events
13. Pray for each of the young people in your Small Group.
14. Secure a substitute any time you are not able to attend events.