

FOUNTAINGATE CHRISTIAN ASSEMBLY

MUSIC MINISTRY MEMBER SCOPE OF MINISTRY



Purpose: To ensure that the music is both scriptural in content and uplifting and sensitive to the leading of the Holy Spirit. Also to closely guard the unity of the Music Team.

A. TIME REQUIRED: Four hours for the week assigned for a minimum of one year.

B. QUALIFICATIONS: One who has a keen ability to understand music and is able to play or sing in such a way that it enhances the worship. Must be a Team Player.

C. SPECIFIC RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Commune with the Lord through prayer and reading the Word.
2. Answer directly to the Music Ministry Leader.
3. To arrive on time to begin practice 1 ½ hours before the service begins (no later than 9 am) You are also required to join in the prayer room ½ hour prior to the service to prepare your heart. **If you do not join in the prayer room on a consistent basis, you will be asked to step down from music ministry.**
4. To dress in manner that is modest and not bringing attention to ourselves. Please no tattered jeans or T-shirts with inappropriate pictures or sayings.
5. Song leaders need to prepare a list of songs a week in advance that flow together. New songs need to be handed into the Church office a week before needed so the words can be made on Easy Worship; it can be added to the lists, copies can be made with chords, and the Pastor can approve it. **Only one new song should be introduced on a given Sunday. If the new song is not handed into the church Secretary a week before, it will not be put on the song list for that Sunday.** All musicians need to work in cooperation with the song leader. Remember there is only one song leader per service.
7. Music Ministry chord sheets and word sheets are the property of FCA and need to be returned when the musician is no longer a member of the team.
8. Trying out the equipment will not be allowed. Any equipment borrowed becomes the responsibility of that person and must be returned in good condition and on time.
9. Music levels need to be adjusted according to the flow of the Holy Spirit. Altar times should be times of quite and non-distracting music. Requests for prayer need to be able to be heard and responded to. Members of the Music Team can slip out for a time of prayer once they inform the Music Leader and have his/her approval.