

Ministry Moments at GCRC

Purpose: To highlight the different ministries and supportive causes in and outside of our church throughout the year.

Who Can Participate: Ministries within our congregation can either request, or the Worship Committee can ask certain ministries throughout the year. Ministries that we support from outside of our church can also request a Ministry Moment.

Who Approves the request: The Worship Committee (note: if the request is given and approval is needed before the committee meets again, Pastor and Chair will discuss and respond)

Who Directs the Presenter: Pastor

Some Guidelines to Follow:

1. When you are thinking about what to include here are a few things to remember:
 - a. Always start with a description of your ministry. There are guests in the congregation that have never heard about your ministry. Depending on how many times a Ministry Moment has been done should indicate how much time you should spend on the description of your ministry.
 - b. Pictures are a great visual for people to see what goes on in your Ministry.
 - c. Highlight something from the current year. (For example: At Cadets this year, we came in first in the Fall Derby)
 - d. If there is anything for the congregation to help with, let them know. New Members, help with certain events, prayer etc.
2. Timing should be around 2-5 minutes
3. If anything needs to be projected, please give to Pat to upload to the computer no later than the Thursday before.

Some examples:

1. On GEMS Sunday GEMS is asked to do a Ministry Moment. The leader asks 2 of the girls to speak on behalf of the GEMS. They give a small description of GEMS. (meaning, number of girls, when they meet) and then they will discuss a small part of GEMS like the link to Africa. They may have some pictures to project, or they may wait until the offering to show a slideshow.
2. The Implementation Team for Discerning His Direction has an update about one of the initiatives that they would like to share with the congregation. They will give a short description of what the Implementation Team is. The congregation is very familiar with it, but there may be visitors. They will then bring their focus on the one initiative and let us know about it and if there is anything the congregation needs to do to participate in it.

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