

WESTMINSTER MUSIC PROGRAM

2022-2023

PHILOSOPHY

Westminster's music program exists to support the worship life of the congregation. The program creates opportunities for all to share their musical gifts in worship. Please review this information to find a place for you!

MISSION STATEMENT

"We believe that worship of God is central to life and that the music we share, as an expression of our faith, is both a gift from God and an offering to God. Through our disciplined commitment and dedication to excellence, and in keeping with the responsibilities of our roles as leaders of corporate worship, we will share our gifts with our congregation in order to reinforce and heighten the meaning of scripture, the spoken word, and the spirit of worship."

FOR MORE INFORMATION

For more information, or to discuss your involvement, please contact:

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WESTMINSTER CHANCEL CHOIR

The Chancel Choir is the primary ensemble in Westminster's music ministry. The Choir, which leads in weekly Sunday worship from September to June, draws upon a vast repertoire of choral music that includes both historical and contemporary styles. The Choir rehearses on Wednesdays at 7:00 pm.

WESTMINSTER HANDBELLS

Westminster's handbell ensemble is an ad hoc group of interested ringers, which plays Westminster's Malmark handbells and handchimes. This group will rehearse immediately following Sunday worship for two or three weeks in advance of bringing music gifts to worship on selected Sundays.

VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL

In addition to participation in ensembles, individuals with vocal or instrumental talents are encouraged to contact the Minister of Music to discuss opportunities to serve as a soloist in Sunday worship.