

Naperville-Aurora Serving Opportunities



Organization Name: Mission Possible

Contact Name at Organization: Robin Meyer

- Phone: 630 234-4221
- Email: robin@onjesusmission.org
- Address: Various locations in the heart of Aurora

Volunteer Role: Small home repair and yard work volunteers

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Use your skills in carpentry, painting, and gardening for small indoor and outdoor projects. Skilled laborers welcome!

Time Commitment or Schedule:

2-8 hours depending on scope of project

Training Required:

License required for plumbers and electricians. No training required for other volunteers.

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: Responsible children age 10 and up with supervision of parent or guardian

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Both, depending on project.

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Organization Name: Mission Possible

Contact Name at Organization: Linda Baer

- Phone: 630 415-8080
- Email: linda@onjesusmission.org
- Address: tbd (Downtown Aurora)

Volunteer Role: Help launch and run a new, free health care clinic.

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Provide medical, administrative or interpreter skills. Physicians, nurses, physical therapists, chiropractors, dentists, hygienists, ophthalmologists, optometrists, opticians, nutritionists, diabetes educators, pharmacists, Christian counselors all needed.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Minimum of two to four hours a month

Training Required:

Active Illinois license required for all medical practitioners. Orientation for Administrative and interpreter volunteers.

Is Background Check Required? Copy of current medical license required.

Minimum Age: Adults only

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Individuals

Additional Information: This facility will be opening early 2012

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Organization Name: Mission Possible

Contact Name at Organization: Robin Meyer

- Phone: 630 234-4221
- Email: robin@onjesusmission.org
- Address: The Mission Possible Mission Fields at the corner of LaSalle and Washington in downtown Aurora

Volunteer Role: Help create a new community garden in downtown Aurora.

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Plant and tend an urban vegetable garden that will beautify the neighborhood and provide healthy food for children and families.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

2-4 hours a week primarily on Saturdays, though other work such as weeding can be done according to your availability

Training Required:

No training necessary but basic gardening skills are a blessing. Experienced landscapers welcome especially for tilling the soil.

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: Any age.

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Both. Families welcome too!

Additional Information: Pre-season work will begin soon if you are willing to help start seedlings in your home.

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Organization Name: Wayside Cross Ministries

Contact Name at Organization: Kale Little

- Phone: 630 723-3437
- Email: klittle@waysidecross.org (preferred)
- Address: 215 E. New York Aurora 60505

Volunteer Role: Work in the warehouse to ready donated merchandise for sale

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Sort, price and prepare furniture, household items and clothing for the Wayside Cross Re-Sale store.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Times are very flexible but will need to be scheduled in advance. Ideally a group would devote 2-3 hours monthly to serve in this role.

Training Required:

No. Orientation at time of first service

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: Minimum age 18 of serving alone, 10 with parental supervision

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Groups are particularly valued, but individuals are welcomed.

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Organization Name: Wayside Cross Ministries

Contact Name at Organization: Kale Little

- Phone: 630 723-3437
- Email: klittle@waysidecross.org (preferred)
- Address: 215 E. New York Aurora 60505

Volunteer Role: Retail store work

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

General retail duties such as stock maintenance, cashier duties, pricing and tagging merchandise and working with customers.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Store hours are Monday-Friday from 10:00AM-7:00 PM. Any of these hours are available but must be scheduled.

Training Required:

Some. Provided at time of first service.

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: Minimum age 18

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals?

Individuals and groups of 2-3 are most helpful. This is a great opportunity to have a relational experience with the residents as they work the store on a daily basis.

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- Address: 215 E. New York Aurora 60505

Volunteer Role: Maintenance and Small Remodeling projects

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Handy men and women to do small remodeling projects in residential rooms and provide regular maintenance such as painting and other such projects.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

As needed but there are always ongoing projects. Saturdays are best.

Training Required: No

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: Minimum age 18

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals?

Groups are particularly valued, but individuals are welcomed.

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- Phone: 630 723-3437
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- Address: 215 E. New York Aurora 60505

Volunteer Role: Community Outreach Shop

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Work sorting and preparing items for donation to individuals and families in crisis replacing basic necessities lost in catastrophic events. This is a crisis intervention ministry. There may be some limited contact with community members.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Saturday is good; evenings are possible but all times must be scheduled in advance.

Training Required: Orientation provided.

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: Minimum age 18

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals?

Individuals and groups of 2-3 are most helpful.

Naperville-Aurora Serving Opportunities



Organization Name: Triple Threat Mentoring

Contact Name at Organization: Sue Natiello

- Phone: 630 570-9506
- Email: volunteer@triplethreat.org
- Address: 501 College Ave Ste 120 Aurora

Volunteer Role: Program Volunteer

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Work with youth ages 8-18 in programs in Athletics, Academics or Arts such as group mentoring and community service projects.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Programs generally run 8 weeks with a commitment of 2 hours per week requested.

Training Required: Volunteer Orientation Training- provided

Is Background Check Required? Yes

Minimum Age: 16 or older

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals?

Best suited for individuals

Additional Information:

Programs are held off site in locations around East Aurora

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Organization Name: Triple Threat Mentoring

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- Phone: 630 570-9506
- Email: volunteer@triplethreat.org
- Address: 501 College Ave Ste 120 Aurora

Volunteer Role: Event Volunteer

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

A variety of event roles including preparation, check-in, kids games & crafts, set-up and tear-down, awards prep and serving in athletic assistance roles.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

One time commitment; work is assigned in shifts.

Training Required:

Trained on site at time of event

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: High school or older

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals?

Individuals or groups depending on event

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Organization Name: Triple Threat Mentoring

Contact Name at Organization: Sue Natiello

- Phone: 630 570-9506
- Email: volunteer@triplethreat.org
- Address: 501 College Ave Ste 120 Aurora

Volunteer Role: Administrative Help

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Assist with a variety of office functions as needed.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Minimum of 2 hours per week on a scheduled basis

Training Required:

Volunteer Orientation Training- provided

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: 18 or older

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals?

Best suited for individuals

Naperville-Aurora Serving Opportunities



Organization Name: Servantworks

Contact Name at Organization: Matt Hook

- Phone: 630 205-5023
- Email: mhook@servantworks.org
- Address: 14 W Downer Place Suite 10 Aurora 60506

Volunteer Role: Shipping and Receiving

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Receive shipments from Thailand. Fulfill orders to customers.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Regular weekly commitment of 2 or more hours.

Training Required:

Minimal at time of first service.

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: 13

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals?

Most opportunities are for individuals; however in busy seasons there may be enough to allow for small group participation.

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Organization Name: Servantworks

Contact Name at Organization: Matt Hook

- Phone: 630 205-5023
- Email: mhook@servantworks.org
- Address: 14 W Downer Place Suite 10 Aurora 60506

Volunteer Role: Administration

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Do mailings, data entry and other office work as needed.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Regular weekly commitment of 2 or more hours.

Training Required:

Minimal at time of first service.

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: 13

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals?

Individuals

Naperville-Aurora Serving Opportunities



Organization Name: Loaves and Fishes

Contact Name at Organization: April Eichele

- Phone: 630 355-3663 ext 113
- Email: volunteer@loaves-fishes.org
- Address: 556 W. 5Th Ave Naperville or 1871 High Grove Lane Naperville

Volunteer Role: Warehouse Help

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Sort produce, stock shelves, box donations. Requires some lifting.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Three hour shifts at any of these times Monday 9:30 AM-12:30 PM or 12:30 PM-3:30PM. Friday 9 AM-12PM or 12 PM- 2 PM

Training Required: Orientation at time of first service

Is Background Check Required?

No but an application must be completed

Minimum Age: 18 (14-17 year olds can volunteer individually Sunday 12 PM-2 PM or Monday 3:30 PM-5 PM)

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals?

Groups are best but individuals welcome

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Organization Name: Loaves and Fishes

Contact Name at Organization: April Eichele

- Phone: 630 355-3663 ext 113
- Email: volunteer@loaves-fishes.org
- Address: 556 W. 5Th Ave Naperville or 1871 High Grove Lane Naperville

Volunteer Role: Distribution

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Help food pantry clients in aisles with food choices. Requires being on your feet for about 3 hours.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Three hour shifts at any of these times Tuesday/Wednesday 9 AM-12 PM or 12 PM-3PM; Thursday 1:30 PM-5PM or 5PM-7PM; Saturday 7:30AM-9:30AM, or 9:30AM-12:30PM

Training Required:

Orientation at time of first service

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: 18 (14-17 year olds can volunteer individually Sunday 12 PM-2 PM or Monday 3:30 PM-5 PM)

Naperville-Aurora Serving Opportunities



Organization Name: Hesed House District 129 Liaison Department

Contact Name at Organization: Erika Wackenhut

- Phone: 630 740-8397
- Email: ewackenhut@sd129.org
- Address: 659 S. River Street Aurora 60506

Volunteer Role: Read to children

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Come and read to children who are staying in the TLC (Transitional Living Center) or at the PADS location at Hesed Homeless Center

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Any weekday evening between 6:30 PM and 8:00 PM, scheduled in advance. Ideally, these volunteers would commit to coming every week.

Training Required: If you can read you can do this!

Is Background Check Required?

Yes. Provided through Hesed House

Minimum Age:

High school and up if volunteering individually. 10 with parental supervision.

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals?

Both. Every child deserves a good story.

Additional Information:

Hesed House tries to provide as much normalcy as possible to children living in shelters. Some restrictions are placed on high school students to prevent volunteers from coming into contact with school mates who might be staying at the shelter.

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Organization Name: Hesed House District 129 Liaison Department

Contact Name at Organization: Erika Wackenhut

- Phone: 630 740-8397
- Email: ewackenhut@sd129.org
- Address: Hesed Library 659 S. River Street Aurora 60506

Volunteer Role: Homework Club Volunteer

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Provide homework help to a child living in a shelter. Under significant stress from being homeless, homework help can keep them current with schoolwork.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Wednesday evenings from 6:30-8:00PM. Please make a commitment of at least one semester.

Training Required:

Orientation. Ongoing training for all opportunities is available one Saturday morning per month but is not mandatory.

Is Background Check Required? Yes. Provided through Hesed House

Minimum Age:

High school and up if volunteering individually; 10 with parental supervision.

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Both.

Additional Information:

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Contact Name at Organization: Erika Wackenhut

- COMMUNITY Liaison:
- Phone: 630 740-8397
- Email: ewackenhut@sd129.org
- Address: 659 S. River Street Aurora 60506

Volunteer Role: Harvesting Hope Ministry Volunteer

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Interact with children from first to fifth grade to help them develop social skills and a sense of self worth. Act as a positive influence for children and a role model for parents to emulate. Read, play games, hang out and have fun!

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 6:30-8:00 PM.

1 ½ - 3 hours a week.

Request volunteers to make a six month commitment to provide consistency for the children.

Training Required:

Orientation. Ongoing training for all opportunities is available one Saturday morning per month but is not mandatory.

Is Background Check Required? Yes. Provided through Hased House

Minimum Age:

High school and up if volunteering individually; 10 with parental supervision.

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Both.

Additional Information:

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Naperville-Aurora Serving Opportunities



Organization Name: Hammerheads Repair Ministry

Contact Name at Organization: Brian Stupay

- COMMUNITY Liaison: Brian Stupay
- Phone: 630-428-4887
- Email: Bstupay@aol.com
- Address: 509 Aurora, Naperville IL 60540

Volunteer Role: Providing home repairs and other hands-on help to people in crises.

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

We do lots of "stuff"...painting, moving, carpentry, plumbing, yardwork, flooring and general handy-person projects.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

We generally meet every other Saturday, but our schedule is flexible depending on the amount of work we have lined up. No one has to commit to every Saturday, and no help is too little. We have a very firm policy of "Commit when you can...leave when you must". Our "work day" typically runs from 8:00 in the morning until around 2:00 in the afternoon...again, leave when you must.

Training Required:

None...the Hammerheads welcomes skilled tradespersons, on the job learners and general laborers.

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: 16

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Both

Naperville-Aurora Serving Opportunities



Organization Name: Family Focus Aurora

Contact Name at Organization: Karen Lopez 630 844-2550 karen.lopez@family-focus.org

- COMMUNITY Liaison: Judy Singer
- Phone: 630 414-0724
- Email: beardiegirl@aol.com
- Address: Waldo and Simmons Middle Schools and East Aurora High

Volunteer Role: Youth Development Program assistance

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Tutoring middle and high school students with an emphasis on math and science

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Program runs Monday- Friday from 3:15-4:30. Time commitment is flexible but at least one day a week is preferred.

Training Required: No

Is Background Check Required? Yes

Minimum Age: 18

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals?

Best suited for individuals.

Additional Information:

Have a personal relationship with a student and make a substantial impact in the life of a teenager.

Naperville-Aurora Serving Opportunities



Organization Name: Family Focus Aurora

Contact Name at Organization: Mireya Luna 630 256-7033 mireya.luna@family-focus.org

- COMMUNITY Liaison: Judy Singer
- Phone: 630 256-7033
- Email: beardiegirl@aol.com
- Address: 550 Second Street Aurora 60505

Volunteer Role: New American Initiative assistance

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Assist in completing Citizenship Applications. Volunteers do not need to be bilingual

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Saturday mornings once a month, dates to be determined.

Training Required: One 2 hour training session

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: Adults only

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Individuals

Naperville-Aurora Serving Opportunities



Organization Name: Family Focus Aurora

Contact Name at Organization: Judy Singer

- COMMUNITY Liaison: Judy Singer
- Phone: 630 414-0724
- Email: beardiegirl@aol.com
- Address: 550 Second Street Aurora 60505

Volunteer Role: Child Care

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Provide child care while parents are receiving assistance in one of Family Focus Aurora's programs.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Days and times are varied and include Friday afternoon from 4:00 -6:30 PM, Monday-Friday 9:00 AM- 12:30 PM and Tuesday from 1:00-2:30 PM

Training Required: Orientation

Is Background Check Required? Yes

Minimum Age: Over 18

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Individuals or groups of adults

Naperville-Aurora Serving Opportunities



Organization Name: Emmanuel House

Contact Name at Organization: Rick Guzman rick@emmanuelhouse.org

- COMMUNITY Liaison: Rick Guzman
- Email: rick@emmanuelhouse.org
- Address: Any locations agreed upon by families and Small Group members

Volunteer Role: Small Group Friendship Partner

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Meet regularly with your Emmanuel House resident family to befriend them, visit them regularly and coach them through everyday questions and events involved in becoming homeowners.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Several contacts a month that could be split between Small Group members, but frequent enough to build meaningful relationships between families.

Training Required: No

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age:

No minimum age. It would be wonderful to have children of like ages involved across economic and cultural borders.

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals?

Small Groups and family members.

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Organization Name: Emmanuel House

Contact Name at Organization: Jacqueline Arrellano
Jacqueline@emmanuelhouse.org

- COMMUNITY Liaison: Jacqueline Arrellano
- Email: rick@emmanuelhouse.org

Volunteer Role: Silent Auction Planning Team

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Work with the team to plan, organize and execute the annual Bryan/Emmanuel House auction.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Flexible, limited meetings in spring and summer. Up to 5 hours a week from September until auction date in November.

Training Required: No

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: Adults Only

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Both

Naperville-Aurora Serving Opportunities



Organization Name: Emmanuel House

Contact Name at Organization: Rick Guzman rick@emmanuelhouse.org

- COMMUNITY Liaison: Rick Guzman
- Email: rick@emmanuelhouse.org

Volunteer Role: Maintenance Projects

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Help with ongoing maintenance and beautification projects at Bryan House or any of the Emmanuel House apartments such as painting, small repairs and landscaping.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

One morning (Saturday) or evening per month spring through fall; less in winter months.

Training Required:

No; Some handyman, painting or gardening skills helpful.

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: Adults Only

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Both

Naperville-Aurora Serving Opportunities



Organization Name: DuPage Pads

Contact Name at Organization: Anne O'Dell

- COMMUNITY Liaison:
- Phone: 630 682-8567 ext 350
- Email: aodell@dupagepads.org
- Address: Various including Downers Grove and Wheaton
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Volunteer Role: Provide volunteer support at overnight housing sites

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Duties range from setting up sleeping areas and serving food to overnight supervision

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Various shifts from 5:30 PM to 8:00 AM (Days of the week?)

Training Required: Orientation provided at time of first service

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: Adults Only

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals?

Small groups are encouraged for this serving opportunity.

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Organization Name: DuPage Pads

Contact Name at Organization: Anne O'Dell

- COMMUNITY Liaison: Phone: 630 682-8567 ext 350
- Email: aodell@dupagepads.org
- Address: Address needed

Volunteer Role: Employment Readiness Support and GED Preparation

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Job coaching, basic computer literacy instructor, computer trainer, mock interviewer, data entry assistant

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Monday-Friday One or two hours, one day a week. Office hours?

Training Required: Orientation provided at time of first service

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: Adults Only

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals?

These are better suited for individuals or groups of three to four people.

Naperville-Aurora Serving Opportunities



Organization Name: 3 H Ministries

Contact Name at Organization: Jeff or Michelle Burchett

- COMMUNITY Liaison:
- Phone: 630 631-1327
- Email: michelleburchett@yahoo.com
- Address: 1435 E New York St Aurora IL 60505

Volunteer Role: Thrift Shop Volunteer

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Sort, price and stock clothing and household items.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

2-3 hours a week on a regular schedule preferred. Store hours are 10:30AM - 6:00PM M-F and 11:00AM-6:00 PM Saturday

Training Required: No

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: No

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals?

Individuals or groups of 3-4

Additional Information:

The Thrift Shop is the primary source of funding for the other 3H ministries. Donations of clothing and household items is also needed.

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Contact Name at Organization: Jeff or Michelle Burchett

- Phone: 630 631-1327
- Email: michelleburchett@yahoo.com
- Address: 1435 E New York St Aurora IL 60505

Volunteer Role: Mentor and Role Model

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Join the Tuesday evening worship service and impact those outside society. Homeless, hungry and probably addicted, the men this ministry serves are truly “the least of these”

Time Commitment or Schedule: Tuesday evening 6:30-8:00 PM

Training Required: No

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: Over 18

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Both

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- Address: 1435 E New York St Aurora IL 60505

Volunteer Role: Mentor and Role Model

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Spend time with young people aged 18-25 who have made bad choices in life resulting in addictions, early parenthood and a variety of other damaging behaviors. Listen to their stories, show God's love and model right living.

Time Commitment or Schedule: Friday evening 6:30-8:00 PM

Training Required: No

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: Ages 18-26 preferred but must be at least 18

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Both

Additional Information:

There is a growing heroin addiction problem in our communities that is trapping young and old alike. Join the leaders at 3H to fellowship over food, listen to music, hang out and become a friend to the friendless.

Naperville-Aurora Serving Opportunities



Organization Name: Senior Services Associates Inc. – Kane County Senior Companion Program

Contact Name at Organization: Norma Turner

- Phone: 630-897-4035
- Email: nturner@seniorservicesassoc.org
- Address: 900 N. Lake St. Suite 205, Aurora IL 60506

Volunteer Role: Friendly visit to a senior minimum 1 hour per week.

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Weekly visits by volunteers committed to making a positive difference in the life of a senior citizen. Visits will be made wherever the senior lives, in a private home, retirement center or care facility.

Time Commitment or Schedule: 1 hour per week

Training Required: None

Is Background Check Required? Yes

Minimum Age: 18 or over

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Individuals

Additional Information:

While this organization serves all of Kane County, most of the seniors served are in Aurora.

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Organization Name: Hands of Hope Meals Team

Contact Name at Organization: Cyndi Cobb

- Phone: 630-759-5440
- Email: cobbca@sbcglobal.net
- Address: 1830 Snead Street Bolingbrook 60490

Volunteer Role: Meal preparation

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Cook and/or deliver meals to families in need of assistance due to death, illness, new baby, job loss, etc. Can also supply gift cards or frozen meals.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Varies with need, approx. 6-8 times per year

Training Required: none

Is Background Check Required? no

Minimum Age: none, kids are welcome to help!

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Both

Additional Information:

We use Mealbaby, which is an interactive website, for all of our meal scheduling. An email gets sent out any time there is a need with the mealbaby link. You can click on the link and sign up for as many or few meals as you would like. All of the pertinent information about the family including number of people, allergies, likes and dislikes are available on the website. You will also be given contact information so you can work with the family on when and how to drop off the meal.

Naperville-Aurora Serving Opportunities



Organization Name: Community 4:12

Contact Name at Organization: Kirsten Strand

- COMMUNITY Liaison: Kirsten Strand
- Phone: (630) 388 - 5140
- Email: kirstenstrand@communitychristian.org
- Address: 1635 Emerson Lane, Naperville, IL 60540

Volunteer Role: Administration and Marketing Support

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Help with basic administration and marketing tasks . . .creating and/or copying flyers & brochures; mailings; website & Facebook maintenance; data entry

Time Commitment or Schedule:

Flexible hours and time commitment; work from home opportunities

Training Required: No

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age:: no minimum age, but must be dependable and computer savvy

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Individuals

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Contact Name at Organization: Kirsten Strand

- COMMUNITY Liaison: Kirsten Strand
- Phone: (630) 388 - 5140
- Email: kirstenstrand@communitychristian.org
- Address: 76 S. LaSalle Street, 3rd floor, Aurora, IL 60505

Volunteer Role: Administer Justice Legal Clinic assistants

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Volunteers needed to provide hospitality, serve as greeters, administrative assistants, and translators at the monthly legal clinics offered at the East Aurora Campus. Also, Administer Justice always needs volunteer lawyers to serve at their various clinics in the area.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

1st Saturday of every month, approx. 9:00 am – 1:00 pm.

Training Required: yes

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: 18

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Both

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Contact Name at Organization: Kirsten Strand

- COMMUNITY Liaison: Kirsten Strand
- Phone: 630-388-5140
- Email: kirstenstrand@communitychristian.org
- Address: Brady Elementary, 600 Columbia Street, Aurora IL 60505

Volunteer Role: Brady Buddy Classroom Helper

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Help in a classroom at Brady Elementary school for one or more hours/week. You may choose the day, time, and preferred grade level.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

one or more hours/week during school hours

Training Required: No

Is Background Check Required? Yes

Minimum Age: Age 16

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Individuals

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- Phone: (630) 388 - 5140
- Email: kirstenstrand@communitychristian.org
- Address: 1635 Emerson Lane, Naperville, IL 60540

Volunteer Role: East Aurora Restore Team

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Commitment to live and serve in East Aurora and be part of the team working on education, housing, and business development opportunities.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

3 – 5 year commitment

Training Required: Yes

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age: Individuals and families

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals?

Individuals and families

Additional Information:

This is an opportunity for individuals and families looking for a long-term, high investment missional opportunity to be part of a development & restoration team in an under-resourced community.

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Contact Name at Organization: Kirsten Strand,
kirstenstrand@communitychristian.org

- COMMUNITY Liaison: Beth Gulczynski
- Phone: (630) 257-5917
- Email: tbgulczynski@sbcglobal.net
- Address: Brady & Bardwell Elementary Schools, East Aurora

Volunteer Role: Christmas Gift Mart Planning & Donation Teams

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Planning teams prepare for the big December Gift Marts where toys are sold to low-income families at a reduced price, and all proceeds are donated back to the schools. Planning team positions include kids' activities, gift wrapping, gift mart, toy collection, hospitality, donation solicitation and more. Volunteers also needed to serve the day of the event and at set-up the day before.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

The planning team works off and on all year, with the bulk of the work happening between September and December. The Gift Mart is held the 2nd or 3rd Saturday in December.

Training Required: No

Is Background Check Required? No

Minimum Age:

Adults for planning team; kids allowed to serve at the Gift Mart with adult

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Both

Naperville-Aurora Serving Opportunities



Organization Name: Community 4:12

Contact Name at Organization: Kirsten Strand,
kirstenstrand@communitychristian.org

- COMMUNITY Liaison:Carolynn Fulford
- Phone: 630-417-2063
- Email: makespex@sbcglobal.net
- Address: Brady Elementary, 600 Columbia Street, Aurora IL 60505

Volunteer Role: Kids Hope Mentor or Prayer Partner

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Work 1-1 with a student at Brady Elementary School in East Aurora to provide a positive relationship with an at-risk child. OR, partner with a mentor to pray for the child and mentor.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

one hour/week during school hours

Training Required: Yes

Is Background Check Required? Yes

Minimum Age: Age 18 and older

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Individuals

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Organization Name: Community 4:12

Contact Name at Organization: Kirsten Strand,
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- COMMUNITY Liaison: Tina Sisko
- Phone: 630-548-0917
- Email: trsisbzy@wowway.com
- Address: Brady Elementary, 600 Columbia Street, Aurora IL 60505

Volunteer Role: Saturday Stars Tutor

Description of Volunteer Responsibilities:

Help 3rd graders learn basic skills in reading and math.

Time Commitment or Schedule:

10:00 am – 12:00 pm on Saturdays, minimum commitment of twice/month

Training Required: No; all materials and instructions provided each week

Is Background Check Required? Yes, for age 18 and older

Minimum Age: Age 14

Are there opportunities for small groups or just individuals? Individuals