



***Thank you for your interest in the CFC Worship Ministry!***

*Though no ministry in the church is more important than another, certain ministries require more time and/or require a higher standard than others. A platform ministry such as teacher or worship leader falls under such criteria.*

*In regard to the worship ministry, any singer or musician on the platform is considered a leader of worship. They not only serve as leaders on the platform, but also by example off the platform.*

*Our desire is to honor God and bring Glory to His Name, as we lead His people into His Presence, as well as in our daily lives! There's no better place to be, than in the Presence of the Almighty God and we count it a privilege to be part of such a wonderful, unified team!*

*Enclosed in this folder, you will find a copy of the CFC Worship Ministry mission, values and standards and an application. Please carefully read over all the material before filling out the application. Completed applications should be returned to the information desk in the South lobby.*

*In Him,*

David Silva



# WORSHIP TEAM

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The worship team will consist of those singers, musicians, sound and lighting technicians and expressive worshippers appointed by the leadership to lead the congregation in praise and worship. Their appointment by the leadership is by “invitation only”.

## **II Chronicles 5:13-14**

*It came even to pass, as the trumpeters and singers were as one, to make one sound to be heard in praising and thanking the LORD; and when they lifted up their voice with the trumpets and cymbals and instruments of music, and praised the LORD, saying, For He is good; for His mercy endureth forever: that then the house was filled with a cloud, even the house of the LORD; So that the priests could not stand to minister by reason of the cloud: for the glory of the LORD had filled the house of God.*

## **CFC MISSION STATEMENT**

The most important message Jesus Christ left for the church was to “win souls” (*Mark 16:15; Proverbs 11:30*). It is with that heart that Christian Fellowship Church lives and thrives. CFC’s mission is to see people come to know the Lord Jesus Christ and help them in their daily lives. All that CFC does is intended to help individuals enter into a personal relationship with the Lord Jesus Christ and mature into the fullness of life in Christ.

## **CFC WORSHIP TEAM MISSION STATEMENT**

In accordance with the mission statement of CFC, the worship team, unified in spirit, purposes to glorify God and humbly serve Him in a spirit of excellence as ministers of music. We will lead the congregation into His presence through thanks-giving, praise and worship, preparing their hearts to receive the message that God brings through the teaching of His Word. We will serve the leadership and authority of CFC knowing that God has placed them over us to guide us and direct us in His purpose (*Romans 13:1-6*).

## **MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS:**

- Must be a born-again believer.
- Must be submitted to those who God has put in a position of delegated authority.

## **MEMBERSHIP REQUIREMENTS (*Continued*):**

- Must follow the vision of Christian Fellowship Church --- not a personal agenda. Understand your place. Maintain a servant's attitude, and leave no room to take offense.
- Must be faithful in:
  - Church** attendance (must have attended CFC for a min. of 3 months)
  - Tithes** and offerings
  - Praise** and worship
- Must be committed to faithful and consistent attendance at all rehearsals and services. • Must strive for "excellence" – Doing your best in:
  - Skill** (Ability)
  - Appearance** (Dress, grooming, platform countenance)
  - Enthusiasm** (Attitude)
  - Praise** and Worship
- Must be teachable and submissive to authority.
- Must live in accordance with the teachings of CFC in regards to (but not limited to):sexual purity; the use of alcohol, tobacco and drugs; and marriage.
- Must complete a successful audition and be accepted into the choir.

## **REHEARSAL AND MINISTRY**

Rehearsals begin promptly at 7:00 p.m. every Tuesday evening and 8:30 a.m. every Sunday morning, unless otherwise noted. If it is impossible to attend a rehearsal or service, considerately call the worship leader, or designated authority. This shows you really care about your ministry and is a relief for those counting on your participation. Call ahead of time --- not "ten minutes" before a rehearsal or service. Check your calendars.

## **PRE-MINISTRY PREPARATION**

- "Attend" to your ministry (*II Chronicles 13:10b*). Seek the Lord before services so that you will be prepared for your ministry. Pray and sing in the Spirit, expecting God to show you how you can contribute to a service.
- It is important that you arrive early enough before a service to tune instruments, check microphones, etc.
- Musicians: Keep instrument cases off of the platform, and cables in an orderly fashion so that the stage will remain uncluttered. Be neat and clean! Excellence never offends.

## **DRESS CODE**

Because we are entering into the presence of the King of all kings, we should never wear inappropriate clothing since people will be looking at the worship team members as a pattern of dress. Currently, the choir is unified by the use of choir robes. The clothing worn underneath the robes should still fall under these guidelines:

### **Men-**

No shorts or flip flops please.

Denim jeans must be dark.

Items of clothing that are distracting, are inappropriate for a service.

### **Women-**

No shorts or flip flops please.

Skirts or dresses must be mid-calf or longer if choir robes are not being worn.

Neckline of blouses must be conservative.

Items of clothing that are distracting, are inappropriate for a service.

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WITHOUT QUESTION, MINISTRY INVOLVES BOTH WORK AND EFFORT. IF WE ARE TO BE AN EXAMPLE TO OTHERS, WE MUST BE DILIGENT IN OUR EFFORTS TO REACH OUR GOALS AND TO MAXIMIZE EACH OPPORTUNITY. AT EVERY STEP WE MUST SEE

# WORSHIP TEAM MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

OUR ACTIONS AS WORLD CHANGING; IN OUR VISION, IN OUR EVERYDAY DEEDS, IN

## PERSONAL INFO:

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

(Last)

(First)

(MI)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Hm ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Wk ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Text : Y ( ) N ( ) Email: \_\_\_\_\_

## FAMILY INFO:

Marital Status: Single \_\_\_ Married \_\_\_ Widowed \_\_\_ Divorced \_\_\_

Name of Spouse: \_\_\_\_\_

Children: (Name) (Age)

1.) \_\_\_\_\_

2.) \_\_\_\_\_

3.) \_\_\_\_\_

4.) \_\_\_\_\_

Life Group Leader: \_\_\_\_\_

## ABILITY:

I wish to audition for:

\_\_\_\_\_ Vocals (Soprano \_\_\_ Alto \_\_\_ Tenor \_\_\_ Bass \_\_\_)

\_\_\_\_\_ Instrument (Please specify \_\_\_\_\_)

Please write a brief description of your use of this vocal/instrument:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

## HEART

Please write a brief description on why you want to join the worship team:

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*I have read and agree to abide by all membership requirements stated herein.*

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

OUR SPIRITUAL AUTHORITY. ANY COMPROMISES WE MAKE AS INDIVIDUALS, COMPROMISES THE EFFECTIVENESS OF THE WHOLE TEAM. EXCELLENCE IS NOT THE ACHIEVEMENT OF HUMAN EFFORTS, BUT RATHER THE IMPLEMENTATION OF GOD'S METHOD IN GOD'S TIME. IF WE BELIEVE WHAT PAUL WRITES IN EPH. 5:15-16, "BE VERY CAREFUL THEN HOW YOU LIVE – NOT AS UNWISE BUT AS WISE, MAKING THE MOST OF EVERY OPPORTUNITY, BECAUSE THE DAYS ARE EVIL." THEN TO WASTE OUR EFFORTS IS AGAINST GOD'S MANDATE FOR OUR LIVES.

