

Christina Pinion

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Ministry Skills

Creating and teaching lessons

Personal integrity and honesty

Classroom management

Team leadership skills

Relatable and approachable

Works well with children

Education

Bachelor of Arts in Christian Ministry

Ozark Christian College

Children's Ministry Major

*Preaching and Teaching Convention Nursery and
Preschool Coordinator (2017)*

*Related Coursework: Strategies for Teaching,
Foundations of Children's Ministry, Strategies for
Children's Ministry, Practical Issues in Children's
Ministry, Curriculum Planning Seminar, and Crisis
Counseling*

*Member of the choir during the Living Christmas Tree
(2014, 2015)*

Graduated May 2017

Joplin, Missouri

*Preaching and Teaching Convention
Elementary Volunteer (2015, 2016)*

President's Scholarship Recipient

Ministry Experience

Assistant Teacher of Sunday School

Promiseland Fellowship

Perform various duties with children 8-9 years old such as:

Teach age appropriate curriculum

Encourage and pray with children

January 2017 - Current

Granby, Missouri

*Create growth and application
opportunities*

Children's Ministry Intern

The Light Church

Performed various duties with children 2 years old through 6th grade such as:

*Oversaw the check-in booth before service to ensure
safety for the children*

Related to the kids by talking and playing with them

August 2016 - November 2016

Joplin, Missouri

*Attended monthly meetings to aid in the
growth of the programming*

Head Teacher of Youngest Group**August 2015 - April 2016***West Side Christian Church**Joplin, Missouri***Performed various duties with children 4 years old through 2nd grade such as:***Created relatable lessons that included an introduction, Bible story, craft/game, discussion questions, and real life application**Communicated with other volunteers about lessons**Scheduled lessons and teaching opportunities for volunteers***Volunteer Teacher for TAPs****October 2009 - March 2013***Promiseland Fellowship**Granby, Missouri***Performed various duties with children from infancy through age 5 such as:***Encouraged children in worship**Instructed children about God through Bible lesson and memory verses**Disciplined the kids out of love by encouraging and reassuring them**Fervently praying for and with the kids***Work Experience****School Plus Counselor****August 2015 - May 2017***Heritage Youth Development Center**Webb City, Missouri***Worked with children in kindergarten up to 6th grade in areas such as:***Interacted with the children by talking, helping, and playing**Tutored 1st graders by assisting them in various assignments such as: math, reading, spelling, and vocabulary**Created various musical activities**Communicated behavior, incident, and discipline reports with parents**Encouraged teamwork, good sportsmanship, and respect between children among other students and among teachers***Custodian****August 2013 - May 2015***Ozark Christian College**Joplin, Missouri***Performed various custodial duties in the lower level of the library such as:***Sanitized building floors in classrooms, hallways, offices, and bathrooms by sweeping, mopping, and vacuuming**Cleaned windows, door glass, and mirrors**Emptied office, bathroom, and classroom trash**General upkeep of both men and women's restrooms*

Reset classrooms by straightening desks and cleaning whiteboards

Personal Information

Married to former OCC student, Caleb Pinion since December 2016

Very creative: singing, drawing, painting, crafting, and writing

Actively involved at Promiseland Fellowship

Was number 5 out of 113 in class rank at East Newton High School for the class of 2013

References available upon request