



# every perfect gift Time and Talent Survey

## Mission Statement

FPC Covington is a Christian community existing to glorify God by welcoming all of God's children. We celebrate through serving, teaching, praying, eating, crying, and dancing with the Holy Spirit. As works in progress, we seek to respond to God's presence in our church, lives, and community.

Giving our time, talent and treasure is how we show our gratitude for all the gifts God has given us. It takes all of the congregants to fulfill the task at hand for God's work in our community and church.

By Reaching Out, Engaging, Connecting and Belonging we can reach our goal together

Listed below are the various ministry teams of First Presbyterian Church. As you can see our work is complex and varied. Each of us has a talent that can be shared for the fullness of God's kingdom. Please check the areas where you feel called to serve. A brief listing of the tasks of each team is shown. Where can you apply your talents to help make us all faithful stewards of God's church? Every gift is perfect!

## Reaching Out

### **Serve on the Witness Team**

<input type="checkbox"/> Family Promise	<input type="checkbox"/> Special projects (YMCA, school)
<input type="checkbox"/> Help with Meals on Wheels	<input type="checkbox"/> Help with Christmas Charities & Angel Tree
<input type="checkbox"/> Blood Drive: <input type="checkbox"/> Give Blood <input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer Host	<input type="checkbox"/> Change the World Day
<input type="checkbox"/> Newton County Community Food Pantry	<input type="checkbox"/> Sandwich Ministry

## Engaging

### **Serve on the Worship Team**

<input type="checkbox"/> Serve as Usher	<input type="checkbox"/> Join Chancel Choir
<input type="checkbox"/> Serve as Acolyte	<input type="checkbox"/> Join Joyful Noise/Hallelujah Kids!
<input type="checkbox"/> Oversee Acolytes	<input type="checkbox"/> Join Carillon Handbell Choir
<input type="checkbox"/> Serve as Liturgists	<input type="checkbox"/> Set up for Communion
<input type="checkbox"/> Serve on the Tech Team	<input type="checkbox"/> Join Liturgical Arts Guild
<input type="checkbox"/> Help clean up pews after worship	<input type="checkbox"/> Play a musical instrument _____

### **Serve on the Christian Formation Team**

<input type="checkbox"/> Sunday School Teacher: <input type="checkbox"/> Children <input type="checkbox"/> Youth <input type="checkbox"/> Adults	
<input type="checkbox"/> Assist with Vacation Bible School/Summer Activities	<input type="checkbox"/> Organize worship bags for kids
<input type="checkbox"/> Participate in <i>Belief and Beer</i>	<input type="checkbox"/> Help plan Young Adult activities
<input type="checkbox"/> Help lead small group study Topic: _____	
<input type="checkbox"/> Nursery Shepherd (guide children from church to nursery)	<input type="checkbox"/> Volunteer in the nursery

## Belonging

### **Serve on the Welcoming or Marketing Teams**

<input type="checkbox"/> Reach out to visitors	<input type="checkbox"/> Greeter on Sunday mornings
<input type="checkbox"/> Help with Church Marketing	<input type="checkbox"/> Assist with updating of member list and/or pictorial directory

### **Serve on the Finance and Stewardship Team**

<input type="checkbox"/> Assist with making church deposits	<input type="checkbox"/> Assist with annual Stewardship Drive
<input type="checkbox"/> Serve on the Stewardship Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Serve on the Audit Team
<input type="checkbox"/> Serve on the Endowment Committee	<input type="checkbox"/> Serve on the Earth Care Team

# Connecting

## **Serve on the Pastoral Care Team**

Assist with pastoral care visits and at home communion  
 Follow up with those on the prayer list  
 Help with funerals  
 Prayer Shawl Team

## **Serve on the Faith and Fellowship Team**

Lemonade on the lawn  
 Church fellowship meals  
 Help with funeral receptions

## **Serve on the Facilities and Grounds Team**

Assist with repairs of church building (minor)  
 Assist on scheduled work days for cleanup and general maintenance of building  
 Assist with The Garden (where burials for cremated remains take place)  
 Assist with The Park (small area for people to gather outside)

## **Serve on the Strategic Planning Team**

## **Serve on Nominating Committee**

## **Serve on the Personnel Team**

## **Serve on Endowment Fund Committee**

**Office Volunteer**    Answer phones    Prepare Newsletter for mailing    Prepare mailings/printing

## **Other Talents**

## **Non-FPCC Community Involvement**

Please check the areas in which you would care to share your experiences and talents and return the completed form to the church office, the pastor, or any elder of the church. You may also place it in the offering plate. Submitted forms will be collated into a list and be distributed to various ministry teams.

**We thank you for your interest in serving in the areas you have indicated.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ phone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

Currently at FPCC I am    a member    an active visitor    looking to become a member

Other ways I wish to volunteer at First Presbyterian Church \_\_\_\_\_

**Evaluation:** What did we miss that you feel we should add to a revised form? We want to celebrate all gifts in our church family!