



ANNUAL REPORT

"God is spirit, and his worshipers must worship in the Spirit and in truth."

This teaching of Christ captures my heart for our church-- that we would worship our Heavenly Father in both SPIRIT and in TRUTH. Often worship can be lopsided on either direction...but our goal at TMCC is to have a balanced approach to worship that involves the whole community and unifies the body as we worship together week in and week out.

It is truly an honor to lead our church in singing, meditation, reading and proclamation of God's word, and ultimately, the worship of our great God in spirit and truth!

In the 2014-2015 fiscal year, we have experienced a marked growth in the worship experience at Ten Mile Community Church. The Lord is to be praised for moving and working in the hearts of his people.

Highlights include :

- Introducing modern hymns and songs that capture theological depth and contemporary relevance
- A culture of inviting God's Spirit to minister
- A continual focus on the character of God through the reading of God's word in the service
- Proactive approaches to sound production to enhance the overall worship experience in a multi-generational setting

At the beginning of October we began rehearsals for our Christmas Choir and had a successful performance on December 14th. All of the hard work and many hours of rehearsal really paid off and I heard many positive things about the Cantata. This was the first year that the choir performed the entire Cantata from memory! Lord willing, I plan on doing a Cantata of similar scale this coming EASTER season (2016) with an emphasis on outreach to our community. If you enjoyed the Cantata and would like to get in spring of 2016, please keep your schedule open!

In Christ,

Pastor Nathan



SOME OF THE MINISTRIES AND TASKS THAT I HAVE BEEN OVERSEEING, LEADING, AND ACCOMPLISHING ARE:

- Researching songs and hymns that fit the theological, thematic, and emotional mood of Pastor Marks vision for each Sunday. This includes meditating on the sermon text, collaborative conversations with the pastoral staff and specifically Pastor Mark, and asking the Lord for his leading in the song selection process.
- Arranging each song musically so that it can be easily singable (key) performable for the team for that week (instrumentation) and fit the timing for that Sunday (flow)
- Recruiting new musicians and creatives to serve in various worship team combinations and environments.
- Oversaw the research and purchase of the HearBack IEM system for the Worship Team's use and for continued pursuit of excellent sound production for a multi-generational church.
- Organized and led music for the Men's retreat
- Directed, sang, and produced the TMCC Christmas Choir including writing and designing light cues.
- Spending time each week practicing to promote a culture of excellence in music
- Leading weekly worship team rehearsals on Thursday and Sunday mornings
- Coaching worship leaders and equipping them to continue to grow in skill and confidence
- Successfully planned, coordinated, and hosted the Truth Remains Conference last July. This included setting up a website for the event, including the option of online ticketing to help estimate attendance and promote a successful experience.
- Leading a Small Group for Career aged congregants. We covered several book series and studies.
- Study for leading my small group and to continually be increasing in the knowledge of our God