

# WORSHIP TEAM

## *Responsibilities and Expectations*



### 1 Introduction

The worship of God should be central to the life of every Christian. It can also be a powerful experience in helping to draw spiritual seekers closer to the beauty and grace of God. One of the most powerful types of worship is the corporate, musical worship of God as the Body of Christ gathers on a regular basis.

### 2 Worship Team Member Role

Worship teams play a very important role in the weekend Gateway services of our church as they use their musical gifts from God to facilitate corporate, musical worship. Team members work together under the leadership of a volunteer team leader who is led and supported by the Lead Pastor and Worship Developer for that campus.

### 3 Worship Team Member Responsibilities

Worship team members are expected to:

- Cultivate a healthy and growing relationship with God
- Submit themselves to the leadership of the worship team leader
- Interact respectfully with their fellow team members and campus leaders
- Respond to Planning Center scheduling requests promptly (leaders schedule 4 - 6 weeks out)
- Read and apply all worship leader instructions prior to rehearsing/leading
- Come to rehearsals /services on time and prepared with personal practice happening at home
- Attend at least 80% of scheduled weekend worship team serving commitments
- Give the worship team leader as much notice as possible when unavailable to serve
- Avoid cancelling on their worship team last minute except for under extreme circumstances
- If sick the week of serving, please contact your team leader no later than Wednesday in order to find a sub replacement in time
- Find a sub when unable to serve and notify your team leader of your replacement
- If unable to find a sub replacement, contact your team leader for help
- Mentor members of other worship teams with a similar instrument/skill set when needed/able

### 4 Requirements for Worship Team Members

Pursue God through the ministries of our church:

- Complete an application and audition process
- Complete [Worship Team 101](#) training series with a worship team mentor or your worship team
- Complete [Worship Team 201](#) training series with a worship team mentor or your worship team
- Engage in a mentoring culture by being mentored and by mentoring others on and off the team
- When not scheduled to serve, attend your campus consistently to stay involved in campus life
- Abide by the [Worship Team Lifestyle Guidelines](#) and the [Worship Team Dress Code](#)
- Commit to serving on a worship team for a minimum of 6 months

### 5 Agreement

If you can commit to the above listed responsibilities and expectations, please sign and date here: