

Male Chorus Code of Values to Sustain Unity

The most important part of Membership in the Male Chorus is to stand and serve together in unity because God responds to unity and agreement.

- Leading a song, singing a solo, or being a main character is secondary to the primary mission of serving together in unity.
- It's not about the music alone, but music that comes from united and desperate hearts.
- What I'm a part of is bigger than the part I play.
- The Male Chorus is not made possible by the gifts and talents of a few but the sacrifices of many.
- I would rather sacrifice my own personal interest to promote what makes us united.
- Those who are on the forefront are not better than the rest but serving a specific role for the betterment of the team.
- Support those whom God has chosen to be on the forefront just as you would want to be supported in that position.

Respect

- Treat others as we would like to be treated.
- Listen with the intent to understand what is being said and acknowledge that what is said is important to the speaker.
- Respond in a timely fashion.
- Speak calmly and respectfully, without profanity or sarcasm.
- Acknowledge everyone and make every effort to view everyone's perspective.

Integrity

- Only make agreements and commitments you are intending, willing, and able to keep.
- Communicate any potentially broken agreements at the first appropriate opportunity with all parties concerned.
- Look to the system for correction and propose all possible solutions if something is not working.
- Operate in a responsible manner: "above the line..."
- Communicate honestly and with purpose.

- Ask clarifying questions if you disagree or do not understand something.
- Never say anything about anyone that you would not say to him or her face to face.
- Discuss any concerns, objections, disappointment and other internal issues directly with the leadership.

Servanthood

- Continuously strive to maximize internal and external loyalty for the people we serve.
- Make every best effort to understand and appreciate the needs of the people we serve in every type of situation.

Enjoy the Fellowship in the Process!