

CITY TEAMS

Street to Seat Teams (Greeting, Information, Ushers)

What First Time Guests said they noticed:

“Very friendly people. Open and accepting church.”

“A young man waving at me as I drove into the church...it really made me smile and feel welcomed.”

“The people greeting in the parking lot was what I noticed first. And the love continued throughout the entire service. Everyone was very loving and welcoming.”

“The warm welcome when I first entered. It was like meeting new family.”

Greeting/Parking

Team Leader: Jewel Baker

Description: Welcomes every person who comes to our church. Everyone on this Team is stationed at either the Front Doors, or the Experience Doors for their worship experience assigned time.

Time Commitment: Check in 30 minutes before the experience begins to have our Team Huddle. Meet your Team Leader in the lobby by the Information Desk and the Front Doors a half hour before the experience starts. The Huddle will also take place at this location. Usually will greet once a month – schedules will be emailed.

Information

Team Leader: Deidre Redmond

Description: Information team members greet parishioners and direct them toward the Experience doors. We also answer any questions, take and make CD orders, and stock the materials for the Info kiosk (mugs, armbands, bracelets, mints, brochures, etc.).

Time Commitment: To prepare, we arrive thirty minutes before each service. If possible, we stay after the service to help the pastors to greet and to pass-out gifts. I send a scheduling request once per month. Ideally, an information team member is available to serve once or twice per month.

Usher

Team Leader: Pastor Chad Bollhorst

Description: The Usher Team plays an intricate role in assisting City family and guests to open seating, making them feel welcomed, wanted and comfortable. We are the first line of defense and protection as we are ever watchful to minimize possible hindrances to the flow of service, the safety of our children, Pastors, guests and overall City family. Among other duties like preparing and serving communion, receiving tithes and offerings, and the occasional set-up for illustrated sermons, we help provide as safe and non-threatening environment for the ministering Pastor and team to conduct altar ministry.

Time Commitment: Arrive 30 minutes before service begins, serve during experience and altar call = 1:45-2hrs.

Worship Experience Teams: (Media/Lights, Praise, Sound, Children's)

What First Time Guests said they noticed:

"I really liked the worship band and the video announcements."

"The lighting in the service...it was inviting."

"I felt like I could open up my heart and worship. I haven't felt like that in a while."

"The worship band was very real and it was very easy to worship when they were singing/playing."

"The lighting in the service...it was inviting."

"The kids had a great time as well. The children's group was great."

Media/Lights

Team Leader: Pastor Sumer Norris

Description: Video announcements, web-site, printed materials, assist speaker in worship experience with presentation. Team members also adjust lighting during worship experience.

Time Commitment: Varies

Praise

Team Leader: Samaria Warsaw

Description: The Praise Team has the honor of leading the congregation in praise and worship every week. The Praise Team's goal every week is to usher the congregation into the presence of God.

Commitment: We rehearse every Thursday night from 7pm to 9pm and between 1-1.5 hours on Sundays or Saturdays before the worship experience. The Praise Team is comprised of faithful members of City Church who are involved in either a City Group or one-on-one discipleship. Additional expectations for team members are that they are faithful tithers to the church and that they attend BUILD and an Encounter Retreat.

Sound

Team Leader: Dennis Perez

Description: Works with musical and vocal controls during Thursday night Praise team practice as well as during each Worship Experience. Training is provided.

Time Commitment: Varies

Children's Ministry

Team Leader: Pastor Candace Buggs

Description: Classes are divided into three groups: Infant 0-2, Toddler 3-5, Kids, 6-11. Volunteers assist with all aspects of teaching and caring for the children during the Sunday morning Worship Experiences.

Time Commitment: Varies