**CHILDREN'S WORKER for 0-11YRS**

**APPLICATION FORM (Full-Time)**

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **PERSONAL DETAILS** | |
| **Name:** |  |
| **Address:** |  |
| **Telephone:** |  |
| **Email:** |  |
| **DOB:** |  |
| **PERSONAL BACKGROUND** | |
| **How long have you been a Christian? Please give brief details of your conversion and Christian growth.** | |
| **What significant challenges have you faced in seeking to follow Christ?** | |
| **How do you sustain your spiritual life and what areas of spiritual growth are you developing at present?** | |
| **How is a commitment to personal evangelism evidenced in your own life?** **What are your main hobbies/interests and how do you seek to build them into your life?** | |
| **Which churches have you belonged to over the last 7 years?** | |
| **Briefly list any positions of responsibility/ministries you have been involved in these churches.** | |
| **What theological/ministry/relevant training have you undertaken?** | |
| **FAITH AND DOCTRINES** | |
| **Are you in agreement with the *Statement of Faith* of City Church?** | |
| **Are you in agreement with the *Doctrinal Distinctives* of City Church?**  **If not, please indicate which *Doctrinal Distinctives* you are not in agreement with, and why you are not in agreement. (Please note that agreement with the *Doctrinal Distinctives* is not required for this post, but you would be expected to agree to abide by them if appointed to this post).**  **Outline any doctrinal emphases or church practices with which you would find it difficult to work** | |
| **What do you believe about the Bible and its role in Christian life and work?** | |
| **What do you believe about the person and work of the Lord Jesus Christ and what does this mean to you personally?** | |
| **EMPLOYMENT RECORD** | |
| **Please provide details of your previous employment, including the names of your employers, dates of employment, job titles and brief details of your responsibilities. You may prefer to submit your CV alongside this application if that is preferred.** | |
| **PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE IN MINISTRY** | |
| **What previous experience do you have of children’s ministry and what was involved?** | |
| **What do you consider to be your ministry gifts, abilities and talents, and how has God used them up to now?** | |
| **What has been your personal experience of training and facilitating others?** | |
| **What has been your experience of leading a team or ministry, if any?** | |
| **PERSONAL QUALITIES** | |
| **Please comment on why you believe that you would be able to undertake the *Key Responsibilities* identified for this post in the Job Description.** | |
| **Please comment on why you believe that you possess the *Core Competencies* identified for this post in the Job Description?** | |
| **What would you consider to be your main character strengths?** | |
| **Outline areas which you might consider weaknesses.** | |
| **How do you cope with pressure?** | |
| **How easy or difficult do you find it to take criticism? Can you describe a situation in ministry where you have had to learn from your mistakes?** | |
| **REASONS FOR APPLYING FOR THIS POST** | |
| **Why have you applied for this post at City Church?** | |
| **What further training, if any, would you like to receive if you were to be appointed to this post?** | |

|  |  |
| --- | --- |
| **REFERENCE REQUEST** | |
| **Please could you supply the name of two Referees you would be willing for us to contact to request a reference on your behalf, one of which must be your current church minister.** | |
| **REFEREE 1** | |
| **Name:** |  |
| **Address:** |  |
| **Email:** |  |
| **Contact Telephone:** |  |
| **Church of Referee** |  |
| **Position of Referee** |  |
| **REFEREE 2** | |
| **Name:** |  |
| **Address:** |  |
| **Email:** |  |
| **Contact Telephone:** |  |
| **Church of Referee** |  |
| **Position of Referee** |  |