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Ministry Passions

- Serving and shepherding the local church by leading worship.
- Discipling and developing Godly, gifted worship leaders.
- Designing creative, God-honoring worship experiences.
- Building unified, passionate, well-trained volunteer teams.
- Pastoring our congregation with teaching and servant-leadership.
- Cultivating a thriving worship community with shared vision and values.

Ministry Experience

First Free Church - Student Ministry Worship Pastor, WLT Worship Leader

May 2014 - Present. St. Louis, MO.

- Leading worship for Sunday morning services, youth ministry gatherings, and Kid Connection programming.
- Planning and leading baptism celebrations, family-focused “worship together” services, and annual youth ministry camps and retreats.
- Shepherding, leading, and scheduling worship and tech volunteer teams. (I currently lead 5 teams with 75 total volunteers).
- Equipping teams with excellent musical resources so they can serve God with authenticity and excellence.
- Serving on the preaching team and the pastoral leadership team. (2017-present)
- Providing leadership for our church-wide worship community as part of the Worship Leadership Team. (2019-present)

Missouri Baptist University - Assistant to the Campus Pastor

August 2011 - May 2014. St. Louis, MO.

- Planned and led a weekly, coffee-shop style worship gathering for college students.
- Recruited and mentored small group leaders, and developed a training curriculum for new small group leaders.
- Met with college students for discipleship and evangelism.

Grace Church - Worship Intern, College Ministry Intern

Summer 2008, Sep 2009 - May 2010. Indianapolis, IN.

- Led worship in a large (5,000 family), multi-venue church.
- Served on a creative design team to plan engaging weekly services.
- Helped lead a college and young adult ministry for 18-25 year olds by facilitating worship, teaching, and small groups.

Education

Covenant Theological Seminary - Master of Divinity

August 2010 - May 2014. St. Louis, MO.

- Completed classes in biblical studies, preaching, counseling, leadership, spiritual formation, Greek, Hebrew, and worship.
- Participated with fellow students and a mentor in a transformative discipleship group.

Miami of Ohio - Journalism and Political Science (double major)

2005 - 2009. Oxford, OH.

- Developed a passion and gifting for writing.
- Participated in a Navigators campus ministry where I received training in evangelism, discipleship, and small groups.
- Served as the leader for our worship team and helped grow our team by recruiting and training more than 25 student volunteers.
- Led worship at weekly Friday night services, and at an annual fall retreat attended by hundreds of students from multiple colleges.

Musical Experience

- More than 12 years of experience coaching worship bands and vocalists in a variety of church and ministry settings.
- Primary instrument is acoustic guitar; also experienced with electric guitar, drums, bass, and basic piano.
- Taught guitar lessons for many years, and also took multiple years of lessons from several instructors.
- Sung in multiple choirs and have continued to grow as a vocalist through training exercises and personal development.

Other Expertise

- Experienced in working with worship ministry “tools of the trade,” like Ableton Live, Planning Center, Song Select, Praise-Charts, and Pro-Presenter.
- Familiar with basics of technical ministry – including sound, slides, lights, and video.
- Passionate about working with tech teams to develop ministry partnerships marked by collaboration and strong communication.

Family

My relationship with the Lord and my family are my two most important priorities. My wife Amber and I have been married for 9 years. Amber is passionate about ministry to moms with young kids, and we enjoy partnering together to serve the church in ministry. We have two kids: Caden (4), and Ava, (6 months).