

## Module 2: Quit Practicing at Rehearsals

### Discussion Questions

1. Do we as team use our first service (or only service) as a run-through or dress rehearsal? What ways do you see that happening?
2. Jon said the three big steps of preparation are Practice, Rehearsal and the Run-Through. In your opinion, what could we do better in each of these three big steps?
3. Jon talked about the idea that we're priests. And one of the functions of priests is create a space for God and man to meet. How well are we able to do that based on our current level of preparation?
4. Jon talked about your personal practice affects not only your fellow team members but also our congregation. Personally, how do you feel knowing that your practice affects others?
5. How often do we as a team operate in the "just wing-it" mode?
6. Think about this statement: "If I'm not practicing, I could be giving God shoddy, sloppy or defiled worship." How does change your view towards preparation?
7. Here's the expectations the video talked about for how to show up to rehearsal:
  - Arrive BEFORE the posted start time and be ready to play or sing by the start time.
  - Come with the expectation of having fun.
  - Come with your music learned.
  - Be ready to engage with your team members. Remember: this is relational.

Can we agree over these next few weeks to adopt this standard, and just see how it changes things?

8. At the end of the video, Jon said this: If you as team members can hold yourselves and each other accountable to phrase "Practice is personal; rehearsal is relational" It will do amazing things for your worship team.

If we take that seriously, what things will it change for our team and our Sunday morning worship service?