

Board of Worship

Blended Worship Singer

Mission Statement: The Blended Worship singers and instrumentalists use their musical talents and gifts to glorify GOD and edify His people in worship services.

Description: A Blended Worship singer practices music selected for worship (contemporary Christian music, the hymnal, and newer versions of traditional music) to lead and assist the congregation in worshipping God.

Qualifications:

1. Spiritually Mature
 - a. Is a communicant Member of Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church or another church in our fellowship
 - b. Attends church regularly
 - c. Has a “servant attitude” – realizes that worship is all about God
2. Emotionally Mature
 - a. Is comfortable singing and leading in front of the congregation
 - b. Works well with others
3. Musically Mature
 - a. Is able to sing music in a small group
 - b. Is able to carry your own part by yourself
 - c. Is able to commit to practice on your own
 - d. Has previous experience singing in an ensemble

Responsibilities:

1. Leads and teaches the music encouraging the congregation to joyfully worship
2. Attends scheduled rehearsals
 - a. At Trinity Church
 - b. Generally Thursdays at 7 PM
 - c. Possibly 1 extra practice at the group’s determination
3. Attends training session
 - a. If unable to attend, will arrange to make up the training
4. Provides available dates to Pastor for scheduling purposes in a timely manner
5. Practices on his/her own as needed
6. Uses his/her musical ability to praise God
7. Grows in his/her musical abilities
8. Sings for both “blended” services on scheduled Sunday
9. Supports and prays for other members of the Blended Worship ministry
10. Mentors and trains others as opportunities arise
11. Dresses appropriately, showing respect to the ministry and congregation (no jeans, business casual or better)
12. Communication
 - a. Defers to the “practice leader” during practices in which the worship leader is not in attendance
 - b. Seek to maintain positive communications
 - c. Notifies the worship leader or practice leader when unable to make practice or worship
 - d. Suggests songs to the worship leader

Time Commitment:

1. Depends on the schedule
2. When scheduled, two to four hours of practice (which includes group and personal)

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3. When scheduled, three hours of worship on Sunday
4. One year commitment

Relationships:

The Blended Worship singer works under the Worship Pastor, the practice leader and ultimately the Board of Worship. He/She works with and respects the other singers, the instrumentalists, the piano players and the sound technicians.

Training:

The Worship Pastor or practice leader provides ongoing spiritual training through devotions at the beginning of practices. Further musical training is provided 1-2 times per year. Involvement in these trainings and in the church or school choir is strongly encouraged.