

## **GLORYbound 2008: ADULT VOLUNTEER APPLICATION PROCESS**

### **who should apply?**

Anyone:

- Able and willing to serve during GLORYbound 2008 (Friday, November 28<sup>th</sup>– Sunday, November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2008: Thanksgiving weekend)
- Between the ages of 19 and 95+
- With a team service attitude
- Willing to work hard and have fun helping others

### **how to apply?**

- Read this form to determine if you meet **ALL** of the necessary requirements
- Fill out the “Adult Volunteer Application Form”
- Have the referral form filled out by **TWO** people who know of your service experience (Pastor, DCE, Youth Minister, Employer, not a relative)
- Upon acceptance, you receive an email with further details and will need to send in the \$69 registration fee

### **important dates** (Mark your calendars now)

- September 1, 2008 – Applications deadline (don’t be late!)
- October 1, 2008 – Registration Fee deadline (\$69)
- 1:00 p.m. Friday, November 28, 2008 – **MANDATORY** Training
- 5:00 p.m. Sunday, November 30, 2008 – You can go home!

### **in these materials you will find:**

- Expectations Sheet
- Application Form
- Reference Form (turn in TWO copies)
- Information Sheet

#### **side note:**

This will be an awesome event with tons of things to keep us busy, it will be fun and exciting. Please help us meet our goal of 100 Adult Volunteers.

### **mail application & references to:**

St. Paul Lutheran Church  
GLORYBOUND 2008  
Attn: Dan Parker, DCE  
4405 Hospital Drive  
Vernon, TX 76384

### **questions?**

Contact Dan Parker at [volunteer@gloryboundtexas.org](mailto:volunteer@gloryboundtexas.org)



## ADULT VOLUNTEER EXPECTATIONS

1. Adult Volunteers will be expected to help and interact with numerous people in an enthusiastic and Christian way at all times (24-7 for the length of the event).
2. Adult Volunteers are expected to be at training **Friday, November 28<sup>th</sup> at 1:00 pm** (the day after Thanksgiving).
3. Adult Volunteers will be expected to perform all tasks and duties requested to the best of their abilities at all times.
4. Adult Volunteers will be expected to work from early in the morning until late at night (around 12-15 hour days).
5. Adult Volunteers should expect little or no free time during the event.
6. Two meals are covered in the cost of registration and some refreshments will be provided, but all other food will be “on your own.”
7. Adult Volunteers are expected to be drug and alcohol free for the entirety of the event. **NO EXCEPTIONS!**

### **Here is the process:**

1. Fill out the enclosed application form and mail no later than **September 1, 2008.**
2. Give the reference forms to a Pastor, DCE, Youth Worker, Campus Pastor, Employer, College Professor – any adults who know you well enough and can testify to your character (not your parents). Reference forms need to be in by **September 1, 2008.**
3. Applications will be reviewed and decisions made in September.
4. Accepted applicants will receive an email with further details.

We will need approximately 100 Adult Volunteers. You will be selected as individuals, not as members of a church group or campus contingency.

Thank you for your interest! God’s blessings to you!

***Dan Parker***, GLORYbound 2008 Volunteer Coordinator  
[volunteer@gloryboundtexas.org](mailto:volunteer@gloryboundtexas.org)





## ADULT VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Male/Female (circle one)

City, State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Home Congregation \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation/School \_\_\_\_\_

Briefly describe yourself (personality characteristics, interests, etc.)

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List significant church and community volunteer activities.

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Briefly describe your relationship with Christ.

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Adult Volunteers may be asked to help with Registration, Crowd Control, Display Areas, Assist Speakers or Musicians, Help with Games, Monitor a dance, etc. Would you have any problems or difficulties in assisting with these types of activities?

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Special Interest: \_\_\_\_\_

Stage Help: \_\_\_\_\_

Tech Crew: \_\_\_\_\_

Booths/Games: \_\_\_\_\_

General Help: \_\_\_\_\_

Positive Christian role models are very important in Youth Ministry. This involves 24/7 examples in speech, in dress, and in actions. You will be asked to abide by a set of standards you will receive if your application is approved. Would you have any problems or difficulties doing so?

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A proper understanding of “gifts” and our responsibility and privilege in using them to God’s glory is a key component of GLORYbound 2008 **PULSE!** Please share with us any special talents or abilities that you have, that you feel could enhance GLORYbound 2008 **PULSE!**

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Anything else you would like us to know about you?

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(Signature of Applicant)

(Date)



## ADULT VOLUNTEER APPLICATION

### CONFIDENTIAL REFERENCE FORM

This is a reference for the applicant named below who is applying to be a Adult Volunteer at *GLORYbound 2008*

Adult Volunteers will assist in a variety of ways at *GLORYbound 2008*. They will perform meaningful tasks which will develop leadership abilities in a service capacity. They will be serving as role models for Christian youth. They will need to work well with others for an extended period of time in exciting, routine, or challenging situations.

They must have the resources to go the extra mile in getting the job done. Adult volunteers will be selected based on their application information and these written recommendations.

With this information and what you know of this individual, please complete this form and mail to the address provided ASAP. All materials are due no later than **September 1, 2008**. Thank you!

Applicant's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Your Name \_\_\_\_\_

Your Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Phone (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

**Complete (front & back) & mail to the address below by September 1<sup>st</sup>, 2008!**

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Applicant's Name \_\_\_\_\_

My observations of this applicant's ability to carry out the listed duties of a

Adult Volunteer: \_\_\_\_\_

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Any concerns I might have about this applicant:

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I do / do not (please circle one) recommend this applicant at this time.

Other roles I have seen this applicant in which lead me to this conclusion:

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Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

