



MINISTRY POSITION

LIGHTING TECHNICIAN

Time Commitment

8:00am – 12:15. Every 3rd Sunday

Saturday rehearsal with drama team or special event. Usually once every 12 weeks, although you should assume it might happen every 3rd week when you're scheduled to run lights.

Extra Commitment

Occasional help (usually on Saturdays) re-positioning lights, setting up stage lighting after a backdrop change, preparing for lighting for special services (being good with heights is a plus but not mandatory). Team meetings, training, and fellowship which are usually no more than 1.5 hours per month.

Synopsis

The function of lighting in our services could be as simple as flicking a switch on at the beginning. However, nothing can change the feel or mood of an event more than adding appropriate lighting for the moment that is being created. The use of color during worship can enhance the presentation being made on stage, as well as beautify the backdrops created by the stage design team. Lighting during a drama is essential to making it believable, and can often be critical in bringing closure to a sketch or another portion of the service.

Skills

Good eye for detail. Sensitivity to how lighting both in the house and on the stage can affect the mood of the service, as well as sensing the work of the Holy Spirit during services. Quick learner – must be able to take direction from pastor, worship leader or drama director seconds before a service and put it into action flawlessly during both services!

Training

To use Lighting Board. To understand how lighting fixtures work, function, and how to hang them. Learn the ability to create a "scene" using colors, placement, and control.

Responsibilities

Arrive at 8:00am on Sunday morning, rehearse with the worship team (ensuring vocalists are positioned in such a place where they can be seen) and drama team. Be ready to run through transitions between drama/song/presentation. Be present in the booth for services, staying focused during worship, and anticipating the next move in our sometimes spontaneous worship times.

of Positions

3 for Sundays