

MUSIC MINISTRY AT CHRIST THE KING FAQS

How can I get involved in Music Ministry at CtK?

There are many ways to get involved with music ministry at CtK, including adult mixed choir, men's chorus, choristers, vocal worship leading or support, and instrumental worship support.

My child sings/plays an instrument; are there opportunities for children and youth to contribute musically to services at CtK?

Yes! Intergenerational worship is a beautiful manifestation of our faith, and we want the church to support the growth and leadership development of our young members. In addition to participation in special services, children may contribute service music for regular Sunday worship.

I sing/play an instrument, but I like a different style of music than what I've experienced at CtK. Would I be permitted to incorporate a song that is comfortable for me?

Yes! While we do not use "canned" music or electronic instruments, we celebrate the many expressions that true worship can take. The general structure of Anglican worship and the church calendar create built-in continuity as well as opportunity for variety.

I'd love to join one of the choirs, but I'm not an advanced musician. Is this an appropriate place of ministry for me?

Absolutely! The choir has four professional section leaders, and the director provides a variety of materials to aid learning outside of rehearsals. The more singers, the better we all sound!

I sing/play an instrument but am not available for a regular commitment. May I participate only occasionally?

Absolutely! Simply communicate your availability and type of musical support most comfortable for you, and we'll get you plugged in.

I would love to be supportive of the Music Ministry, but I am not gifted musically. Is there anything I can do?

Yes! Join the Friends of Music at CtK. This group provides support to the Music Ministry in various ways, including:

- † Praying for the Music Ministry
- † Providing thank-you cards and small tokens for visiting musicians at Christmas and Easter
- † Ushering for concert events
- † Tech support for the FoM website
- † Financial support

Donations help maintain quality worship at CtK first and foremost. Some previous purchases possible only through FoM are:

- † Baby grand Kawai piano (replaced brown wooden 1927 Chickering)
- † Choir robes
- † New hymnals, The Book of Common Praise
- † Beautiful flaming maple wood director/cantor music stand
- † Additional instruments for special worship services

Future projects include replacing the organ in the sanctuary, and ensuring maintenance of meaningful, quality worship that truly presents our best offerings.

You will also receive the FoM e-newsletter, which contains updates, interviews, and more.



