Director of Music Ministries

Saint Nicholas Lutheran Church

1450 Plum Point Road

Huntingtown, MD 20639

Denomination: Evangelical Lutheran Church of America (ELCA)

Church Membership: 273

Weekly Average Attendance: 109

Job type: Part-time (12-15 hours per week)

Salary: negotiable based on skills and experience

Position to be filled: January 2019

**Primary Function**

The Director of Music Ministries (DMM) is responsible for overseeing the musical elements of the worship experience. The ideal candidate:

* holds a degree in music or related degree or possesses demonstrated proficiency and experience in church music
* demonstrates skill and competency at the piano and organ
* demonstrates joy and creativity in their approach to music
* is willing to recruit and collaborate with youth and adult instrumentalists and vocalists.

The DMM will report directly to the Pastor but will also collaborate with staff and other congregational leaders.

**Primary Duties**

* Plan all worship music in consultation with the Pastor for two services a week, plus major liturgical holidays and other Festival days as requested.
* Direct, accompany, develop, and rehearse musical groups on a weekly basis.
* Attend weekly staff meetings.
* Compile and submit annual budgets and end-of-year reports.
* Maintain the music library and supervise maintenance of instruments.
* Maintain professional development in church music.

Closing Date: To remain open until filled

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