



KIBC Choir Application

Please take time to read this, fill it out, and pray, as you seek to follow God's leading.

GREETINGS

Let the message of Christ dwell among you richly as you teach and admonish one another with all wisdom through psalms, hymns, and songs from the Spirit, singing to God with gratitude in your hearts. And whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.
Colossians 3:16-17 (NIV)

We are blessed that you are inquiring about serving the Lord through the Choir at KIBC. Being a member of the Choir is an honorable task and opportunity to praise God, lead the church in singing, and minister to others with your voice. We look forward to partnering with you as you seek the Lord for this important decision.

ABOUT THE KIBC CHOIR MINISTRY

The goal of our ministry is to bless the Lord and KIBC with our voices whether it is in a classical or contemporary form of singing. We may be singing with an orchestra or with a band, but regardless of the accompaniment, our desire is to grow in unity and develop harmony in our singing and within the KIBC community. This requires commitment to musicianship, punctuality to rehearsals and services, and devotion to a Christian lifestyle.

We affirm the Bible as God's inspired revelation and profess the one true God in the Trinity of Father, Son, and Holy Spirit. Our faith centers on salvation by grace through Jesus Christ's death and revelation which is emphasized through the Church, family, stewardship, and the ordinances of baptism and the Lord's Supper. To be a part of the choir at KIBC, you must agree to these core beliefs of our church.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Name: _____ **Phone:** _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Age: _____ **Birth Date:** _____ / _____ / _____ **Gender:** Male / Female

Workplace/School: _____

AREAS OF INTEREST

Now that you have filled out the personal information and more, we would like to know which area, or areas you can serve. I am competent and willing to serve as a:

___ Soloist ___ Tenor ___ Bass ___ Soprano ___ Alto ___ Pianist ___ Organist

QUALIFICATIONS

There are requirements KIBC has for Choir members. While we certainly do not expect perfection, the specific qualifications we require are that you must:

1. Be a Christian

You must be a *Christian* to serve at Kowloon International Baptist Church. Everyone who serves at KIBC in any capacity must have put his/her faith in Jesus as Lord and Savior. If you are a believer in Jesus, then mark the line on the following page.

_____ I acknowledge that I have put my personal faith in Jesus.

2. Have been baptized

While baptism doesn't save anyone, it is an important step of obedience and testimony for following Christ. As a Baptist Church, we observe water baptism through immersion, for believers only. If you have been baptized after conversion, then mark the line below.

_____ I acknowledge that I have been baptized by immersion, after salvation.

3. Be a member of KIBC

As a covenant member of KIBC, you agree to the core doctrines of KIBC and commit to following Jesus by taking part fully in the life, ministry and fellowship of the Church. If you are a member of KIBC, then mark the line below.

_____ I am a faithful member of KIBC.

EXPECTATIONS

1. Musical competencies
 - A. A certain level of proficiency is expected of those who sing in the Choir. We are committed to excellence, not only for those who will be in the congregation, but also for the Lord.
2. Time Commitment
 - A. Sunday Services and Rehearsal

- a. Serve in either **9:30** and/or **11:00** services.
- b.** Attend Sunday rehearsals at **8:10am**
- B. Special Services/Events
 - a. Choir members are expected to serve/attend at special events of KIBC.

KIBC Choir Covenant

Believing that the privilege of singing in the Choir is worthy of my best, I commit to:

- Continually develop my personal relationship with Jesus Christ (Mark 10:21)
- Maintain a Christ-like witness by abstaining from excess drinking, sexual immorality, unwholesome speech, gambling, etc. (James 1:22, Eph. 5:18)
- Be faithful to worship preparation by arriving on time to the Choir practices and services and, in the case of an unavoidable absence, to notify the Pastor of Worship and Arts (1 Cor. 4:2)
- Take the required time I need each week to prepare for the music that is being sung each week. (2 Tim. 2:15)
- Seek to build community and unity in the Choir and the larger fellowship of KIBC by helping Choir members to know one another and support each other in prayer, fellowship, and ministry (Acts 2:46, Gal. 6:2)

With God’s help, I will seek to do my best in fulfilling this covenant.

Signed: _____

Print Name: _____

Date: _____

Upon completion of this application, please email it to llee@hkkibc.org or hand a hard copy to our staff at the welcome table on Sunday mornings. Thank you for taking time to fill this out. We look forward to *meeting* you, *learning* more about you, and *partnering* with you to see where God wants you to serve!