



Dr. Jonathan Peacock

Artistic Director

As a conductor, vocalist, and pastor, Jonathan Peacock fervently seeks to live out his calling by sharing a message of hope through music. Originally from the rural town of Alma, Georgia, Jonathan has travelled not only across the United States but across the globe, bringing hope and encouragement through music to the people of China, North Korea, Israel, England, Scotland, and Wales.

Shortly after accepting the call into music ministry, Jonathan began his undergraduate studies at Truett McConnell University, where he received his Bachelor of Arts in music and voice with a concentration church music. As an undergraduate student, Jonathan conducted the TMU Ringers, a four-octave student handbell choir. Supporting his vocal performance studies, Jonathan was a frequent tenor soloist for the TMU

Chorale and TMU Chamber Singers, in which he performed works of all genres ranging from classical to gospel. Most notably, his vocal solo work included Handel's Messiah, as performed with the TMU Community Chorus and Orchestra in 2014.

Committed to pursuing musical excellence and theological training, Jonathan received his Master of Music in conducting from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, where he studied with prominent professors such as Dr. David Thye, Dr. Mark Taylor, and Dr. Kurt Sprenger. During his time at Southwestern, Jonathan served as assistant conductor of the Southwestern Master Chorale, the Southwestern Singers, and the Southwestern Chapel Orchestra. Since 2017, Jonathan has conducted various choral groups and ensembles throughout the state of Georgia such as the Georgia Baptist Youth I and Youth II vocal ensembles and Youth I choir.

The majority of Jonathan's work has been in local churches throughout Georgia and Texas. Serving in the role of worship pastor, Jonathan strives to teach sound worship theology and instill musical excellence in every church choir, vocal ensemble, handbell choir, and orchestra he has led. Currently, Jonathan serves as worship pastor at First Baptist Church of Dublin, Georgia where he directs the chancel choir, vocal ensemble, handbell choir, youth choir, youth ensemble, and orchestra.

In addition to his commitment to the local church, Jonathan serves as worship and music consultant for the Georgia Baptist Mission Board, president of the Dublin-Laurens Arts Council, executive board member of the Baptist Church Music Conference, and is an active member and tenor soloist for the Sons of Jubal.

