

HOSPITALITY

Friendly faces are the first thing people should see when they come to Briarlake's campus. Our hospitality volunteers greet people as they come to worship, direct cars in the parking lot, volunteer at the Welcome Center or Starting Point Stations, work in Backlot Java, help prepare fellowship meals and more.

Time Commitment: This varies, depending on the activity and level of commitment you prefer.

TECHNOLOGY

Volunteers who handle the technical aspects of our worship services are integral to a meaningful worship service. We need volunteers to help with sound, lights and other audio/visual needs during our worship services and special events or church-wide meetings.

Time Commitment: Technology volunteers serve for approximately 1.5 hours during either of our worship services (9:30 Cornerstone or 11:00 Backlot). We also have a need periodically for technology volunteers during church-wide special events and meetings.

Requirements: Volunteers need to have a basic knowledge of and comfort level with the technology used during our worship services.

CONGREGATIONAL CARE

There are many ways that you can serve in this area. Visiting members of our congregation who are unable to attend church, writing notes of encouragement, or signing up to pray in the Prayer Room are just some ways to get involved.

Time Commitment: This varies, depending on the activity and level of commitment you prefer.



CONNECT

They devoted themselves to the apostles' teaching and to fellowship, to the breaking of bread and to prayer. Acts 2:41-43

LIFEGROUPS

Serve God Together.

LIFE GROUPS — SERVICE EMPHASIS

At Briarlake Church, **Life Groups** are a great way to grow in your faith alongside other believers. Life Groups offer the chance to study the Bible, grow lasting friendships and serve others in Jesus' name. We have two types of Life Groups: groups that have a "study" emphasis and groups that have a "service" emphasis. Either way, you will connect with others and grow in your faith. Those who serve together will form a bond of friendship as they live out God's call on their lives to "go and make disciples."

If you need help deciding which Service Life Group would best fit your needs and skills, please visit the Welcome Center, located in C Building near the center of campus, on Sunday mornings from 9:00-11:30am to speak with a volunteer. You can also contact David Sanders at (404)786-0106 or d-sanders@briarlakechurch.org to register for a group.

AREAS OF SERVICE

Choose the area which best fits your skills and availability.

PRESCHOOL MINISTRY

If you like to rock babies, teach toddlers, color or play with play dough, prepare snacks, sing fun songs and yes, maybe even change a few diapers, Preschool Ministry may be right for you. "The Greenhouse" is a place where babies through Kindergarteners have the freedom to grow and learn about Jesus in a safe, loving environment. Patient, energetic volunteers are always needed.

Time Commitment: Sunday morning volunteers are needed for approximately 1.5 hours during the 8:30 or 11:00am shifts. Wednesday evening volunteers for Music & Mission Friends serve from 6:00-7:30pm.

Requirements: All volunteers in this ministry must pass a criminal background check. You must also love the Lord and love kids!

CHILDREN'S MINISTRY

At Briarlake, kids in 1st through 5th grades hear God's word and learn to apply it in fun, active ways. From teaching a Bible story lesson and praying with a child through their fears and triumphs, to singing songs and reciting scripture in Children's Choir, volunteers that love to have fun and share God's love are always needed.

Time Commitment: Sunday morning volunteers are needed for approximately 1.5 hours at 9:30am. Wednesday evening volunteers serve from 6:00-7:30pm.

Requirements: All volunteers in this ministry must pass a criminal background check. You must also love the Lord and love kids!

STUDENT MINISTRY

Briarlake Student Ministry is made up of 6th grade to college students that come from different schools, unique families, diverse backgrounds, and varied church experiences. From mission trips to local projects, our students are constantly serving others in the name of Jesus. We also have plenty of fun: retreats, scavenger hunts and game nights are just some ways we go and grow!

Time Commitment: Sunday morning (9:30am) is our main weekly teaching time. SNL (Sunday Night Live) is when we play, eat and learn together in Life Groups (usually from 6:00-8:00pm). We also have mission trips and fun outings periodically.

Requirements: All volunteers in this ministry must pass a criminal background check. You must also love the Lord and love middle and high school students!

ADULT MINISTRY

Our study emphasis Life Groups are always in need of a few good teachers, or even substitutes for our regular teachers.

Time Commitment: Sunday morning Life Groups meet at 9:30am and 11:00am. Life Groups also meet on- and off-campus through the week. The time commitment varies depending on your level of commitment.