## Goals for TCCC Worship Leading (Modified from the original by Chris Chow)

- 1. Reproduce worshippers
- 2. Help to develop, encourage worship leadership by:
  - a. Teaching on worship
  - b. Providing opportunity to lead P&W
  - c. Providing music through the music notebooks, web site-tabs, tapes, CDs
- 3. Getting people's eyes off the worship leader and unto the Lord
- 4. Be inclusive (Develop a common base of songs for all to identify, including hymns, while teaching an acceptable number of new songs)
- 5. Work with the speakers at least a week in advance in order to prayerfully choose the most appropriate songs that are aligned with the speaker's theme/message.
- 6. Be prompt to service and start worship on time (2 high energy songs off the bat, then ending with more worshipful song)
- 7. Have preplanned and practiced before showing up (practice on Saturday)
- 8. Realize the importance of our roles as worship leaders and just as the ushers at church look their best and have reverent attitudes before the congregation, we need to take seriously this privilege of ushering others into the presence of God.
- 9. Allow for different ways of orderly praise
- 10.Personal growth in worship.
  - a. Developing spontaneous worship
  - b. Learning new worship songs, and practice new chords
  - c. Learning to play improvisational

Qualifications of a worship leader:

- 1. Must be a worshiper, not just have an ear for music. Must have learned the daily discipline of submitting to the total Lordship of Christ regardless of personal emotions or circumstances of life.
- 2. Deep and proven spiritual walk
- 3. Familiar with the style of praise and worship of the congregation
- 4. Musically inclined to an acceptable level
- 5. Good reputation in the fellowship
- 6. Able to function as part of a team (able to get along with others)
- 7. Proper attitude toward Bible study, church and church leaders
- 8. Enthusiastic, friendly, warm personality