



# McKinney's Memorial

## HOLINESS CHURCH

### **JOB DESCRIPTION**

#### **PRAISE & WORSHIP LEADER**

The major purpose and responsibility of the Praise and Worship Leader is to work in cooperation with the Pastor (and band members) in facilitating excellent corporate worship experiences weekly. These experiences should include a healthy mix of traditional and contemporary worship music facilitated by an excellent praise and worship team and leaders.

#### **ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES INCLUDE BUT ARE NOT LIMITED TO THE FOLLOWING:**

- Provide leadership, vision, and passion for McKinney's Memorial in the area of music worship ministries that is in line with the overall vision, purpose and mission of our church. Lead in creating and implementing new worship opportunities, which align with the mission and vision at McKinney's Memorial.
- Coordinate with the Pastor to create and lead well-planned and engaging Sunday morning worship services. This includes leading the Sunday Worship services and recruiting and developing a worship team and scheduling vocalists. Responsibilities include preparation for and leading rehearsals, as well as consulting with the Pastor to coordinate the music for the Sunday services.
- Proficiency in leading worship with a strong vocal ability.
- Select, teach and execute all praise and worship music for worship services, including special services. In the case of approved absences, make sure facilitation is at a comparable level.
- Lead praise and worship and other musical selections during the worship service.
- Teach, sing with and/or lead songs with choirs/ensembles as requested.
- Independently manage praise team rehearsals.
- Attend a weekly staff meeting with the Pastor and participate in the planning and implementation of church programs that will fulfill the mission and vision of the church.
- Assist in planning, implementing and leading worship for special events outside of Sunday worship services.
- When available, perform other duties as assigned by the Pastor.
- It is anticipated that the duties associated with this position will take no less than 12 and no more than 14 hours per week.

#### **KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES REQUIRED FOR THIS POSITION**

- Must be a worshipper, a spirit-filled believer, and demonstrate a lifestyle committed to Christ.
- Demonstrate competent (and expanding) knowledge of multiple genres/expressions of worship music – for teaching and execution. Particular attention should be given to traditional/contemporary hymns, gospel songs, Pentecostal (traditional) styles, and contemporary Christian Contemporary Music.
- Function with a wide degree of creativity and latitude.
- Demonstrate the ability to clearly embrace and facilitate the style of worship expected, gain exposure from various resources, interpret the Pastor's vision, and integrate it into our worship experiences.
- Arrive early and be prepared for all worship services and scheduled meetings/rehearsals.
- Must be a self-motivated person who is able to be effective when working independently without supervision and produce results.
- Possess good organizational skills and a neat appearance.

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- Must possess a gentle and humble spirit and be willing to grow and be taught.