

Creche Worker: Role & Responsibilities

Creche Overview

To give parents the opportunity to serve within the church, and/or to have regular opportunities for uninterrupted times of worship/hearing The Word, we would like to offer a creche facility in the side room of the main hall.

Time commitment: 1 Sunday service per month max (1.5 hours) Overseen by- Rae

We are looking for someone who has a heart for babies/toddlers, who enjoys spending time with them. In practice this role will be one of two creche workers looking after babies/toddlers from the time worship starts until parents collect the children after the closing prayer. This role will require the volunteer to have an enhanced DBS check which Cornerstone would apply for on your behalf.

Responsibilities

- Initially, to spend time with the families who will be using the creche facility, mainly to give the little ones a chance to meet and recognise you and to start to build a relationship before being left alone with you.
- When on duty, to listen to any care instructions from parents before the service begins.
- To play with/care for the little ones in the side room during the course of the service, until their parents collect them after the closing prayer.
- If a nappy change/potty is required, go and get a parent, who will see to this.
- Talk to the parents beforehand about how long you should attempt to comfort a distressed baby/toddler before calling for the parent. This will vary from child to child.
- In creche, volunteers don't wear masks as it is important for babies/toddlers to see the faces of those caring for them.

If you are interested in finding out more about this role, please ask Rae

