

# **Noah's Boat Team Volunteer Profile**

## **Purpose of the ministry**

Within Holy Trinity, we seek to know Christ better and make Him known by living and demonstrating the good news in all we say and do.

#### What the role involves

- Time and day of team activity or meeting Toddlers 9.30 am on Mondays mornings, until 11.30 am
- 2. How often do we meet? Weekly in term time
- 3. How much time commitment is required per meeting? More than 3 hours
- 4. What is the role of a volunteer? Arriving early to set up the hall with toys, crafts and meeting to pray. Serving coffee/tea and snacks for the toddlers and parents. Talking to parents. Helping to tidy away. Three main leaders take turns to lead singing or tell Bible story. Both craft and story prep done at home
- 5. Is preparation required for meetings? Yes if they want to lead in any capacity
- 6. What training is provided? Attend toddler training days, sometimes run by the diocese, sometimes online. Opportunity to attend Emergency Paediatric First Aid Course
- 7. Is a DBS safeguarding check required? Yes

### Typical "SHAPE" Profile

Sometimes a certain kind of person is better suited to one role than to another. What might a typical volunteer look like in this area of serving?

<b>S</b> piritual Gifts (see eg Romans 12:3-8)	A serving attitude, discernment. Prayerful and encouraging
<b>H</b> eart for (zeal for a need or cause)	Families with young children, particularly for parents in the early years of parenthood. Kindness needed and supporting, encouraging and sharing faith matters
Abilities/skills (from education, work or life)	Need to be sociable and confident in building trust and relationships with families.
Personality (extrovert/introvert, task or team, detail or big picture)	Comfortable in a team and a good listener. Need energy and enthusiasm, and patience
Experiences (good ones or painful ones if relevant here)	Sympathy and compassion needed when sad things happen like miscarriages or death of a baby (which has happened). Breakup of relationships, Safeguarding. Important that volunteers know who to contact and what to do.

#### Who to contact next:

Email Carole Crouch, Rosie Chapman or Jackie Hoey Phone