



## WORSHIP TEAM MINISTRY APPLICATION

Thank you for your interest in being involved in the worship ministry at Christian Life Fellowship. We desire to identify individuals who want to follow Jesus Christ and use God-given gifts and abilities to serve Him in worship ministry. Below you will find Our Mission, Our Expectations and an Application Questionnaire to help both of us discover God's leading in your life.

### **Our Mission:**

- To glorify God alone and allow the Holy Spirit to flow through us and use us as He pleases.
- To give all attention to the Father, Son and Holy Spirit and not to draw attention selfishly by our improper body language, appearance, attitudes, etc.
- To serve the church and each other, love each other, forgive each other, and be humble before God and man.

### **Our Expectations:**

- Must have an obedient relationship to Jesus Christ.
- Must be an active, whole-hearted worshiper who fully enjoys singing praise to God. Must demonstrate a joyful and willing spirit.
- Each person must have attended Christian Life Fellowship regularly for a minimum of three (3) months and completed "Life Orientation" before joining to the Music Department. You may audition prior to these requirement but you must fulfill them before joining the team.
- Must possess a high level of musical ability -- excellent sense of pitch & rhythm, must be musically independent, possess an appropriate level of musical understanding [depending on individual instrument/voice]. **Perfection is not the goal, but quality is.**
- Depending on which Worship team you play on, the Red and Blue Teams alternate weekly responsibilities. (You will be provided with a calendar of scheduled times.)
- If you know in advance that you will be unable to sing/play on your week, you are responsible to contact your counter-part on the other team. i.e. drummer contact drummer, tenor contact tenor, etc. to have them fill in for you. If they are unable, then please contact the worship leader for that week to let them know.

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- Punctuality--It is extremely important to be on time for the rehearsals and sound-checks. We especially do not want to be rushing around before services. Instead, we want to have time to prepare our hearts and minds for what the Holy Spirit wants to do in the service.
- ALL singers & instrumentalists need to be conscious about appropriate dress & appearance. PRINCIPLE – Does what I wear distract others from worshiping Jesus? Does it bring attention to myself? Would it be considered immodest by some?
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- If your team is not playing on a given Sunday, you are expected to be at the service worshipping in the congregation.
- **Concerning Practices**  
Thursday night rehearsals  
**7:00 PM – Until...** Rehearsals include times of worship, music rehearsal, sharing, fellowship and prayer. Occasionally these times will be adjusted.
- Sunday services  
**8:00 AM - 12:00 noon.** Of course we are not on the platform the entire time. We come early and begin our prayer time and sound-check at 7:30 am. Everyone must be on the platform 5 minutes before the service begins.
- Practice is mandatory: If you don't practice, you don't play. When our band practices, including pre-service practices and prayer, except for emergencies and special prearranged occasions, you need to be there.
- The principle of authority - Each team has a leader. The leader is the leader and there is a reason why he/she is the leader. There is a recognized call of God on their life to function in this capacity. Listen to him/her. Do all you can to make the practices go smoothly. Do not waste time by playing independently while the leader is talking. Constructive criticism is healthy so receive it. Do not wear your heart on your sleeve if your idea of how things should go are not accepted by the leader. Bad attitudes and pride grieve the Holy Spirit.



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Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_

1. Please describe your personal relationship with Jesus Christ. [Please include: When did you begin following Jesus? Are you certain that you are going to go to heaven? How do you ensure growth in Christ?]

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2. What is your understanding of biblical worship? \_\_\_\_\_

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Define worship? \_\_\_\_\_

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3. Why is worship important to you personally? \_\_\_\_\_

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How do you personally express praise and worship to God? \_\_\_\_\_

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4. Why should the church gather for worship? \_\_\_\_\_

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1. How long have you been a part of Christian Life Fellowship? \_\_\_\_\_  
Who knows your heart best here? \_\_\_\_\_  
Their phone number? \_\_\_\_\_

2. Do you sense God's calling/leading you to be involved with Worship ministry?  
Please explain. \_\_\_\_\_  
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\_\_\_\_\_ I'm not really sure. I just want to get involved and serve some place.

3. What is your desired (or available) level of commitment?  
 I am only willing (or able) to be used as a substitute when needed.  
 1 Sunday per month  
 2-3 Sundays per month

4. Will you be auditioning as a vocalist or a musician? \_\_\_\_\_

5. **For Vocalists:** Which part do you sing?  
Bass \_\_\_\_\_ Tenor \_\_\_\_\_ Alto \_\_\_\_\_ Soprano \_\_\_\_\_ Unsure \_\_\_\_\_

6. **For Instrumentalists:** What instruments do you play with proficiency? \_\_\_\_\_  
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If you play multiple instruments, which one do you most prefer to play? \_\_\_\_\_

11. Do you have any questions or comments for the Worship Ministry Leadership Team?  
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