

11am Music Director, St. Mary's Episcopal Church, St. Paul

The 11 am Music Director at St Mary's leads the congregation in worship through music. The Director encourages participation through singing and the offering of other musical gifts and provides joyful, competent and appropriate musical leadership. To accomplish this the director works closely with the rector and other parish leaders.

Expectations:

- Spiritual maturity and vocation to serve God through parish leadership.
- Experienced musicianship; conducting, keyboard and rehearsal skills.
- Familiarity with liturgical worship preferred.
- Personal vision for music ministry as well as the capacity to work as part of a team and engage others in a common vision.
- Continued hospitality and invitation for welcoming new members into music ministry.

Liturgical tasks:

- Chooses service music, hymns, anthems and other musical offerings to fit the liturgical season's weekly readings for the 11 am service.
- Obtains, prepares and maintains the music for 11 am music liturgy .
- Prepares bulletin materials (psalm, alternate hymns,etc) and submit to bulletin preparer.

- Consults , plans and plays organ for weddings and funerals on a fee-for-service basis.

Leading Ensembles:

Adult choir/ handbell choir

- Chooses music and prepare schedule accordingly.
- Holds weekly rehearsals for and directs adult choir and periodic rehearsal for bell choir during the months of September through June.
- Organizes communication in the event of cancellation or emergency.

Professional development and additional responsibilities

- Maintains own professional competence through regular music practice.
- Establishes and maintains contact with resources both within as well as outside the parish musical and liturgical community to facilitate the growth of new ideas.
- Attends staff/11 am worship committee meetings.
- Prepares annual budget for area of responsibility and administers the expenditures of approved items.
- Performs other duties and assumes other responsibilities as mutually agreed upon with rector.
- Arranges for the repair and tuning of the church's keyboard instruments and handbells.

Qualifications

Experience, Education and Skills :

- A Bachelor's or Master's degree in Music preferred
- Experience in administration and management of musicians
- High degree of proficiency in use of the organ and a working knowledge of other instruments.

TO APPLY: send cover letter and resume to
Attn: Music Director Search Team, Ginny DeLuca ,
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