



Worship Team Information and Application

Our vision and goals are:

- To be People Growing Together through **Gospel, Relationship, Outreach, Worship**
- To be genuine people who honor the Lord with authentic worship on and off the platform.
- To be a team of Spirit filled worship leaders used by the Lord to lead others into God's presence.
- To protect and enable the atmosphere in which the Spirit of God is invited to save, deliver, heal, and transform lives.
- To be saturated with the anointing of the Holy Spirit while ministering with excellence and in humility.
- To reach our community for Christ through evangelism and outreach in the community, both as a team and individually.

Each member on the Worship Team is a Worship Leader. Three key attributes of leaders are Character, Chemistry, and Competence. Team Members do not need to be perfect people, but, instead, realize that because of God's grace they have been blessed and gifted musically. We are looking for people who are available and desire to use their God-given musical abilities to see Christ glorified in and through their lives.

Holding a position on the Worship Team is a great responsibility, and it is imperative that all members are spiritually mature Christians of high integrity and character, living lives above reproach. And while we extend grace to all people as we have received it from our Lord Jesus, it is our responsibility to hold each other accountable for as "iron sharpens iron...one man sharpens another" (Proverbs 27:17).

In addition, unity and harmony amongst the team is vital. Musically and spiritually, Team Members are to be united in Christ, concerned for one another as it regards to the ministry and their personal walk with Christ. Therefore, team members must work well together, for "how can two walk together, unless they agree" (Amos 3:3).

Jesus declares "to whom much is given, from him much will be required" (Luke 12:48). Members of the Worship Team are expected to diligently prepare for, attend, and participate in rehearsals and

meetings. Vocalists must be able to display confident stage presence, and engage the congregation in a transparent manner that allows the focus to remain on Jesus and on the presence of the Holy Spirit in our midst. Musicians need to be skilled at interacting musically to create an environment that encourages worship.

Worship Team members are expected to worship with their tithes and offerings and commit to daily prayer and devotion with the Lord, so they are equipped for *spiritual growth*.

“For this very reason, make every effort to supplement your faith with virtue, and virtue with knowledge, and knowledge with self-control, and self-control with steadfastness, and steadfastness with godliness, and godliness with brotherly affection, and brotherly affection with love. For these qualities are yours and are increasing, they keep you from being ineffective or unfruitful in the knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ.” (2 Peter 1:5-8)

Please take a moment to prayerfully fill out the attached application. Remember that completing this application does not guarantee you a position on the Worship Team, but that this decision is based upon the discretion and discernment of the Worship Team Leader and Pastor. We are committed to helping you find the best place to use your God-given talents and abilities to serve The Lord in our ministry. If the Worship Team is not the best fit for you, we will work with you to identify other ministry opportunities that are a better match for your talents and gifting. And finally, remember that participation in ministry is an opportunity to serve The Lord, not an obligation. If at any time your availability to serve changes, please let us know as soon as possible so we can make other arrangements to meet your needs as well as the needs of the team.

Yours in Christ,

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WORSHIP TEAM APPLICATION

Complete and return the following three pages to the Worship Team Leader.

_____ VOCALIST _____ MUSICIAN _____ BOTH

APPLICATION DATE _____

NAME: _____

ADDRESS: _____

E-mail: _____ Home Phone: _____

Cell Phone: _____ Spouse Name: _____

Name(s) of child(ren): _____

Musician candidates, please list each instrument you play, how many years of experience you have with each, and your proficiency level on a scale of 1 - 10 (with 10 being best).

If you are a musician, what instrument do you desire to play as a member of the LCC Worship Team? _____

Can you read chord charts? _____

Please list all groups you have performed with i.e. choirs, bands, Worship Teams, or Ensembles. Also list the length of time and type of music you performed.

What styles can you play/sing? _____

Who is your favorite Worship artist? _____

What is your favorite worship song? _____

Can you hear your part and sing or play it without instruction? _____

Can you hear vocal harmony parts and sing them? _____ If yes, which part(s)? _____

How many times per month do you desire to serve on the worship team? _____

Can you commit to a mid-week worship team practice/group meeting from 6:30-8:15 pm at least once a month? _____ If not, please explain. _____

Are you a member of Livingston Christian Center? _____ If so, for how long? _____

If you are not a member, are you willing to become a member? _____ If not, why? _____

How long have you been a Christian? _____

Describe your relationship with God:

Briefly, share your testimony:

Why do you wish to be involved in LCC's Worship Ministry?

If you are not chosen to serve on LCC's worship team, what will you do?

List any other areas of ministry that you are currently involved in:

RELEASE from the TEAM

The leadership reserves the right to release any worship team member from the LCC Worship Ministry at any time for any reason. Some of these reasons include inappropriate attire or actions on the platform, tardiness or absence without prior notification and self-replacement, argumentativeness, difficulty working with others, bad attitude, pouting, pursuing self-glorification, divisiveness, disrespect, raising your voice at a peer or leader, neglecting practice at home, continual tardiness or moral disqualification.

By signing below:

I agree with and fully support the purpose, vision, and values of Livingston Christian Center and will consistently live a life of moral integrity. I commit myself to a lifestyle of worship, honoring God with my actions, affections, thoughts, words, time, and relationship.

I understand that the worship ministry of LCC is a *helps* ministry and that I will do everything I can to serve the body of Christ through my involvement in it.

I realize that the worship ministry is a TEAM. I will lay down my desire for personal gain and will be devoted to promoting other people's success and the will of the Lord. I acknowledge that my musical talent is a gift from the Lord. I will find my true identity in Him, not in my talent.

I commit to attending the Worship Team meeting and rehearsal on a monthly basis as scheduled. I commit to practicing my part and coming prepared for rehearsal. I commit to being punctual to rehearsals and service times. I commit to lifting this ministry up in prayer. I will not gossip or stand for anyone who does. I will honor the Lord with my attitude, appearance and attire as I minister from the platform.

Name _____

Signed _____

Date _____