



CHART DESCRIPTIONS

Spring - Summer 2021

WORSHIP Ministry

Worship Arts: The sound of DaySpring is warm and expansive. Lend your musical, artistic, or theatrical talents to communal worship. While we are on-line only, we're welcoming one family or group each Sunday to take part in the service. When we resume in-person worship, we can use a variety of people each Sunday. Sign up here to be on the list for either phase.

Worship Space Prep for Lent, Easter, and Ordinary Time: With the ministry staff, prepare our worship space (probably all under the oaks) for the changes of the seasons of the liturgical year. Learn the meaning of the church seasons and help the church's worship engage the seasons.

Worship Care Trail Guides (2 per Sunday): With the Minister to Children and Families, take 3 year-olds through Kindergarteners on a walk on DaySpring's trails during the sermon. We stop at St. Julian's circle for a short lesson and aim to be back in time for communion and a blessing.

Worship Guide Proofing: (*<1 hour/week*) This team proofs worship guides before printing by responding to a weekly email from the church office with files attached.

Sound and Video Support: Help set up and operate sound and video support during worship. Streaming video is now an integral part of the DaySpring worship experience while we are on-line only and when we resume in-person gatherings. We need two teams of 5 who will serve every other week.

HOSPITALITY AND COMMUNITY Ministry

Greeters for in-person worship : One to two greeters serve each Sunday and serve as the face and welcome of the church to members and guests. We like to keep the team small so that greeters become a consistent smiling face that knows those walking in.

Care Partners: Partner with another member of the congregation during this time of pandemic, to check in on them regularly, offering friendship and support.

New Parent Support and Care: Encourage our new parents by checking in on them after the birth of a baby and by creating and sharing a meal calendar for DaySpringers to provide meals.

SPIRITUAL FORMATION Ministry

Silent Retreat Leadership: (*around 5 hours around the retreat event*) DaySpring has long valued the importance of coming away to a quiet place to be with Christ. We try to organize a women's retreat, a men's retreat, and a Lenten silent retreat every year or so. We are experimenting for a season with monthly silent retreats. We need people who are willing to help organize, publicize, and administer these important times of retreat for our congregation.

Lectionary Breakfast Coordinator: (*Friday 8-9 am, weekly email reminders*) Assist with leading the lectionary discussion group each Friday morning. On zoom until we can resume in person breakfast.

Undergraduate Ministry Team: (*Commitment varies*) Our undergraduate ministry team helps with our ministry to college students which includes mentoring, helping with rides for students, church fair and outreach.

Youth Ministry Team: Members of the Youth Ministry Team will be expected to maintain an active role in either the Sunday Morning Formation Classes or the Wednesday Night Gatherings. Team members are expected to be passionate about walking alongside our students during these important, formative years. Being on this team will require no more than 5 hours per week of time, with the exception of volunteering for summer camp or spring retreat.

Wednesday Evening Children's Leaders for Lent: Wednesday evenings provide a wonderful midweek opportunity for children to learn, share, pray, and have fun with their friends. With the Minister to Children and Families, leaders will guide a group of either middle (6-9 year olds) or older (9-12 year olds) children from 6:00 - 7:15 p.m. We will meet outside beginning Wednesday, February 24th - Wednesday, March 24th, practice physical distancing, and wear masks.

Summer Children's Sunday School Teachers: Sunday school is one of the primary ways DaySpring nurtures children in their growing faith in Jesus. Each summer we aim to give our Fall and Spring teachers a break to rest and renew their commitment to teaching children. Although committing to all eight Sundays is ideal in building relationships, we understand people travel throughout the summer and may only be able to commit to a few Sundays. Please consider signing up whether you're available to teach one Sunday, eight, or somewhere in between. Summer classes for 2021 include 3/4-year-old once a month Zoom and video lessons, K-1 Godly Play on Zoom, 2-4th Godly Play on Zoom, and 5/6 Grade lectionary based-lessons.

MISSIONS Ministry

Gospel Café Team: (*2-3 hours a month*) Gospel Cafe offers a free meal to anyone who needs it; it is located near downtown. This team helps make, serve and clean up a meal on the second Wednesday of the month from 10:30 am - 1:30 pm.

Mission Incentive, Support and Care

Asylum-Seeker Support Team: *(time commitment varies depending upon need and your availability)* On this team you can help provide support and care to someone in a variety of ways such as: driving to appointments, befriending, helping someone search for a job, supporting them as they learn English, and many other ways. This team is also working to address some of the needs of asylum seekers in Waco.

Sunshine Recovery House Support: We are looking for a team of 2-4 people who will help support the Sunshine Recovery House, part of which includes communicating with the congregation, ways that we can serve in support of their mission.

STEWARDSHIP Ministry

Cleaners: The cleaning ministry is an expression of our church's commitment to take ownership of the gifts we share and offer to our guests. With our buildings closed, cleaning teams will focus on particular areas to deep clean. As the buildings reopen in 2021, cleaning will be an important ministry.

Cleaning Teams Coordinators: Contact and schedule teams of volunteers to clean the church on a regular basis.

Mowers: *(1-2 hours about once/month)* Mow, edge, and clear the sidewalks. The mowing team faithfully prepares the first impression most people have of our church and helps make the DaySpring grounds an inviting place of prayer and rest. DS provides the equipment.

Counters *(30-45 minutes after in person worship, ~2x/month)* DaySpring members who are responsible for accurately counting and recording the weekly offering each week.

Flower Bed Care: *(Periodically, lovingly tend to a designated flower bed)* Plant, weed, and nurture our flowerbeds to beautify the spaces around the church buildings.

Trees, Trail, and Prayer Stations: *(Seasonal, occasional)* For those who love working outdoors, keep natural areas clear and accessible for walks and quiet meditation. This season on our Take 2's we want to tackle some major clearing in the woods behind the sanctuary and are interested in designing a prayer stations walk.

Playground Care: *(Seasonal, occasional)* Keep the playground orderly and safe by weeding, picking up toys, and inspecting equipment regularly. Also, work with the Minister to Children and Families on larger projects such as fence repair and installing a shade structure.

Website Redesign Team: As we are migrating to another website platform, there are some tasks that require some expertise and advice. Time on this team would be mostly in the Spring, until the new website is launched and as needed after that.