

WORSHIP TEAM LEADER

Leads the singers and musicians on a worship team



Introduction

While everyone should worship with their whole lives, one of the most powerful ways to worship is when the Body of Christ gathers on a regular basis at church through music. This worship is led by a Worship Leader. Besides the Teaching Pastor, the Worship Leader has the most time on stage and therefore the most influence upon a worship service.

Role

Under the direction of the Worship Director and in coordination with the Weekend Service Leader, you will ensure that your team helps draw people into the worship of God. Additionally, you will pastor your team members in actively pursuing God in their lives.

Responsibilities

- Pray for your team consistently and before each rehearsal and service.
- Build a schedule for your team at least six weeks before they are scheduled to serve. Ideally they will be scheduled for a whole quarter out.
- Make sure your team has the necessary instrumental and vocal roles filled by helping your team members to find substitutes when necessary.
- Choose the key and arrangement in which your team will play each song.
- Ensure each team member has the necessary chord charts, sheet music, recordings, and PursueGODnetwork or PursueGOD resources required for when they serve.
- Lead your team in a efficient and productive rehearsal prior to the service so that the team is prepared and able to play to the best of their ability.
- Lead the congregation in worship and guide with openings, transitions, and closes in the service.
- Work with the Worship Director in regard to spiritual and musical needs on your team.
- Assess the health of your team, set goals, and follow-up on previous goals.
- Develop an apprentice to be a future Worship Leader.
- Lead a PursueGODnetwork or PursueGOD conversation with your team between services or before rehearsal starts to invest in the training and pastoring of your team.
- Debrief with your team after each rehearsal and service. Remind team members why we debrief and how they fit into the discipleship culture.

Meetings

- Attend semiannual All Volunteer Meetings.
- Meet once a month with the Worship Director.
- Attend "Team Night" worship team meetings.

Training

- [Foundations For Leaders](#)
- [Worship 101](#)
- [Worship Leader Training 101](#)
- [What Is Worship Mentoring](#)
- [Four Principles For Worship Mentoring](#)