

Being involved at New Song Kids Camp gives you a unique opportunity to impact young campers' lives positively. Whether helping with arts and crafts, organizing or leading fun activities and games, or simply offering a listening ear, you can create a memorable experience for all involved. Join us at New Song's Kids Camp in 2024 to help shape campers' Faith Journeys and foster community. There are two ways to serve at New Song KIDS CAMP — both are essential!

Volunteer Staff:

- ✝ **Helpers** (*Current 5th and 6th graders*) Limited spots available +- 5 spots
 They will still be considered “campers” in training and will help and assist Transporters in transporting campers from one rotation to the next while actively participating in all activities. 5th and 6th Graders must fill out **this first page** and register as a camper at newsonganthem.com under the Kids Camps & Retreat 2024 tab.
- ✝ **Transformers | Transporters | Group Leaders** (*Current 7th and 8th-graders*)
 They will be referred to as Transformers, who will serve as Transporter/Group Leaders and, in some special cases, might be called upon to be Activity Leaders. These leadership positions require orientation and specific time commitments. As a volunteer staff member, you will be provided with a list of expectations and will assist or lead activities in our small groups when needed.

Paid Staff:

- ✝ **Activity | Group Leaders** (*Current 9th Grade - College Students*)
 A limited number of people between the ages of 15 and 25 will be called to serve as small groups or activity leaders. Due to budget constraints, we will be unable to hire all the talented people who are qualified for these positions. Paid staff are required to participate in pre-camp learning, attend Staff Training, acquire First Aid and CPR certificates, attend all staff meetings, comply with Safe Haven Guidelines, and be prepared daily.

☐ **STAFF** ☐ **VOLUNTEER**

| EDUCATIONAL BACKGROUND | | | | | | | |
|--|--|---------------|--|-----------------------|--|--------------|--|
| Name of School College University | | | | | | Grade | |
| STAFF INFORMATION | | | | | | | |
| Full name | | | | Date of Birth | | | |
| Mobile # | | Email | | | | | |
| HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION PARENT/GUARDIAN | | | | | | | |
| Full name | | | | Relationship to Staff | | | |
| Phone number | | E-mail | | | | | |
| Mailing Address – Street, City, State, Zip | | | | | | | |
| CAMP DATES Indicate which weeks you are available (You may check (X) multiple boxes) | | | | | | | |
| Session 1 | | March 11 – 15 | | Session 2 | | May 21 – 24 | |
| Session 3 | | May 28 – 31 | | Session 4 | | June 3 – 7 | |
| Session 5 | | June 10 – 14 | | Session 6 | | June 17 – 21 | |
| Session 7 | | June 24 – 28 | | | | | |

| EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Full name | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Relationship to Staff | | | | | | | Phone number | | | | |
| CHURCH AFFILIATION | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Are you a member of a church? | | | <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO | | Name of church | | | | | | |
| Contact person (Our Preference Youth Pastor or Director) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| How are you involved in your local church? | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WORK VOLUNTEER HISTORY | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Date | | Company/Organization | | Position | | Supervisor | | Phone | | | |
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| REFERENCE | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Name | | | Relationship | | E-mail Address | | | Phone # | | | |
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| A LITTLE ABOUT YOU | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Favorite Things | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Color | | | | Drink | | | | Food | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Hobbies | | | | Fast Food | | | | Restaurant | | | |
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| T-shirt Size | | | | Any Allergies | | | | | | | |
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| Any Dietary Restrictions | | | | | | | | | | | |
| What experience do you have working with children? | | | | | | | | | | | |
| CAMP PROGRAM SKILLS - Please check (X) what areas are of interest to you | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Arts and Crafts | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Music Vocal | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Instrumentals | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Drama Skits Acting | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Dance | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Poetry Spoken Word | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Creative Writing | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Journalism | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Painting | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Woodworking | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Photography | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Videography | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Group Games | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Sign Language | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Storytelling | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Bible Study | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Mission Projects | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Worship | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Outdoor Living | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Geocaching | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Gardening | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Nature Study | | <input type="checkbox"/> | S.T.E.M. | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Astronomy Stars | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Rocks Minerals | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Cooking or Baking | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Puzzles & Games | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Knitting | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Crocheting | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Scrapbooking | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Mission Lessons | | <input type="checkbox"/> | Snacks | |
| Please list skills or activities you can teach or assist with (If a sport, please list it here) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WALK OF FAITH | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Describe your gifts and strengths related to working with children. Describe the areas in which you need to improve. | | | | | | | | | | | |
| What recent experience has contributed to your growth as a Christian? | | | | | | | | | | | |

Who is your favorite person from the Bible? Why?

SIGN & SUBMIT

To be completed by your parent (if you are under 21 years old)

..... (name) has my permission to serve as a camp staff member at New Song Church during the sessions indicated. I understand my child will participate in a Christian camp that values youth and strives to equip young people for leadership. I agree that New Song Church, LEAD, and/or the ELCA will not be held responsible for accidents arising thereof. I am responsible for any medical obligations incurred during these camp activities and give the camp permission to seek treatment in case of injury or illness. I do give permission for New Song Church, Camp Hope Ministries, LEAD, and or/ the ELCA to use, publish or disclose in newsletters, brochures, periodicals, posters, website, or other media-related vehicles, any photographs, videos, audios, or other material in which my child may have appeared, spoken, written or otherwise been represented.

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I hereby attest to the accuracy of the information I have provided. I authorize the camp to investigate the statements herein, including background checks, work history, and driving records, and release New Song Anthem Church and all others from any associated liability.

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Parent/Guardian or Your Signature

...../...../.....
Date

*** If you are an ADULT or volunteer staff (18 or older), we will need to run a background check before you serve any time at camp ***