

Job Description for the Pastor of Worship / (Support role - Student Ministry)

Church Overview:

Our desire is to be a Christ-Centered, Gospel focused, Word based, outreach oriented church that loves to express our worship and praise to our great and glorious God. Knowing God, loving others, living the gospel.

Our Worship Ministry Mission statement:

With excellence through preparation, we lead our brothers and sisters in Christ to worship God –

As we lovingly and artfully teach one another biblical truth in Song, Praise, Prayer, and Scripture.

For the glory of God and the edification of His Church.

Job Description

Worship Pastor Responsibilities:

- **Sets the vision for the Worship Ministry in coordination with the Elders and Senior Pastor**
- **Plan Sunday morning worship in conjunction with the Senior Pastor**
- **Lead congregational worship with a God conscious focus**
- **Organizes musicians for Sunday worship**
- **Leads our congregation in worship, using the Word, prayer, songs, and other means to focus our lives on the glory of God**
- **Chooses appropriate worship songs with the theme of the morning in mind, that are God-honoring, Christ exalting, and singable for a large congregational group**
- **Leads rehearsals (7:30am on Sunday mornings with the goal of finishing by 9:00) and other times as needed**
- **Leads worship in other church wide events as scheduled**
- **Leads worship as needed for special services, i.e., memorial services**
- **Shepherds the musicians and tech team members by discipling them, caring for them, praying for them and helping form community around them**
- **Has some proficiency in sound technology and audio-video**
- **Gives oversight to technical team**
- **Attends all-staff meetings**

Support role - Student Ministry:

- Work with student ministry worship team – mentoring and training them in leading worship for student events
- Assist student ministry team with special events, like Fall Festival, Mission Possible, Fall Retreat and other events...(as available)
- Work with Student Ministry team on Sunday mornings (as available, unless there is a conflict with worship related matters), and Wednesday evenings in preparing Student worship team

The Elder board is open to seeing how God leads going forward. We want to be sensitive to the Holy Spirit and to the gifts and abilities God has given you. As other ministry opportunities present themselves, we want to seek God's direction together.

Spiritual life:

- A growing and vibrant daily walk with God
- Spirit filled life that continually seeks God's leading
- Love for God's Word, for God's people and those whom God is seeking
- Engaged in community group or other small group setting
- Discipling those in his sphere of ministry
- Prayerful in all things, leads the worship team in prayer, leads our church into prayerful praise

Pastoral Duties:

- The Worship Pastor will report to the Senior Pastor
- The Worship Pastor will assist as needed with pastoral roles such as – special services, memorial services, weddings, etc.
- Other pastoral duties as needed

Requirements:

- 3 years leading worship in a local church (preferred)
- Passion for building worshipers of Jesus
- Strong vocalist and ability to lead musicians
- Strong leadership skills to coach and develop volunteers
- Commitment to excellence
- Hardworking, sacrificial team player
- Proficient with Planning Center
- Familiar with click track software and other needed similar software tools
- Heart for Students – to evangelize, disciple, and encourage them in their walk with God