

Employment Opportunity: Church Choir Accompanist for

Faith Lutheran Church
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Description:

Faith Lutheran Church in Stephenville, Texas is seeking a choir accompanist beginning in September 2017. The choir consists of 15 to 20 singers who enhance our Sunday morning worship services through sacred choral music. Selection of music is primarily based on the scripture readings for each service.

Primary responsibilities include:

- Choir accompanist for Wednesday evening rehearsals from 6:00 to 7:00 PM. During Advent and Lent, the choir rehearsal follows the Wednesday evening worship service, and is usually from 7:30 to 8:30 PM.
- Choir accompanist at two worship services, 8:00 AM and 10:45 AM, for two Sundays each month from September through May. The Choir typically sings on the third and fourth Sundays of each month with occasional variations (approximately twenty Sundays from September through May).
- Choir accompanist at special services, which are typically Christmas Eve, Ash Wednesday, Good Friday, and a hymn festival.

Minimum Qualifications:

- Able to play choral accompaniment in a variety of styles of music from traditional to contemporary.
- Able to play choral parts to assist choir members in learning their parts.
- Able to sight read.
- Able to focus on the director's instructions and follow the director's tempo and leading of the choir.
- Dependable and punctual for services and rehearsals.

Desirable Qualifications:

- Able to play accompaniment on organ if song style so dictates.
- Able to lead sectional rehearsals.
- Able periodically to provide additional music during regular worship service on days when the choir sings.

Salary for the nine month period of September to May will be \$1,500 to \$2,100 (depending on qualifications) and will be paid on a monthly basis.

To apply, submit a resume by Friday, August 25, 2017, addressed to Music Director, to the church office or via email to arnold.ramming@faithlutheranchurch.com. Interviews will be scheduled by the Music Director. The interview will include an audition of skills. Position will begin on September 1, 2017.