

# Ministry Opportunity Guide

A reference guide to ways you can serve God and others at Peace

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### For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ.

#### I Corinthians 12:12

Dear Friend,

We believe that all Christians are gifted by God for service in his kingdom. When we serve together, we strengthen the church with our God-given gifts and talents. The Apostle Paul puts it this way:

God arranged the members in the body, each one of them, as he chose. If all were a single member, where would the body be? As it is, there are many parts, yet one body. The eye cannot say to the hand, 'I have no need of you,' nor again the head to the feet, 'I have no need of you.' I Corinthians 12:18-21

We are so pleased that you're investigating ways to serve God at Peace Church and we pray that this guide will be helpful in that way. We need each other as we navigate the Christian life together. That's where you come in. You are needed. Where can you serve? How can you grow in Christian love and service?

We pray that this Ministry Opportunity Guide is helpful for you to find your place to serve the Lord at Peace.

Blessings, Pastor Ken, Worship & Enfolding Communications

**Facilities** 

Finance

Hospitality

Information Technology

Office Administration

**Operations** 



#### **Communications**



The Web team assists the Communications Assistant with website maintenance, content, and graphics for the blog, and pages for special events. We need writers as well as tech-savvy folks on this team.



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#### **Facilities**



God has blessed Peace with a 12 acre, multifunctional campus in the heart of Cary, and we host 5,000 events/meetings in a given year crowned by our Sunday services. As such, volunteer help with landscaping, painting, minor repairs and special cleaning are significant needs.



Monthly meetings Minor projects ongoing continually



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#### **Finance**



God has a lot to say about money and how his people use it. The church is called to use the finances that God gives us to steward in ways that honor him and bless others. If you want to lead Peace in pursuing financial faithfulness, the Finance Team is great place for you to serve.



2nd Thursday of the month at 7pm



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#### Hospitality



The Fellowship Committee extends hospitality to Peace Church by planning and implementing church-wide or smaller group fellowship events. These include Sunday morning coffee, fellowship dinners, church-wide special events, and various lunches.



Periodic events



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#### **Information Technology**



Technology is a major part of the infrastructure of the church, and volunteers are needed to help plan, implement, and maintain it. This includes on-site computers and other office devices, software and security systems, A/V equipment, and networking.



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#### Office Administration



Administration is a holy gift. Administration covers calendaring, human resources, legal, financial recording and auditing, policy creation and implementation, safety systems, and more.



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SCHEDULE D (Form 1040)

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► Attach to Form 1040 or Form

Go to www.irs.gov/ScheduleD for instructions

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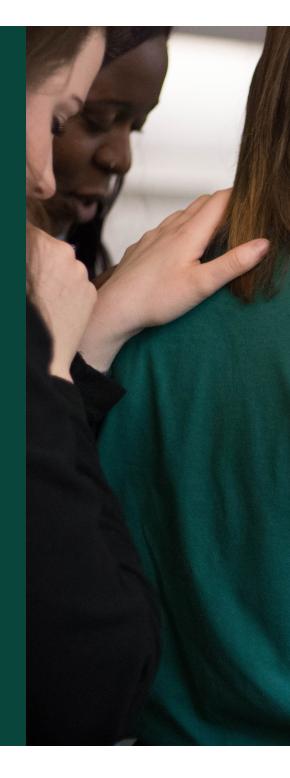
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Comfort and Care
Soloists
Stephen Ministry
Wesleyan Church



### Mercy and Care



#### **Comfort and Care**



Comfort & Care encourages anyone from Peace to volunteer to help families in practical ways in time of need. Volunteers may provide meals for those who are sick or grieving, visit those who are lonely or isolated, transport people to the doctor or church, offer help with chores or home repair and more. Members may also request help as needed. C&C also facilitates a monthly Caregiver Support Group for those with a relative who have a disability or dementia.



4th Monday of each month at 7pm



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#### **Soloist**



The Soloist group is for those who are called to walk in the path of widowhood or widowerhood. We learn to walk together and serve God's kingdom even in our grief. We search for and invite other widows and widowers in the local community. We meet over lunch for devotion, singing, and other activities, and host neighborhoodwide events.



Twice a month for lunch
Two annual neighborhood-wide events



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#### **Stephen Ministry**



Stephen Ministry is a worldwide ministry in which Christians minister to anyone experiencing a difficult life situation with a goal of pointing the receiver to God. Stephen Ministers do not advise but instead listen, support, and pray for their Care Receivers. Men minister to men and women to women, and is strictly confidential. Stephen Ministers initially commit for two years including training and may renew their commitment for as long as they feel called to the ministry.



Training - 50 hours of weekly sessions for about 6 months; training class convened every other year Individual meeting with Care Receiver about one hour per week Meeting with other Stephen Ministers twice monthly (1st and 3rd Tuesday evenings at 7pm)



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#### Wesleyan Church



Peace Church has partnered with Wesleyan First Church of Deliverance since 2003 to minister to those in SE Raleigh. Volunteers can determine resources, share the gospel, and pray with those seeking help. As the neighborhood surrounding Wesleyan is changing, this partnership is in transition.



Project dependent



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A/V Team

Communion Team

Enfolding

**Music Team** 

Welcome Team

Worship and Enfolding





#### A/V Team



The A/V Team serves behind the scenes to ensure that the worship service flows smoothly from the music and lyrics on the screen to the sermon and other spoken portions of the service. If you've ever tried to adjust the EQ settings while listening to music or tried to get the colors just right on your TV, then we need you on the A/V Team! We can train you and get you serving right away.



Sunday mornings, 8:30am and 11am



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#### **Communion Team**



This team prepares and sets up the communion elements for our monthly communion services, which take place on the first Sunday of every month at 8:30 and 11, plus the annual Good Friday service. We are always looking to add to this team, so if you're interested in serving the church this way, please let us know.



Once every three months on the first Sunday of the month at the 8:30am and 11am services



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#### **Enfolding**



This team's mission is to help visitors, regular attenders, and members to find their place of service at Peace and for them to become active participants in the life of the church.



Occasional brainstorming meetings Regular team communications



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#### **Music Team**



At Peace Church, we love music and believe it is an important part of worshipping God and encouraging his people. If you love to worship through singing or playing an instrument, we hope you'll join our music service team.



Sunday mornings Wednesday evening rehearsals 7:30-9pm Other periodic events and meetings



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#### **Welcome Team**



If you're excited about welcoming newcomers to Peace and being a resource to those seeking to know God and connect with the church, the Welcome Team is for you. Volunteers are needed to greet newcomers, help visitors find their way around the church, and lead Peace in thinking strategically about how to connect newcomers to life in the church.



Sunday mornings Periodic training meetings



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3M

**Community Groups** 

Life on Life Groups

Men's Ministry

Titus 2 Women

Women's Ministry

Adult
Discipleship
and
Shepherding





#### **3M**



More Mature Members, or 3Ms, is a ministry to older Peace attendees (generally, 60 and over) that provides an environment where they can enjoy activities that foster fellowship as well as involvement in the life of Peace Church. 3Ms holds periodic events, which can range from breakfast at a local restaurant, Christmas dinner, theater outings, day trips, and other recreational activities.



Periodic events



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#### **Community Groups**



The Community Group ministry of Peace Presbyterian Church exists to build spiritual community at Peace through Bible study, prayer, fellowship, and encouraging one another to love Christ and one another. Ephesians 4:16 says the church is to build one another up in love as each member does his or her part. Community Groups provide one way to accomplish that at Peace. Each group consists of 4-16 adults.



2-4 times per month on Sunday nights or throughout the week



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#### Life on Life Groups



Life on Life is a discipleship training ministry that seeks to equip Peace Members to train others in Christian maturity. These groups, gender specific, meet over a course of three years, covering a range of Scriptural topics of spiritual formation. Such topics include the Gospel, living by grace, knowing God, a Christian world and life view, a healthy marriage including conflict resolution, parenting, and many other topics.



Weekly from September to May



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#### **Men's Ministry**



Men's ministry at Peace exists to cultivate fellowship and spiritual maturity in the lives of men so that Jesus is celebrated and proclaimed in their homes, the church, their workplaces, and the world.



Periodic breakfasts, a yearly men's retreat, regular zoom meetings and special projects.



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#### **Titus 2 Women**



This ministry offers spiritual care to women needing encouragement. A Titus 2 Woman will come alongside a woman in crisis and represent her interests and perspectives to the church leadership while promoting the vision and values of the elders as the spiritual overseers of the congregation. Titus 2 Women have walked with the Lord for many years with the knowledge and qualifications necessary to provide principles of biblical care-giving to women in crisis.



As needed



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#### Women's Ministry



The Women's Ministry seeks to strengthen the bonds and fellowship among women in the church through the shared truth of the Gospel. We want to foster the strengths in one another and offer support throughout all seasons of life. We want to engage women through events and activities. We want to educate women by welcoming those called to lead or teach, as well as providing resources to deepen our understanding of Scripture and God's purpose in our lives.



Weekly Bible Studies Monthly Women's Connect Groups Annual Women's Retreat Playgroups for Moms of babies and toddlers



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Children's Church

Nursery

Sunday School

Sunday Evening Kids

Vacation Bible School

Youth Ministries

Children and Youth







#### Children's Church



Children's Church is offered during the worship service for children ages PK2 through Kindergarten. Each Sunday session includes a Bible story time and time for play. We seek to teach kids that their parents are in the sanctuary to worship God and that when they are ready, they will worship Him with their families during the complete service too. Children may be dropped off before the service, or at any time during the service.



Sunday mornings at the 8:30am and 11:00am services



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#### Nursery



The Peace nursery offers loving childcare during worship services and Sunday School for infants and toddlers in rooms adjacent to the sanctuary. Childcare is also provided during scheduled Sunday evening activities and other special events.



Sunday mornings at the 8:30am and 11:00am services Sunday evenings (during the school year) Special events



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#### **Sunday School**



Sunday School is a key component of our mission to partner with parents in building a strong spiritual foundation for their children. We teach Bible stories and truths from God's Word and add in enriching hands-on activities, Scripture-based games and songs, and opportunities to learn how to get along with and love one another. We offer classes for ages two through high school.



Sunday mornings 9:45-10:45am



alisa@peacepca.org (Ages 2 - Grade 5) jono@peacepca.org (Grades 6 - 12)

#### **Sunday Evening Kids**



Children have the opportunity to participate in age-appropriate groups, to learn the joy of praising and learning about God together and to strengthen friendships with other children their age. Joymakers (Preschool ages 2-3).

Friendmakers (Preschool age 4 through Grade 1). Peacemakers (Grades 2 through 5). Our Peacemakers present a full musical each spring.



Sunday evenings at 6pm during the school year



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#### Vacation Bible School



Peace Church loves VBS! This special one-week ministry is offered free of charge each summer with classes for kindergarten-aged children through fifth graders. Classes are also available for preschool-aged children of Peace Church attendees.



Third full week in June, Monday-Friday mornings
Online registration opens first Sunday in May at peacepca.org/vbs



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#### **JOIN US!**

If you love children, join our multi-generational team to point them to Jesus. New volunteers are guided and mentored by more experienced leaders.

In order to protect our children and those who work with them, Peace has a robust Child Protection Policy. The policy includes protection guidelines, specific online training requirements, and background checks for those who work with children in any capacity. See details at peacepca.org/cpp.

#### **Youth Ministries**



Peace Youth is all about pointing middle and high school students toward relationship with Jesus. While our culture doesn't often take young people very seriously, we recognize that students are exploring truth claims, asking questions, and making decisions that will affect the rest of their lives. Our goal is to be a positive support and an encouraging resource to youth and their families during these important years of spiritual formation.



Sunday mornings, 9:45-10:45am (Sunday School) Sunday nights, 5:30-7:30pm (Dinner, Games, Lesson) Wednesday nights during the school year, 7-8:30pm (Community Groups)

Various retreats, service projects, and activities throughout the year



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American Heritage Girls

Kingswood Elementary School

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**Scouts** 

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# Outreach and Missions





#### **American Heritage Girls**



American Heritage Girls (AHG) is a faith-based program for girls 5-18 years of age. AHG is dedicated to the mission of building women of integrity through service to God, family, community and country. Troops participate in badge programs, service projects, leadership opportunities, and outdoor experiences. Volunteers serve as unit leaders and assistant leaders. In addition, we have a troop board and support ministry roles that oversee the ministry.



Monday evenings September through May from 6:30–8pm at Peace Church

Attendance on Mondays may not be necessary for some support roles.



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#### **Kingswood Elementary**



Students from many ethnic and socio-economic backgrounds learn together in Kingswood's bright, welcoming halls. Whether you're a retired educator or a young professional with a flexible lunch break, connect with Kingswood ES for the opportunity to love kids, families, and teachers in Cary. Volunteers might help spruce up school grounds or organize treats for teacher workdays.



Periodic events



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#### **Local Ministries**



The Local Ministries Team evaluates and determines which local organizations or efforts to support. Each member is assigned an advocate for multiple efforts. Each advocate is encouraged to meet with his/her organization at least quarterly to receive updates and to pray with and for them.



Monthly meetings Scheduled outings with assigned organizations Regular correspondence with assigned organizations via email, telephone, and personal meetings



local.ministries@peacepca.org

#### **Scouts**



Peace is home to four active groups of the Boys Scouts of America: Cub Scout Pack (boys and girls, K-5th), Troop for Boys (ages 10-17), Troop for Girls (ages 10-17), and Sea Scout Ship (boys and girls, ages 14-20). Founded by Peace parents, they are now local community ministries. Adults to coordinate events or lead within groups could assist Scout parent volunteers. Church youth could mentor community youth while sharing Scouting adventures.



Tuesday nights: Scouts BSA and Sea Scout BSA (weekly, year-round) Wednesday nights: Cub Scouts (weekly, school year) Camping and high adventure trips, family events, community involvement.



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#### **World Ministries**



The goal of the World Ministries Team is to help Peace Church fulfill our part of the Great Commission related to global, cross-cultural evangelism and discipleship. Our purpose is to:

- Educate and inspire the congregation in the global fulfillment of the Great Commission (Matthew 28)
- Stimulate the church's intercessory prayer for Great Commission ministries
- Serve as a liaison between the church and the those we support.
- Administer and evaluate the World Ministres program, and make budget recommendations to the Session.



Quarterly committee meetings Sunday afternoon prayer group Periodic visits / dinners with ministry visitors Annual World Missions conference



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**Preschool** 



#### **Preschool**



Peace Preschool is a play-based, half-day preschool run on a traditional calendar. We emphasize exploration and learning through play, and we also provide developmentally-appropriate academic training designed to prepare children for Kindergarten as they get older.

Our school accommodates 70 students and fourteen teachers divided into four classes: a two-year-old class (Noah's Doves), a three-year-old class (Daniel's Cubs), a four-year-old class (Peter's Fish), and a transitional Kindergarten class for five-year-olds (Solomon's Horses).



Classes Monday - Thursday from 9am-12:30pm



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