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## Choir, Band, Ministry Team, Drama, and more

### MUSIC MINISTRY

The McArthur Assembly Music Ministry is a dynamic place for people whom God has gifted as singers and/or instrumentalists to work together in order to lead His body in praise and worship. If that sounds like you, then, the McArthur Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra is the place for you. Our mission is to lead the people of God in experiencing Him through praise and worship as well as to provide a place of expression for people of all ages to whom He has gifted in music. Stylistically speaking, we are contemporary with a mix of Hillsongs, Southern Gospel, Integrity Hosanna as well as some traditional and Gospel added in. The Music Department is a growing and dynamic ministry for all ages. It is an important part in the worship experience of our church family.

#### Mission Statement

McArthur Music Ministries exists to lead the people of God in praise and worship, as well as to provide a place of expression for people of all ages to whom He has gifted in the areas singing, sound support and the playing of instruments.

What are the available areas of ministry?

Currently our Music department consists of the McArthur Sanctuary Choir and Ministry Team, the McArthur Worship Orchestra, the McArthur Sound and Technical Support Ministry.

What kind of music do you do?

Our musical style at McArthur is combination of many different kinds of music integrating hymn standards with contemporary pop, gospel and other present-day styles. However, our desire isn't to "put on a show" but rather to exalt the Lord.

#### Music Warehouse

#### McArthur Church Choir

#### Mission Statement

The McArthur Sanctuary Choir and Ministry Team exist to glorify the Lord in song and testimony (Psalm 150) and to lead and encourage the congregation in Praise and Worship. We strive to achieve excellence in the quality of our music in order to exemplify the beauty of both the Creator and His creation.

Who, What, Where When?

Participation in the Sanctuary Choir is open for all adults 18 years of age and older who demonstrate faithfulness to the mission and leadership of our church family as well as the gifting and ability to minister before the Lord in song. We currently sing every Sunday morning in the 10:30AM worship service as well as present seasonal musicals and dramas during Christmas, Easter and the Fourth of July. At present, rehearsals are every Wednesday from 7:00 – 8:30PM in the McKids room upstairs. However, construction is underway of a new Music and Educational wing which will house a new Choir and Orchestra rehearsal room to be completed by the first of next year.

The McArthur Ministry Team is selected from within the Sanctuary Choir and various other ministries at McArthur and exists to provide strong vocal support along with the Worship Leader during Praise and Worship. Individuals who are chosen for this ministry demonstrate strong leadership both personally and musically. They minister in both the morning and evening Sunday worship services. Rehearsals are the first Saturday morning and the "middle" Thursday evening of each month.

## McArthur Church Orchestra

### Mission Statement

The McArthur Worship Orchestra exists to glorify God through the playing of musical instruments (Psalms 150), to provide instrumental support in leading the congregation in Praise and Worship, and to provide musical support for the Sanctuary Choir and other special music. We strive to achieve excellence in the quality of our music in order to exemplify the beauty of both the Creator and His creation.

### Who, What, Where When?

The Worship Orchestra is open to adults and young people whom God has called and gifted to worship Him through the playing of various musical instruments. They play in both the morning and evening Sunday worship services. In order to participate you must be able to attend all rehearsals and demonstrate at least a third-year proficiency on your instrument. Rehearsals are Tuesday evenings from 7:00 to 8:30PM in the main sanctuary. However, upon completion of our new Music and Education wing the first of the year will then practice in the new Choir/Orchestra rehearsal room.

## Technical Support

### Mission Statement

The McArthur Sound and Technical Ministry exists in order to serve the various platform ministries of our church in the area of sound reinforcement and multi-media. Members of this ministry work closely with the Pastoral Staff, the Sanctuary Choir and Orchestra and all special music as well as special guest ministries to provide the best possible sound environment for effective ministry and to assist in presenting multiple DVD, Video and Computer-generated media productions.

### Who, What, Where When?

This ministry is active in each and every worship service as well as orchestra rehearsals, special music events, weddings and other similar events. Participation is open to adults (18 yrs of age or older) who are willing and able to faithfully perform their assignments and undergo the necessary training in their particular ministry. Experience is always a plus but not necessarily a requirement.

## ReActs 2:4 DRAMA MINISTRY

The ReActs Drama Ministry seeks to develop people into serving and worshiping our Lord through the dramatic arts. Our goal is to establish and maintain a permanent Drama Ministry year round. This ministry is fun, challenging and exciting. The group meets in the Fine Arts Theater. Performances include Easter and Christmas productions, special monthly productions, and special events.

