



**The Gathering Place® Child Care Centers
Application for Employment**

Please print or type:

Date: _____

Name: _____ Maiden Name: _____

Address: _____
Street City State Zip

Phone: (home) _____ (mobile) _____ (emergency) _____

Social Security Number: _____

Are you a U.S. citizen? _____ If not, do you possess an Alien Registration Card? _____

What position are you applying for? _____

At which location do you prefer to work? _____

Is there any reason why you might not be able to perform the duties and responsibilities of the position on a continual basis during the next twelve month period? _____ If yes, please explain:

Are there any time restrictions that you are limited to? _____ If so, please explain:

Ohio Law requires all child care center employees to be fingerprinted and have a background check of prior convictions. Do you have any prior convictions? _____ If so, please explain:

Have you lived in Ohio for the past five years? _____ If no, please list all states you have lived in: _____

Academic Background

High school attended: _____

Date graduated: _____ GED date: _____

Undergraduate college or university attended: _____

Graduation date: _____ Degree: _____ Major: _____

Certifications held: _____

List your student teaching experience (Certified teachers only):

School: _____ Cooperating teacher: _____

Dates: _____

Graduate school attended: _____

Graduation date: _____ Degree: _____ Major: _____

Highest graduate degree held: _____

Please list any other educational experience not covered above, such as first aid training, common childhood illness, prevention of child abuse, workshop or seminars:

Please list three (3) personal references (no relatives) that we may contact regarding your professional skills and character:

1. Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Relationship: _____ Years known: _____

2. Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Relationship: _____ Years known: _____

3. Name: _____ Phone: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Relationship: _____ Years known: _____

Statement of Faith

1. Have you received Christ as your personal Savior and Lord? If so, briefly describe your personal experience with God (if necessary, please use the back of this page): _____

2. Briefly explain how you personally maintain your relationship with God: _____

3. What church do you attend? _____ How long? _____
4. Please read The Gathering Place Statement of Faith. Are you in agreement? _____
If not, please explain: _____

The Gathering Place Statement of Faith

We believe:

1. The Bible to be the inspired, infallible, authoritative Word of God (2 Tim. 3:16-17; 2 Peter 1:19-21).
2. There is only one God, eternally existent in three persons; Father, Son and Holy Spirit (Gen. 1:26; 2 Cor. 13:14).
3. In the deity of our Lord Jesus Christ, in His virgin birth, in His sinless life, in His miracles, in His vicarious and atoning death through His shed blood, and in His bodily resurrection, in His ascension to the right hand of the Father, and in His personal return in power and glory (John 1:1-3; Phil. 2:6-11).
4. That man, originally created in the image of God, fell from that high and holy estate, and lost all spiritual life, and that he is a sinner against God's holy laws and character (Gen. 1:27; Rom. 3:10, 23; 4:12-19).
5. That for salvation of lost and sinful man, regeneration by the Holy Spirit is absolutely essential. Salvation is by God's grace alone, and is received through whole hearted acceptance of Jesus Christ as personal Savior. Through being born again, man becomes a new creature in Christ Jesus (John 3:3; 2 Cor. 5:17; Titus 3:5).
6. In the present ministry of the Holy Spirit, by whose indwelling the Christian is able to live a godly life and be effective in Christian witness. That each believer is gifted and enabled to minister within the body of Christ. That the fruit of the Spirit (Christ's character) is developed in those controlled by the Spirit of God (Gal. 5:22, 23; 1 Peter 4:10,11; Eph. 4:1-16).
7. That baptism and communion hold a high place in the life of a Christian, and the practice of such is essential to their Christian walk (Matt. 28:19; Rom. 6:4; 1 Cor. 11:23-27; 2 Cor. 13:5).
8. In the resurrection of both the saved and the lost: the saved to a resurrection of life and the lost to damnation (Matt. 13:41, 51; John 5:28, 29; Rev. 20:11-15).

Employment Experience

Please list your present or most recent employer:

Employer: _____ Position held: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Immediate Supervisor: _____ Dates of Employment: _____

Reason for leaving: _____

List prior employment:

Employer: _____ Position held: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Immediate Supervisor: _____ Dates of Employment: _____

Reason for leaving: _____

Employer: _____ Position held: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

Immediate Supervisor: _____ Dates of Employment: _____

Reason for leaving: _____

Discuss any other jobs and special skills or qualifications which you consider relevant to your application for this position: _____

To what professional or civic organizations do you belong? _____

Are you fully aware that The Gathering Place is a non-profit, religious educational organization, and that as an employee you would be asked to teach and model Christian values and principles, as well as be held accountable to those standards? _____

The next page is a statement that is required to fulfill Ohio law regarding crimes involving children or violence. Please read it and fill in the appropriate spaces, then sign your name.

Agreement

I certify that answers given herein are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I authorize you to make investigation and inquiries of my personal employment, financial, medical, criminal and other related matters as may be necessary in arriving at an employment decision. I hereby release employers, schools or persons from all liability in responding to inquiries in connection with my application.

In the event of my employment, I understand that false or misleading information in my application or interview(s) may result in immediate discharge. I understand also that I am required to abide by all rules and regulations of The Gathering Place Child Care Center.

I also understand that employment with The Gathering Place is at-will, meaning employees may choose to end the employment relationship at any time and for any reason, and The Gathering Place has the same right.

Signature of Applicant: _____ Date: _____