

Volunteer Role Profile

Volunteer Role: Pastoral Volunteer

Volunteer reports to: Pastoral Team Leader

Why we want you

- Pastoral care in the church today is of vital importance to the building, shaping and transforming of the body of Christ. It involves each believer, calling us all to participate in the work of the Holy Spirit. This work would see us drawing alongside others in order to: build through teaching, instruction and guidance; to comfort those who suffer (whether from circumstances, sickness or in heaviness of heart); and to draw all those we walk alongside closer to Jesus by proclaiming the Good News over each other's lives.
- As a Pastoral Volunteer, you will contribute to this work, by displaying the love of God through responding to the practical needs of others in our community as they arise.

What you will be doing

- Responding to requests from the Pastoral Team Leader via our team WhatsApp group.
- Requests may include: conducting a pastoral visit to someone at their home, in a care home, or in hospital to provide companionship; cooking a meal to be delivered; picking up shopping / groceries; providing transport to ensure someone can attend an appointment; any other appropriate ad hoc request.
- Relaying any need you become aware of to the Team Leader to ensure accountability and so that the request can be put out to the wider team if needed.
- Following the direction of your Team Leader, working within any risks assessments as provided.
- Operating within the values of Four Oaks Baptist Church, reflecting Christ in all you do within your role.

The qualities and skills you need

- Passion for helping others.
- Friendly and caring attitude.
- A sensible regard for health and safety.

What's in it for you

- Bring your passion for people into a role where you can truly make a difference to people's lives.

- Training and ongoing support will be provided by your Team Leader.
- Get to know others in our church community, walking in fellowship and friendship with others.
- An opportunity to serve your community, church and Christ through using your God-given skills.
- Be part of building our FOBC Vision for the future.