

The MDPC Service Opportunity Finder

If you'd like to find a place to serve, check out our Service Opportunity Finder, a powerful tool that takes your spiritual gifts and your personal skills and interests, and matches them to available opportunities. The first step in the process is to input your Spiritual Gifts, and your personal skills and interests. Those combined results will generate the best possible matches toward finding opportunities that are just right for you.



STEP TWO

To get started, go to the **mdpc.org** website, and click on the large blue **SERVE** button (you can skip this step by using the url **serve.mdpc.org**).

SERVE

Find the Service Opportunity that's Right for You!

MDPC can connect you to a variety of volunteer opportunities that will allow you to grow, to belong, and to bless others.

Finding the right opportunity is based on matching your Spiritual Gifts, Personal Skills, and Personal Interests with the opportunities available.

If you have not taken the *Spiritual Gifts* inventory, you should do so before proceeding. With your results in hand, return to this page and continue the process.

To begin, click on the blue "Get Started" button below:

- Login to your existing account, or, create a new account
- Select or update your specific Spiritual Gifts, Personal Skills, and Personal Interests by clicking the boxes
- Hit "Save" one time
- This will take you to the Service Opportunity Finder. (The boxes you clicked will determine the opportunities best suited to your individual affinities.)
- Use the filters to narrow or broaden your results.



CONNECT

- Upcoming Events
- Live Stream
- Learn about Membership
- Classes & Groups
- Serve
- Prayer
- Counseling

STEP THREE

Click on the blue **GET STARTED** button.

STEP FOUR

At the login page, either login, or, follow the steps to create an account if needed.

LOGIN OR REGISTER FOR ACCOUNT

SIGN IN

Username:

Password:

Keep Me Logged In

MY MDPC

- PUBLIC APPLICATIONS**
- Online Giving
- Service Opportunity Finder
- SECURE APPLICATIONS**

PERSONAL SKILLS

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Accounting/Finance | <input type="checkbox"/> Acting/Directing | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Artist/Graphic Arts | <input type="checkbox"/> Arts/Crafts |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Calligraphy | <input type="checkbox"/> Caregiving | <input type="checkbox"/> Carpentry | <input type="checkbox"/> Childcare |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Community Service | <input type="checkbox"/> Computer IT | <input type="checkbox"/> Construction | <input type="checkbox"/> Counseling |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dance | <input type="checkbox"/> Data Entry | <input type="checkbox"/> Decorating/Design | <input type="checkbox"/> Electrician |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Engineering | <input type="checkbox"/> Event Planning | <input type="checkbox"/> Food Service | <input type="checkbox"/> Foreign Language |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Front Office | <input type="checkbox"/> Fundraiser | <input type="checkbox"/> Garden Landscaping | <input type="checkbox"/> Handyman |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Health Related | <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality/Food | <input type="checkbox"/> Hospitality/Greeting | <input type="checkbox"/> Human Resources |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Legal | <input type="checkbox"/> Library | <input type="checkbox"/> Lighting/Stage Help | <input type="checkbox"/> Marketing |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Medically Trained | <input type="checkbox"/> Microsoft Office | <input type="checkbox"/> Music/Children | <input type="checkbox"/> Music/Choir/Vocal |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Musical Instrument | <input type="checkbox"/> Painting/Set Design | <input type="checkbox"/> Photography | <input type="checkbox"/> Proof Reading |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Public Speaking | <input type="checkbox"/> Sewing | <input type="checkbox"/> Sign Language | <input type="checkbox"/> Small Group Leader |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Sound/Audio | <input type="checkbox"/> Special Needs | <input type="checkbox"/> Stephen Ministry | <input type="checkbox"/> Teaching |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Telephoning | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Tutoring/Mentoring | <input type="checkbox"/> TV/Video | <input type="checkbox"/> Vacation Bible School |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Web Design | <input type="checkbox"/> Writing | | |

STEP FIVE

Once logged in, you'll find yourself on the **MY SPIRITUAL GIFTS, PERSONAL INTERES, AND PERSONAL SKILLS** page, where you can begin to input your Spiritual Gifts, and your personal skills and interests by clicking the appropriate boxes. Once you've completed this step, click **SAVE** (just one time, please!)

SAVE

STEP SIX

After hitting **SAVE**, you'll be taken to the **Service Opportunity Finder**. You'll note that your previous selections have already generated multiple opportunities that fit with your individual selections. It will even provide you a percentage estimate of the accuracy of each match. Click on individual opportunities to learn more about them.

SERVICE OPPORTUNITY FINDER

The Service Opportunity Finder is a tool to help you connect with current volunteer and serving opportunities.

If you are logged in, you will see the Opportunities based on your unique Spiritual Gifts, Personal Interests and Personal Skills.

You can search for opportunities in several different ways by using the arrows below:

- by ministry area
- by serving type (at MDPC, in Houston and in the world beyond our city)
- by matching your own interests and skills to a service opportunity

Congregation

Ministry

Serving Type

Keyword

Match Your Interests to Current Opportunities

If you would like to see all opportunities available, please unselect the box above, and click Search.

Spiritual Gifts

Personal Interests

Personal Skills

SEARCH

MY MDPC

PUBLIC APPLICATIONS

Online Giving

Service Opportunity Finder

SECURE APPLICATIONS

My User Account

My Giving History

My Contribution Statement

My Subscriptions

My Gifts, Interests & Skills

My Groups

My Mission Trips

Glass, Ginny

Logout

STEP SEVEN

Use the selections to narrow or broaden your results as desired, hit **SEARCH** again, and your results will update. Contact information is available for each opportunity, so call, email, or leave a message (via the form).

So if you're looking for opportunities to serve at MDPC, in Houston, or around the world, the Service Opportunity Finder is the place to go!

Should you have questions, or need additional help, please contact Diann Turet at dturet@mdpc.org or 713-490-9553.