



## **Saint George Episcopal Church Musician Job Description**

**Employment Classification:** Quarter-time    **Salary:** \$50 per hour.

**Number of hours worked per week:** 3 hours for Traditional Service (with choir practice) or 2 hours for Contemporary Service or 5 hours for both services.

**Summary:** Guides the church music program at Saint George Episcopal Church to include traditional hymns and/or contemporary music, utilizing volunteer choir and/or building a contemporary music team.

### **Essential Duties and Responsibilities:**

Ensure that appropriate music is chosen for each Sunday and special events, in consultation with Vicar.

Lead choir and/or music team during worship on Sunday mornings.

Work with Vicar to ensure the best worship experience possible every Sunday morning and holiday.

Must be able to play the piano to accompany choir and congregation in singing.

### **Qualifications:**

Must be an excellent communicator, comfortable with verbal, written and electronic communication.

Must be a proficient pianist and accompanist, organ skills preferable, but not required. Experience with a broad array of church music, including contemporary worship music preferred.

Must be familiar with or become familiar with the unique worship tradition of the Episcopal Church as it applies to church music.

Must be able to work effectively with volunteers.

**Education and Experience**

Bachelor's degree in music or 2 years church music experience. Masters degree in music preferred. College music students are welcome to apply.

**Work Environment**

Must be available to work on Sundays and Church holidays, particularly Christmas, Holy Week and Easter. Must be willing to work additional hours, as needed. Must be able to make time during the week or before services to lead, coach and instruct volunteer choirs and musicians.