

## **Music Ministry Commitment**

At East Maryville, we believe that each music ministry participant is a worship leader. All members are representatives of Jesus and our church, both on and off the platform. Therefore, we look for individuals who have a high personal integrity, a servant's heart, and a strong commitment to put Jesus first in every aspect of their lives. Being a part of the music ministry is more than singing or playing an instrument. Psalm 115:1 guides everything we do: "Not to us, O LORD, not to us, but to Your name be the glory of Your love and faithfulness."

Here is a list of commitments/expectations:

- Committed to having a growing, personal relationship with Jesus Christ.
- Committed to modeling worship on the platform and off by honoring Jesus Christ in their speech, in their relationships, and with their lifestyle.
- Committed to attendance, preparedness, and punctuality at rehearsals, including Sunday mornings. We want to offer God the best we have and that means time devoted to rehearsals and practicing at home.
- Committed to praying for the music ministry, the church, and its leaders, and one another.
- Committed to having a servant's heart that strives for excellence.
- Committed to having a positive attitude towards all members.
- Committed to skill development and constructive criticism in an appropriate context.
- We are called to this ministry. Colossians 3:23-24 says, "Whatever you do, work at it
  with all your heart, as working for the Lord, not for human masters, since you know that
  you will receive an inheritance from the Lord as a reward. It is the Lord Christ you are
  serving."