

Springdale Lutheran Church

Job Description

Church Piano Accompanist and Choir Director, Part-Time

Purpose: To provide piano/organ music for worship services and other church functions and to direct the adult and youth choirs.

Education, Skills and Ability: Be able to display a professional level of musical talent from training and experience. Have a thorough working knowledge of the congregation's worship services and a theological understanding of church music. Be able to communicate well and in a friendly manner with the pastor, fellow employees, church choirs, and members of the congregation.

Job Performance Requirements:

1. Provide piano/organ music in a professional manner for worship services and seasonal and special services.
2. Direct adult and youth choirs, including planning practices and selecting music. Work with the youth director to select music and practices for the youth choir and Christmas program. The adult choir practices on Sunday mornings at 8:30.
3. Facilitate the congregation to sing and worship through the excellent execution of hymns and liturgy.
4. Encourage the musical talents and participation of members of the congregation through organizing and coordinating special musical offerings, including soloists, instrumentalists, and small ensembles.
5. Work with the pastor and church council to arrange for qualified substitute pianist when absent for church services and notify the church secretary in advance.
6. Monitor the pianos and other musical instruments for any maintenance needs.
7. Assist in the with hymn selection and is responsible for timely submission of hymn numbers and titles for the worship bulletin.

Pay starts out at \$500 per month.