

Music Ministry Transition/Search Committee Report

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Since we began work in February, the Music Ministry Transition/Search Committee listened to eminent leaders in music ministry and a wide range of church members to learn the elements of a thriving music ministry and the hopes our members have for the future of music at Knollwood. The committee's findings are outlined in a document, Music Ministry Background and Leadership Profile. ([link to document](#))

On the role of music at Knollwood:

- Music is central to our worship and will continue to be a part of worship that intentionally integrates scripture and themes with engaging music and litany.
- Music education for all ages in an important value for our church to continue.
- We respect our rich tradition of meaningful music in worship and are open to continuing our practice of exploring music that reflects the richness and diversity of God's creation.

Essential qualifications of our music minister:

- Both a pastor and a music leader with training in both music and theology
- Skilled in music education for all ages
- Demonstrates a strong commitment to living like Jesus and who shares Knollwood's vision and mission.

This month the committee will begin publicizing our open position among trusted leaders in music ministry and in professional sacred music organizations. Recommended candidates will submit both detailed letters of interest and recommendation for the committee to review. Interviews of qualified candidates will follow.

The committee members ask for your support and prayer as we move into the search phase of our work.