



**PROMISES TO KEEP
CARD
FOR 2012**

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**MATTHEWS
UNITED METHODIST CHURCH**

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MUMC GET IN THE GAME

Promises to Keep Instructions

- ... Please check the box next to the ministry area(s) you wish to serve in 2012.
- ... Please check M for male and F for female.
- ... Your promise to participate is from January through December 2012.
- ... Even if you are making the same commitment as last year, it is important to complete a new card for 2012.
- ... If you choose an area that's new to you, don't worry, we provide training!
- ... Please be sure to consider your time limitations as well as your spiritual gifts in choosing your area(s) of service.
- ... **Please complete both the Promises to Keep and Estimate of Giving Cards and return during any service the weekend of November 6th.**

*For detailed information on the volunteer opportunities listed in this brochure, please refer to the **Ministry Descriptions Playbook**, available on our website (matthewsumc.org). We also have printed copies of this booklet available at the Welcome Center and in the Church Office.*

For further information about these opportunities, please visit the MAGI website at magiweb.org. Click on *Ministries*, then click *by church area* on the left side of the screen. Use *filter* to select desired ministry area. If you don't have access to a computer, any staff member will be happy to assist you in finding the information.

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone: _____

Email(s): _____

Service You Normally Attend: _8:20 _9:40 _11:00

Please complete Name/Contact Info box on inside panel.

** denotes new opportunity for 2012*

- M F ADMINISTRATION**
- Answer Office Phones
 - Assist with Mailings
 - Clerical "Ends & Odds" - Thursday mornings
 - Data Entry
 - Sermon Transcription

- M F ADULT DISCIPLESHIP JOURNEY**
- ALPHA Team Member
 - Curriculum Library Team
 - Disciple Bible Study Support Team
 - e-connections Online Facilitator
 - e-connections System Administrator
 - Life Groups Coordinator

- Weekend Adult Classes:**
- Attendance Steward
 - REACH Team Coordinator
 - SERVE Team Coordinator
 - TEACH Team Coordinator*
- MAGI:**
- MAGI Follow-up Caller
 - MAGI Website Maintenance

- M F CENTRO CRISTIANO HOSANNA (SPANISH-SPEAKING MINISTRY)**
- Childcare - Sundays, 12 pm - 3 pm*
 - Youth Transportation*
 - Transportation (Bus Drivers)*

- M F CHILDREN'S MINISTRY**
- Children's Leadership Team
 - Design Team
 - Puppetry
 - Supply Volunteer
 - Sunday AM Preschool or Elementary Assistant
 - Sunday AM Receptionist

M F CHILDREN'S MINISTRY (CONTINUED)**Christian Education:**

- __ __ Rotational Sunday School (1st—3rd grade)
- __ __ *Living Stones* (4th grade Sunday School)
- __ __ *The Rock* (5th grade Sunday School)
- __ __ Preschool Sunday School Teacher
- __ __ Sunday School Substitute Teacher
- __ __ Sunday Sacks

Confirmation (6th grade):

- __ __ Confirmation Mentor
- __ __ Confirmation Teacher
- __ __ Confirmation Team

Children's Worship:

- __ __ Children's Church Leader
- __ __ *The Deep* Family Worship: Specify team _____

Mission and Outreach:

- __ __ International Children's Outreach

Nursery:

- __ __ Nursery Coordinator
- __ __ Nursery Volunteer

Seasonal:

- __ __ Children's Nativity
- __ __ Consignment Sale
- __ __ VBS Leadership Team
- __ __ VBS Volunteer

Small Groups:

- __ __ "Between" (4th-5th grade girls)
- __ __ "Created by God"

M F COLLEGE/YOUNG ADULT MINISTRY

- __ __ College Age Ministry*
- __ __ College Connection
- __ __ Young Adult Ministry*
- __ __ Young Adult Bible Study*

M F CONGREGATIONAL CARE

- __ __ Faith Partners
- __ __ Homebound Visitation Team
- __ __ Hospital Visitation Team
- __ __ Ministry At Work
- __ __ Prayer & Card Ministry
- __ __ Stephen Ministry

M F DAILY BREAD MINISTRY

- __ __ Bounce Back Backpack Ministry
- __ __ Chain of Compassion Coordinator
- __ __ Chain of Compassion Team Member
- __ __ Coffee House Helper
- __ __ Decorate for Special Events
- __ __ Deliver Meals
- __ __ Kitchen Cleanup
- __ __ Meal preparation, setup, serve, or cleanup
- __ __ Phone Caller
- __ __ Provide a Meal for a Family in Need
- __ __ Snack/Cookie Provider
- __ __ Special Event Host/Hostess

M F FACILITY CARE

- __ __ Event Setup Crew
- __ __ General Repairs
- __ __ Landscaping
- __ __ Painting Crew
- __ __ Special Cleaning Projects

M F HOSPITALITY & INVITATION

- __ __ Creative Invitation Team*
- __ __ Faith Sharing Resource Team*
- __ __ Greeters __8:20 __9:40 __11:00
- __ __ Information Center Stocker
- __ __ Lemonade Outreach & Special Events
- __ __ Outreach Caller
- __ __ Parking Lot Greeter __9:20 __10:40
- __ __ Radical Hospitality Team Member*
- __ __ Sunday Morning Guide
- __ __ Welcome Center Volunteer __8:20 __9:40 __11:00

M F LIBRARY

- __ __ Library Volunteer Coordinator
- __ __ Library Team Member

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M F MEMBERSHIP

- __ __ *Count Me In!* Hospitality Team
- __ __ Discuss Membership Caller
- __ __ New Member Nurture Team*
- __ __ Pew Pad Attendance Collector (after 11:00 service)
- __ __ **Pictorial Directory (Dec. 15-17, 2011 & March 6-24, 2012):**
- __ __ Host/Hostess*
- __ __ Welcome Center Sign-Ups*

M F MUSIC & WORSHIP ARTS MINISTRY

- __ __ Accompanist: __Children __Youth __Adult
- __ __ Children's Music Ministry Volunteer
- __ __ Drama Team
- __ __ Instrumental Music/Matthews Brass
- __ __ Joyful Ringers
- __ __ Melody Makers
- __ __ Praise Team
- __ __ Sanctuary Choir
- __ __ Youth Choir Ministry Volunteer
- __ __ **Media Technology:**
- __ __ Photography
- __ __ Presentation Team Member
- __ __ Sound Board Operator
- __ __ Video Production

Worship Service Teams:

- __ __ Acolyte Shepherd
- __ __ Advent/Lent Volunteer Coordinator
- __ __ Altar Guild
- __ __ Baptism Host/Hostess*
- __ __ Communion Assistant
- __ __ Lay Reader
- __ __ Sanctuary Flowers Volunteer
- __ __ Sanctuary Volunteer
- __ __ Usher: __8:20 __9:40 __11:00

M F RAINBOW MINISTRY (SPECIAL NEEDS MINISTRY)

- __ __ Parents Night Out
- __ __ Transportation
- __ __ **Rainbow Express Day Camp:**
- __ __ Assist in Camp
- __ __ "Nurse for a Day"

M F RAINBOW MINISTRY (CONTINUED)**Sunday School :**

- __ __ Assist in S.S. for Children w/ special needs
- __ __ Assist in S.S. for Youth/Young Adults with S.N.*
- __ __ Special Needs buddy

M F RECREATION MINISTRY

- __ __ Care of Recreation & Fitness Equipment
- __ __ Food and Fellowship Coordinator
- __ __ Spirit Kids Program

M F SENIOR ADULT MINISTRY

- __ __ Dance Ministry Volunteer*
- __ __ Heavenly Hearts & Hands Ministry*
- __ __ Newcomer's Ministry*
- __ __ Small Group Leader
- __ __ Senior Adult Ministry Volunteer
- __ __ Travel Ministry

M F YOUTH MINISTRY

- __ __ Basketball
- __ __ Short-Term Missions
- __ __ Snack Supper
- __ __ Summer Wednesday Night Events
- __ __ Sunday UMYF
- __ __ Sunday School Assistant
- __ __ Sunday School Teacher
- __ __ Wednesday Night Discipleship Groups
- __ __ Youth Confirmation Mentor
- __ __ Youth Trip Transportation

M F MISCELLANEOUS

- __ __ Boy Scouts
- __ __ Calligraphy
- __ __ Church Historical Team
- __ __ Create Bulletin Boards
- __ __ Girl Scouts
- __ __ Graphic Design/Desktop Publishing
- __ __ LifeLine Devotion Author
- __ __ RAIN (Regional Aids Interfaith Network)
- __ __ Sewing
- __ __ Social Justice Committee