



# St. Luke's

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## **Accompanist/Worship Song Leader Job Description**

The job of the Accompanist/Song Leader is to help lead worship through music.

Specific expectations include:

- Help the Pastor choose music when requested.
- Meet quarterly—or as requested by the Pastor—to plan worship for the Liturgical seasons.
- Review the worship Bulletin in a timely fashion, asking questions and making suggestions where appropriate. Understand that a timely review helps the Office Manager and Pastor format and print the Bulletin prior to worship.
- Practice the music for any given worship service beforehand. Come in knowing the music.
- Be at your position ready to play a minimum of 15 minutes prior the start of worship and then play a postlude in addition to the music during the service.
- Teach songs that are new to the congregation.
- Occasionally work with soloists.
- Sing with the congregation during worship.
- Cultivate joy and a spirit of worship during the service.
- Demonstrates skills in utilizing social media during weather or national emergencies
- Flexibility and calm demeanor important
- This is a per diem position paid at the rate of \$125 per worship service. Extra planning meetings as requested by the Pastor will be paid an additional \$125 per planning meeting.

St. Luke's is a progressive (liberal) congregation that combines personal faith with social justice. Candidates who are comfortable with those values will be more successful in this position.