

# JONATHAN DiSTAULO

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## Worship Leader Music Pastor

Pastoral | Servant Leadership | Staff Development

Highly pastoral and creative team leader with a record of accomplishment in driving the spiritual and recruitment growth of worship ministry. Comprehensive understanding of cross-generational worship, including blended and contemporary styles. Responsible for technical team's development, project oversight, volunteer recruitment, and quality assurance. Recognized as an effective communicator who adds value at all ministry levels. Catalyst for proactive and positive change. Additional strengths include:

- Mentorship and Recruitment
- Procedure Development
- Advanced Music Training
- Multi-lingual Abilities (French & Italian)
- Leadership Skills
- Interpersonal Communication Abilities
- Digital/Live Audio Skills
- Provisional Counseling License

## Ministry Experience

### West Congregational Church - Haverhill, MA

*Pastor of Worship & Fine Arts/Staff Counselor & Media (2004 - Present)*

Responding pastorally to the spiritual needs of a 700+ congregation associated with this CCCC outreach, my achievements and responsibilities include, but are not limited to:

- Directing the praise team and choral group not only growing membership from 40 to 90 volunteers but, improving the delivery and understanding of worship music messages. Maintaining a standard of excellence in musical worship while intentionally providing the "next generation music leaders" training.
- Coordinating a variety of major choral concert productions throughout the year.
- Upgrading the churches media productions using advanced software applications pertaining to a variety of media productions, the upgrading of in-service worship presentations, designing and editing our web presence, "pod-casting" sermons, designing and installing a new on-line capability to organize and plan people and resources for services/events and improving the monitoring systems capability.

*West Congregational Church continued...*

- Providing and expanding the pastoral counseling services to the parishioners.
- Identifying and delivering critically needed topical information related to Anger and money management for couples, family systems and Disciplinary Strategies.

**Jaffarian Volvo Toyota Dealership** - Haverhill, MA

Auto Sales (2007)

Part-time sales staff for Volvo new car sales. On track to be the highest sales performer for the quarter.

**Evangel Temple Christian Center** – Springfield, MO

*College Pastor & Assistant Worship Leader* (2001 – 2004)

Supported this 600+ person Assemblies of God outreach where accomplishments involved the establishment and leadership of a musical group, holding weekly services ministering to a growing group of student attendees, visiting metropolitan campus and building relationships and leading weekly group therapy meetings.

**Assemblies of God Theological Seminary** – Springfield, MO

*Music Chapel Coordinator* (2000-2002)

On a scheduled basis functioned as a chapel leader using the resources within the student body to establish a worship team.

**Burrell Behavioral Health Center** – Springfield, MO

Therapist – Families First (2000-2002)

Elevated to this opportunity that involved home-based family and behavioral therapy providing parenting techniques, interacting with community-based services groups, providing client's after care goals and communicating with Burrell's office from the field and participating in weekly meetings.

- Maintained and monitored services to children requiring psychological assistance on a weekly basis implementing professional treatment plans holding quarterly reviews and updates interacting with psychologists, therapists, members of the Division of Family Services and school teachers to synchronize the effectiveness of the services.

## **CGI, Montreal, QC**

*Computer Support, Project Prime (1997-1999)*

Provided expert support for CGI's largest customer Bell Canada, during their data migration from multiple OS platforms to a consolidated system. Managed support calls and prioritized technical service visits. Met face to face with the end users to assist them with their software needs and any remaining data transfer challenges. Helped ensure a smooth transitions from older computers to new laptops and desktops.

## **Education & Software**

ASSEMBLIES OF GOD THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY, Springfield, MO

MA Counseling

Dual Major - Marriage & Family Therapy/Professional Counselor

ZION COLLEGE, Haverhill, MA

BA Biblical Studies

Cum Laude Graduate

GORDON COLLEGE, Wenham, MA

Biology Major

## **Software & Abilities**

Publisher

Studio 10,

Movie Maker

Adobe Photoshop Elements 4.0

Digital Juice

Apple Software iLife '09

MS Office Media Shout

Social Sites

Garage Band

Live Audio Mixer

Trilingual: English/French/Italian

*References will be furnished upon request.*

*Samples of seminar reports, brochures, posters furnished upon request.*