# **SERVING GUIDE:**

## Music



### 1. Prior to Sunday

Pray about your upcoming service in music ministry and spend some time appreciating the lyrics of the songs chosen. Learn the songs by listening to recordings provided and practicing at home before Sunday. This ensures the time together before the service begins is not spent learning the song, but it's about working out how to present the songs together as a team.

#### 2. Before Service

- those rostered to music for the 9am please arrive at 8am for set up and rehearsals. Those on the 11am arrive at 10:30am.
- As a team, set up the instruments. You may also be able to assist the sound team as they set up the sound desk for the band.
- Pray as a team for the time together.
- Practice sufficiently together. Work on the 'musicality'. The way you present a piece of music
  can have a significant impact on the way it is received. Work on intros, endings, drop outs,
  dynamics, etc.
- Get a run sheet. Check with the Service Leader as to what songs are to be played and who is introducing songs, etc.
- · Be ready to start on time.

## 3. During the Service

 Sit near to stage to ensure easy access to the band area when it is time in the service for music

**Note**: Due to NSW Health Covid restrictions singing is not allowed by any member except the vocal song leader. For this reason the number of songs has been decreased until such time as singing restrictions are lifted.

## 4. Following the Service

- Switch off instruments and leave the music area tidy
- After enjoying a time with others over morning tea, return and pack up the instruments ready for the WWEC Pack Up team.
- If there has been a problem with song lyrics, music needing correction, equipment/other items missing or any other issues, let the Music Team Leader know so it can be fixed for next time