



# Welcome

## *Worship Team*

# OUR VISION

The purpose of the Worship Team is to build an encouraging and worshipful environment, which is led by the Holy Spirit so we can worship God wholeheartedly and authentically.

## TEAM ROLE

As a worship team, we work collectively to be dependent on the Holy Spirit and keep in step with what He is doing during worship. Being part of the worship team involves;

- Being able to confidently play all the songs for the term from 'the book' and learn new ones as provided by the worship leader/worship team prior to practise.
- Following the worship leader during services and during a Thursday night, supporting the leading of the congregation.
- Building a loving, trustworthy relationship with the sound team
- Acknowledging we all get things wrong sometimes, and therefore we need to pursue attitudes of gratitude, praise and encouragement as we grow together and learn from one another.
- Remembering that the focus of worship should be God.
- Serving the church and each other using your musical and non-musical gifts.
- Being prepared to step aside to enable others to shine in the gifts God has given them.

We want to love Jesus, pursue Him and be accountable within the team in our own journey of faith and pursuit of a Godly life.

- Enjoy yourself, your worship is infectious and will encourage others to join in.
- Be part of the meetings on Thursday evenings at 7:30pm regularly to allow opportunities for the team to share together, support the worship leader and encourage new members into the group.
- Ensure you organise swaps if you are unable to commit to serving on a specific day on the rota. This is also important if you are unable to attend the Thursday evening prior to the Sunday on rota.
- On a Sunday, we ask that you arrive by 9am ready for a sound check, followed by prayer at 9:45am.
- Smile - Jesus Loves you.

## **Our commitment to you**

- To provide opportunities to play/practice prior to joining rota.
- To develop your gifting through workshops and musical mentors who can meet up with you and support you in your skill.
- To provide accountability for your spiritual journey.
- To pray for you.
- To serve you.
- To be a support in times of need.

# TEAM PRINCIPLES

- To attend church regularly where possible, not just on days you are serving.
- To demonstrate a Godly wisdom, character and spiritual commitment.
- To be faithful in the small things.
- To be willing to submit your gifts and calling, to serve the leadership and vision of the church.
- To acknowledge this is not a role where you are served, but you are serving the church.
- To commit to developing your gifts, character and approach.

## JOINING THE TEAM

If you have been part of Parklands Church for three months or more and you are keen to join the team, here is how it works:

1. Initial chat/meeting with team leader (Jen DeLucia)
2. Read our '*Who we are*' document  
(<https://www.parklandschurch.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2021/05/Issue-4-Nov-18-no-highlights.pdf>)
3. Complete a volunteer application process  
([www.parklandschurch.org.uk/teams](http://www.parklandschurch.org.uk/teams))
4. Complete Safeguarding training
5. Attend at least four out of six team nights to 'jam along'
6. Integrate into the team

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