

# Introduction Form

## For Joining a Ministry Team at CCD

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*In the same way, deacons are to be worthy of respect, sincere, not indulging in much wine, and not pursuing dishonest gain. They must keep hold of the deep truths of the faith with a clear conscience. They must first be tested; and then if there is nothing against them, let them serve as deacons.*

### **1 Timothy 3:8-10**

**We are glad that you are interested in serving in a ministry at Calvary Chapel Düsseldorf!** Our hope and prayer is that everyone who calls CCD his/her spiritual home would be able to use his/her gifts to honor God and edify the church and thereby grow spiritually as well.

Please carefully read the requirements for serving in a ministry, and if you have any questions, speak to a ministry leader, an elder, or the pastor. **Submit your completed form to the leader of the ministry you wish to serve in.** He or she will then arrange a time to meet with you. *Completing this form does not automatically make you a member of a specific ministry.*

#### **Requirements for Serving in a Ministry at CCD:**

1. You must be a born-again Christian.\*
2. You should have been worshipping on Sundays at CCD regularly for at least six months. CCD should be your “spiritual home.”
3. Your life should reflect a relationship with God.
4. You should be punctual and able to serve with a high level of commitment.
5. You should know and uphold the structures and faith, church, and leadership beliefs of CCD.
6. You should be aware of your responsibility to set an example as a servant and representative of Jesus and the church.
7. For service in children’s and youth ministries, a police background check is also required.

\*A born-again Christian is someone who has come to know deeply that he/she is a sinner unable to save himself/herself by “good works” such as church attendance, baptism, or the faith tradition of parents. The Christian understands that salvation is only available by grace through faith in Jesus Christ because Jesus died on the cross in our place. He/she has turned away from sin and placed his/her personal trust in Jesus Christ as risen Savior, confessing Him as Lord of his/her life and confirming it by obedience to His commandments.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Marital status:  unmarried     married     divorced     widowed

**When and how did you become a Christian?**

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**What other church(es) have you attended regularly in the past?**

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**Have you been baptized? If so, when (year) and in what church?**

No.     Yes, \_\_\_\_\_ (year), \_\_\_\_\_ (church)

**Since when have you been worshiping regularly at CCD?**

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**Do you regularly attend a home group or Bible study?**

No.     Yes, led by \_\_\_\_\_

**Are you already serving in another Ministry Team at CCD?**

No.     Yes: \_\_\_\_\_

**In what ministry would you like to serve and why? What gifts and abilities do you see in yourself that you would like to use in this ministry?**

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**How well do you speak and understand German? (This is not a requirement.)**

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Date and signature: \_\_\_\_\_