

**WORSHIP:** Responding to who God is - all he has done - with all that we are! It is expressed by the things we say and the way we live.

God is seeking, searching, and looking for those who will come to Him and worship Him in spirit and in truth. This is not because He needs us. It is because He knows we need Him. He is calling to you to come (Psalm 27:8).

If you are interested in the Worship Arts ministry here at Creekside, I would implore you to prayerfully consider auditioning and encourage you to get involved. Remember this, we are not looking for "perfect" people, rather individuals who want to use their God-given gifts and abilities to help lead others into the presence of God. So whether it is in the area of Music, Sound & Light Tech, or Media, our ultimate purpose is to...

"Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. This is the first and greatest commandment."

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**TO WORSHIP GOD MEANS**  
serving HIM in everything you do...



**WORSHIP BEGINS**  
in OUR hearts.



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## OUR MISSION:

To create an inspiring atmosphere where people are ushered into the presence of God .

## OUR VISION:

To develop a body of believers who connect with each other - whose lives are being transformed through Growing in Christ - to impact our world.

## OUR STYLE:

We use contemporary music, creative video, media production, with relevant life-changing messages. Creekside's mission is to Gather together, Grow in Christ, and Go share the love of Christ with our community.

## GETTING INVOLVED

Creekside is a contagious place to be and has been richly blessed with amazing volunteers. We hold a high standard of accountability and place tremendous value on each member as well as the team. Here are our Core Values:

**COMMITMENT:** To grow in ministry with a spirit of excellence.

**CHARACTER:** A life consistent with the character of Christ.

**COMPETENCE:** Skilled in your gifting with a desire to improve.

**ACCOUNTABILITY:** Holding each other to a higher standard in Christ.

These values make being a part of the Worship Team and Back Wall Team a privilege, not a right. It's important that we have fun together, but we must also feel the weight and gravity of the responsibility of being a part of this ministry.

Welcome and thank you for having an interest in being a part of this wonderful team of people.

## WORSHIP TEAM

The Creekside Worship Team exists to lead the congregation into worship each of our Sunday morning worship experiences or as needed. This team is comprised of skilled musicians and singers who meet weekly for rehearsal and fellowship.

### MUSICAL ABILITY REQUIREMENTS:

#### VOCALISTS:

Must be at least 16 years old. Ability to read music is helpful but not necessary. Ability to "hear" parts and blend is essential.

#### ACOUSTIC/ELECTRIC GUITAR:

- Must have own instrument (amp is not necessary)
- Must read chord charts
- Fluency in the "flat keys" preferred
- Ability to memorize choruses is helpful

#### BASS GUITAR:

- (Same as Guitar)
- Ability to "groove" is helpful

#### DRUMS:

- Proficiency in a variety of rhythmic style
- Ability to play with a metronome preferred

#### PIANO & KEYBOARD:

- Must read chord charts.
- Ability to "play by ear" is helpful
- Chorus memorization preferred
- Must be fluent in all keys

#### OTHER INSTRUMENTS:

- Must have full competency in instrument
- Ability to adapt write or transpose parts accordingly

### MUSIC MINISTRY COVENANT PACK:

We are committed to Character, Competence, and Accountability. In that spirit of excellence we ask each of our Worship Team members to sign a Covenant letter that clearly outlines expectations and duties of a member. It also defines consequences and actions taken toward abuse of those expectations and duties. We believe that being a part of this ministry is an honor and a privilege, not a right.

### AUDITIONS:

We know "audition" tends to frighten us or even scare people off, but in reality we know of no other way to evaluate musical ability. We don't want to discourage anyone from pursuing music ministry and we promise to be honest, forthright and impartial.

### NEW SONGS:

Every 4 to 6 weeks we will supply all team members with "new" songs as well as charts for the purpose of learning the new music. Since we only have an hour and a half to practice, it is imperative that new music is learned outside of rehearsal.

### REHEARSALS:

**THURSDAY NIGHTS 7pm | SUNDAY MORNINGS 8am**

We value the "team concept" when it comes to working together and respect each others time. Therefore, it is mandatory a team member be on time at their scheduled practice. If you are unable to attend, please make every effort to replace yourself and contact the worship leader. Practices are subject to change if it is needed to make accommodations for the entire team to be there.

## SOUND TECH TEAM

This ministry is not limited to just Sunday mornings.

We are always looking for fun , energetic, servant-hearted team players who want to partner with us in this very vital ministry. The areas of opportunities are Mixing and Setup/Tear Down. Training is provided , although prior experience is helpful.

## TECH & MEDIA TEAM

This team operates the computer & software used to put lyrics up on the screens, any multimedia needed, as well as lighting on the stage for each Worship Experience. We are looking for team members who are familiar with the praise and worship songs, an understanding of Power Point, computer literacy is helpful and or an eye for using stage lights to enhance the overall experience.