



## **WORSHIP AND MUSIC TEAM**

### **MISSION STATEMENT:**

To be a trusted source in the formation of worship and the coordination of music within the Holy Trinity Lutheran family; to meet the worship needs of the congregation.

**CHAIRPERSON:** Joan Winn

### **GUIDING PRINCIPLES:**

Through monthly meetings we strive to provide structure and planning so that worship leaders are equipped to offer meaningful worship services. We seek to be a resource for HTLC and its church council so that worship continues to be an extremely positive part of our church.

#### **Collaboration**

We collaborate with the church council, pastor, staff, ministry teams, synod office and our congregation to share the good news of Jesus Christ.

#### **Partnering**

We partner with others, through our gift of talents, to expand our ability to spread the gospel within and outside the HTLC community in a loving, fiscally responsible and socially acceptable manner that follows the doctrine of the Evangelical Lutheran Church in America – ELCA.

#### **Innovation**

We are constantly looking at new music and worship forms to invigorate and keep worship alive and fresh for our Holy Trinity Lutheran Church community. By utilizing websites we are able to facilitate the many musical options that are available to us. Introducing new areas of our Evangelical Lutheran Book of Worship, we introduce new hymns and forms of worship. These areas help us to INVITE people to participate in our worship, EQUIP them with our tools and worship, and SEND them out into the community with our message

#### **Transparency**

We communicate with each other and those we service in an honest, respectful manner that builds opportunities for dialogue to create a culture of trust and accountability within the HTLC community of faith, allowing us to collectively share the good news of Jesus Christ and continually enhance the image of HTLC.

#### **Integrity**

We serve with gratitude and seek the best for those we serve. Our performance will be visible across the HTLC ministries through our words and actions.

**Quality**

We will provide respectful feedback and competitive compensation and support for our worship leaders as appropriate. In order to continue to meet the worship needs of our congregation, we may use surveys to help understand how worship is being received.

**DATE OF COUNCIL APPROVAL:** December 18, 2012