NEW SONG WORSHIP MINISTRY GUIDELINES & COMMITMENTS

1. WORSHIP IS A LIFESTYLE

- This requires our actively preparing our hearts through prayer and repentance. Our hearts desire is that we worship in Spirit & Truth. (John 4:24, Romans 12:1)
- 2. Remain exemplary in your support of the church and your involvement in programs that center on body life:
 - Participants must be regular attendees that consistently attend church every Sunday.
 - Participation in Life Groups, Bible Studies, Ministry Events, Conferences, and Workshops.
 - Tithes & Offerings
 - Honor and support those with whom we are in ministry, being prayerful, walking in unity, speaking life, and being respectful to all. Be positive and celebrate others with whom we serve.
- 3. Come prepared for all rehearsals and services.
 - Worship lists, and song sample recordings/videos are provided in a timely manner prior to
 worship rehearsals. It is the individual participants' responsibility to review these items and
 have prior knowledge of all songs that will be rehearsed.
 - Commit to a lifestyle of prayer & intercession. It is our desire for God to guide and lead every individual into a place of worship and to intercede for our congregation.
 - Come 'prayed up' before you arrive at rehearsals.
- **4.** Advise the Worship Pastor of any schedule conflicts prior to or within 48 hours of receiving the monthly email requesting your blackout (unavailable) dates for the coming months schedule. These emails will be sent out prior to the <u>20th</u> day of the month. In the event of an emergency or unexpected illness, please immediately call or text the Worship Pastor and the scheduled Worship Leader.
- 5. Attend all scheduled rehearsals and ministry meetings.
 - Rehearsals and meetings are mandatory for all participants. If you have an unexpected conflict
 that will not allow you to participate, please notify the Worship Pastor, and the Worship Leader
 scheduled for that week ASAP.
 - All participants are expected to be prepared, in place and ready to start by rehearsal time.
 Consider coming early if you want to visit with others.
- **6.** Be committed to help with the stage tear down. This includes putting mics, mic stands, music stands, or any other assistance to expedite our stage break down, unless otherwise directed by the Sound Technicians or Worship Leadership Team. You may be asked prior to a service to help with set-up.

7. WHO WE ARE

- We are Worshippers, Servants, Community, Family, Encouragers, Creative, and Progressing in our gifts.
 - Our heart is to always bring our very best as we prepare, and flow in the gifts that God has given us. Please work towards bringing excellence (your very best) as we serve and minister to the body of Christ and faithfully lead them as we worship the King of Kings.
- **8.** As you strive to understand and meet these commitments, we exercise and receive great grace regarding each of these guidelines.

9. SCHEDULES:

Thursday Evenings Worship Team Rehearsal - 7:00 PM to 8:30 PM (unless indicated when you receive other notification)

Additional rehearsals will be scheduled as needed.

Sunday Morning

- Media, Streaming, and Sound Technicians 7:30 AM
- Instrumentalists 8:00 AM
- Vocal Team / Choir 8:15 AM

I have read and understand the New Song Worship Ministry Guidelines and Commitments:

Signature:	Date:
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