



The Presbyterian Church of Morris Plains
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Rev. Jacqui Van Vliet, Interim Pastor

Director of Music

The Presbyterian Church of Morris Plains (PCMP) is seeking a gifted musician and committed Christian to serve as the Director of Music and lead our music program, using both traditional and contemporary music to enhance worship and strengthen the church community.

Part-time position; \$350 /week; no medical, dental or pension benefits.

Position Responsibilities include:

1. Providing music for one Sunday morning worship service each week, special services during Holy Week, Christmas Eve, and an occasional evening service (e.g. Ash Wednesday).
2. Leading the church's music ministry by encouraging and involving the whole church family in the music program as appropriate to the worship services and building a strong, inspirational music program.
3. Working in consultation with the Pastor/Head of Staff to select and coordinate service music and hymns for all worship services of PCMP.
4. Recruiting, training, organizing and directing the chancel choir, including Sunday morning worship services and choir practice one weekday evening each week. Coordinate with and encourage the other music programs of the church (handbell and children choirs).
5. Preparing the on-screen presentation for Sunday worship services.
6. Providing music for the Men's Ministry breakfast one Saturday morning a month.

Job Qualifications:

1. Bachelor's degree, preferably in a music-related field.
2. Experience and demonstrated proficiency in keyboard and organ performance and direction of choral music.
3. Experience in the performance and selection of church music which reflects a broad variety of musical periods and styles. Music for our church services is a mixture of traditional and contemporary Christian music.
4. Professional approach to working with others, including choir members, musicians, church staff and congregation.
5. Must pass a background check.

The Director of Music reports directly to and is responsible to the Pastor/Head of Staff and is under the counsel and evaluation of the Session through the Worship & Music and Personnel Committees.

To apply, please email cover letter, resume and names of three references (two must be work or skill related) to: searchcommittee@burkesrus.com

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