



All Peoples Church

& World Outreach

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LIFE GROUPS COORDINATOR

SUMMARY

The Life Groups ministry is an important part of local church ministry and is an extension of pastoral ministry to the congregation. As Life Groups Coordinator you will facilitate APC becoming a strong community where every believer is ministered unto and every believer becomes a minister, through healthy and vibrant life groups around the city. This will involve strengthening existing Life Groups (LG) at APC through ongoing support and training and identifying and starting new LGs with the help of Life Group Facilitators in each location.

VISION

APC is a family church, an equipping center and a world outreach. Our goal is to nurture, disciple, equip and empower God's people to fulfil their God appointed purpose. You will serve in fulfilling this vision among the local church community.

SCOPE

Will extend across all APC Bangalore locations.

Please review the APC Organization Chart available on OUR TEAM page (apcwo.org/about-us/our-team).

ROLE DESCRIPTION

The responsibilities of the Life Groups Coordinator include but are not limited to the following:

- Oversee the growth and nurture of Life Groups (LGs) at APC – Ensure all existing LGs are meeting as scheduled.
 - Ensure strengthening of existing LGs where every LG maintains time for worship, prayer, study of the Word, fellowship, ministry to people's needs, evangelism, and developing new leaders. Visit existing LGs that put forward a need for help in functioning.
 - Connect with LG leaders – Work with LG leaders and study the report sent periodically and identify areas of need for growth and help them grow.
 - Equip leaders periodically to ensure they reach higher levels and they in turn could equip members in their LGs.
 - Oversee what is being taught in the LGs.
 - Develop new LGs – with the help of Life Group Leaders in each location lookout for new Leaders who can start new LGs. Provide training and support to new Leaders as they start their LGs.
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- Connect people in church to a LG – encourage every believer/member in APC to be a part of a LG. To set up a process in place where every believer is encouraged to become a part of a LG. To encourage LG leaders to connect with newcomers so they can be combed into LGs.
 - Personally, and regularly visit LGs to provide encouragement and support. Must be mobile and able to travel across the city during the day, evenings and weekends as required.
 - Promotions - Run regular campaigns to inform, motivate and mobilize APC congregants to connect to a LG.
 - Start new kinds of small groups – look for opportunities where small groups can be started and nurtured. These include, but are not limited to: workplace LGs, LGs for single-mothers, LGs for senior citizens, LGs for special interest groups (e.g. athletes, entrepreneurs, etc.).
 - Overtime as the number of LGs grow, develop a structure to organize and manage hundreds of LGs across the city. There are several models of what churches around the world have done to successfully oversee several hundred LGs in a city. Develop a similar approach that would best fit APC's ministry in Bangalore city.

QUALIFICATIONS/EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS

- A definite and discernible call to pastoral ministry in a local church context, with a passion to nurture and disciple people.
- A good testimony among your current local church community with a demonstratable strong personal walk with God.
- A strong, demonstratable emphasis on personal study of God's Word and a strong personal walk with the Holy Spirit.
- A strong, demonstratable ability to teach and preach God's Word with clarity, and simplicity.
- Alignment to APC's Statement of Faith (see apcwo.org website)
- A Bachelor's degree (any field) is required. An advanced (Masters level or higher) degree (any field) preferred. Individuals will be required to attend all of APC's Weekend Schools. Individuals may also be requested to attend courses at APC-Bible College to help provide necessary spiritual equipping.
- Active involvement in local church ministry for a minimum of five years, either in volunteer or full-time capacity.
- Prior experience in working in teams of five or more people, both as a team member and as a team leader, either in a professional or local church environment.
- Including the above requirements, preference will be given to (A)those who have graduated with a 3-year degree from APC Bible College or (B)those who have actively served/volunteered at APC for a minimum of 5 years and have attended all of APC's Weekend Schools.



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KNOWLEDGE & SKILLS REQUIREMENTS

- Person of integrity.
- Servant heart. A good follower.
- Strong leadership skills. Ability to influence and lead people through personal life example.
- Strong communication skills – both written and oral.
- Good computer skills.
- Good people skills. Must establish and foster exemplary relationships with church staff, volunteers, and members.
- Planning and organizing skills.
- Caring, compassionate and hospitable nature.
- A good listener and counselor.
- Being willing to go the extra mile.

ADDITIONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

- At APC we are continuously growing and expanding hence, you will be required to share in additional responsibilities.
- Being able to work under pressure and meet deadlines.
- Willingness to work long hours when required.

OPPORTUNITIES

As opportunities arise, and depending on your skills, you will be able to:

- Travel and serve on APC Missions.
- Teach at APC Bible College.
- Minister at APC services, conferences, and Weekend Schools.

Over time, based on your personal development and performance you will have the opportunity of growing internally at APC to take on other ministry roles that are of interest and suited for you.

As APC is a local church and Christian ministry, all positions require people who are passionate about Jesus Christ, and who are called, anointed and committed to serving Him and people to see lives touched and transformed into Christ-likeness.

Please note, that all staff positions at APC require individuals who have a definite call of God, who are organized, strong leaders, responsible, team players, punctual, committed to excellence, maintaining a strong personal walk with God, leading by example, and sold out to God!
