

Worship and Music Committee

Ministry Plan 2017

Purpose of the Committee

The purpose of the Worship and Music Committee is: “To provide for worship and to encourage the people to participate fully and regularly in it. The Session shall make provision for the regular: preaching of the Word, celebration of the Sacraments, corporate prayer, and offering of praise to God in song.” (From *The Book of Order, PC(USA) Directory for Worship*)

Committee Make-up

The Worship and Music Committee currently has 14 members, including two ruling elders serving as chairperson and co-chairperson. The committee meets the third Monday of the month. Additionally, members may also serve on one of two task groups: the 8:30/11:00 task group or the 9:43 task group.

Goals for 2016

- Analyze past successful services and apply learned techniques to enhance future services.
- Upgrade the physical spaces used for worship, working with the Building and Grounds Committee.
- We will endeavor to earmark special services throughout the year such as: Mothers’ Day, Remembrance Sunday etc.
- We will attempt to strengthen and reorganize our Usher teams.
- we will attempt to find ways have our youth more involved with our church services.

Memorial Wish List

- Memorial Anthems
- Memorial plaques for Past Choir Members
- Descriptor plaques for Sanctuary windows.
- Organ Maintenance Fund
- Special Holiday Music
- Clavinova for Sanctuary
- Promote Music Sunday

Session Wish List

- (\$5000-\$10,000) Funding for big name speakers prospectus for Endowment
- Website redesign/worship service streaming/cable tv worship service broadcasting (Amount needed TBD)
- Air conditioning in sanctuary (\$50,000-\$80,000)
- New Lexan for stained glass windows (\$130,000)

Respectfully submitted,

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