

Gospel Echoes Thrift Store & Warehouse 411-B Osler Rd, Osler, SK Store: (306) 239-4230

Statement of Faith

We believe the entire Bible, and that it is the only inspired word of the one uncreated and triune Creator God, and that it will stand forever. (St. John 1:1)

We believe that the Lord Jesus Christ is the only Son of the living God who, by His virgin birth, appeared among man as the Lamb of God to be the supreme sacrifice, the only atonement for the sin of all men by the shedding of His precious blood on the cross of Calvary. (Luke 1:26-35; St. John 3:1-21)

We believe that Jesus died, was buried, arose from the grave on the third day, ascended into Heaven where He is now as the mediator between God and man, and that He shall return to take His bride, the church, to be with Him forever. (Matt. 27:34-28:10; Luke 24:50-53; John 14; Acts 1:9-11)

We believe that those who do not accept Jesus Christ as their personal Savior shall upon departure from this life enter a place of conscious eternal punishment, Hell. (Revelation 20:14-15; Matt. 10:28-30; Luke 16:23; Mark 9:42-48)

We believe that our primary responsibility in this life is to fulfill the Great Commission of our Lord, to evangelize the world through the power and guidance of the Holy Spirit. (Acts 1:4-8)

We, the Gospel Echoes Team members, are committed to work together in love with all born-again Christians to accomplish this great task before the return of our Lord Jesus Christ whose Kingdom shall have no end.

In the ministry of the Gospel Echoes Team we feel our responsibility and calling is especially to help men and women in need behind bars.

Matthew 25:36 "I WAS IN PRISON AND YE VISITED ME ... "

This Statement of Faith represents the core beliefs of Gospel Echoes Team Association, Canada West and fuels our mission. We ask that all full time and regular part time employees and/or volunteers be able to stand in support of this Statement of Faith.

Statement of Representative Affirmation

I have read the Gospel Echoes Team Association, Canada West Statement of Faith and recognize its value to the organization's ministry and mission. I will stand in support of this Statement of Faith in all activities in which I represent Gospel Echoes Team Association, Canada West.

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Name (print): _____

Gospel Echoes Thrift Store Volunteer Form

Personal Information

Name (print):	Date:
Primary phone:	Secondary phone:
Email:	
Are you here to accumulate hours for an organiza	ation? \Box yes \Box no
If yes, please indicate which organization you are	accumulating hours for (check box):
□ Department of Justice	
High School Credit:	
□ Other:	

Church History

This section is optional. We would like to know which churches are supporting the work at Gospel Echoes Thrift Store.

I consider _____ my home church.

Medical

Please provide us with some medical information to assist us in case of emergency.

Emergency Contacts:

1. Name:	Primary Phone:	2nd Phone:
2. Name:	Primary Phone:	2nd Phone:

Please provide any medical conditions, medications or diagnoses that you feel may be helpful for us to know about in the case of an emergency:

Volunteer Interests

Check all that apply.

	Furniture repair
Pricing clothing	Cutting shop rags from old clothing
□ Pricing houseware, toys, etc	Retail organization - Includes customer interaction
□ Pricing shoes & purses	Pricing books
Clothing repair	Cleaning & organizing
☐ Receiving goods and sorting them out - includes interacting with customers	Material handling - includes moving boxes, cleaning up, handling recyclables, etc.
Testing electrical items	☐ Testing/repairing hardware and appliances
Other (describe)	

Shifts

The Thrift Store & Warehouse are open from Monday to Friday. The AM shift runs from 9:30am - 1pm. The PM shift runs from 1pm - 5pm. In addition, the Thrift Store is open Saturday; shifts on that day are 10am - 1pm and 1pm - 4pm.

Please check those shifts which work for you. If you want to volunteer every week, please indicate so in the last column. Regardless of which shifts you choose, you can discuss arrangements with the Store Manager.

	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat (store)	Every week
AM							
PM							

Gospel Echoes Thrift Store Staff Policies

1. Volunteer and Staff Purchases

Volunteers and staff (Paid and non-paid) are not permitted to price their own purchases. Please ask management to price your item. If management is not around, please ask one of the other volunteers.

All staff purchases must have a price sticker on it and be brought to the cash register and paid for the same day, unless otherwise arranged with management.

If a cashier is buying something, he or she must allow a different cashier to ring it through the till. We understand that staff may not always have time to try items on, so staff are allowed to return items of clothing within 1 week of purchase, but they must have the original price tag still on it and also have a receipt.

2. Please don't gossip

If you have a concern about a staff member please tell management. If you have a concern about the manager, then contact the board of directors and they will address the concern. (The board member contact information is hanging in the staff room.) It does a lot of damage when we tell people that have nothing to do with the problem.

"Let no unwholesome word proceed from your mouth, but only such a word as is good for edification according to the need of the moment, so that it will give grace to those who hear." Ephesians 4:29

3. Cashiers and staff that deal with customers

Please do your absolute best to treat customers with respect. Be very careful what you say because there are a lot of people listening and when we are working here, we represent Gospel Echoes and as Christians we represent Christ.

"Therefore, we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God were making an appeal through us; we beg you on behalf of Christ, be reconciled to God." 2 Corinthians 5:20

4. Apparel

All clothes must be work-appropriate. Clothes that are too revealing or inappropriate aren't allowed. Staff must avoid clothes with stamps that are offensive or inappropriate.

We appreciate our volunteers a lot and we thank you for your service to this place and to Gospel Echoes. Please understand that these policies are a guardrail in keeping us on track. We want to keep our workings here fair and honest.

We ask for you to pray for the leadership of the thrift store and to respect the way we do things. If you have suggestions, please come and let us know.

Thanks, God bless you!

Please sign to acknowledge that you have read and understand this document.

Signed: Date:	
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Name (print):