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Music Director (Part-time)

St. Luke's Episcopal Church in Phillipsburg, NJ seeks a part-time Music Director to support the spiritual formation of the congregation through musical expression of Christian worship. The Music Director is a ministry position with an emphasis on leading worship and working collaboratively with the clergy to nurture a growing Christian community. The Director selects music for each service in consultation with the Rector, plays the musical portions of the worship service on organ or piano, rehearses and directs the church choir, plans anthems and appropriate seasonal music offerings, and encourages congregational participation. Background check required.

Sundays: 1 service + choir rehearsal

Seasonal: Christmas, Holy Week and Easter liturgies, funerals and weddings as needed

Salary: \$10,000 (extra stipend for funerals and weddings)

Contact: The Rev. Anne E. Kitch, anne@stlukesnj.org

EDUCATION, SKILLS, AND REQUIREMENTS

- Expertise in playing organ and piano with the ability both to read music and improvise at the keyboard
- Desire to work collaboratively with the Rector
- Ability to lead and accompany congregational singing
- Ability to rehearse, direct, and accompany a small choir

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS

- Formal or informal training in church music
- Familiarity with Episcopal Church worship and music
- Ability to meet deadlines
- Ability to work with volunteers from diverse backgrounds, and of diverse musical abilities and experience
- Ability to work independently
- Interest in working with children and fostering their musical expression