Join Our Vibrant Ministry as a Pianist/Organist and/ or Choir Director

Part-Time Position(s)

Trinity Lutheran Church ELCA, in Stevens Point, WI seeks a passionate and skilled musician to join our team in a meaningful, multifaceted role that combines artistry, leadership, and service. This job is for someone who wants to make a lasting impact on Trinity's worship community and grow together in our journey of faith and creativity.

We are seeking a candidate for a dynamic, hands-on position that brings together musical excellence, team collaboration, and ministry. If you are someone who thrives in a supportive, faith-filled environment and is passionate about enhancing diverse worship experiences with your musical talent, we want to hear from you!

Candidates that have the skill set to fulfill one or both of these roles will be considered.

Responsibilities

This position involves leading and guiding a variety of musical experiences within our worship ministry and you will regularly collaborate with the Pastor and Worship and Arts Coordinator.

Pianist/Organist (Appx. 10 hours/week)

- Prepare and perform engaging prelude, postlude, and special music as well as lead hymns and liturgical music on piano or organ for Sunday and seasonal midweek services that the band is not playing. The band regularly plays one Sunday per month.
- Serve as adult choir accompanist unless you are the choir director and then an accompanist will be hired to cover this responsibility.
- Coordinate and participate with special musicians (e.g., brass, soloists) for seasonal services like i.e. Christmas, Easter, Holy Week and other specially planned services as well as summer worship services where you are responsible for the music.
- Schedule regular, and as needed, instrument maintenance for the pianos and organ and coordinate with the church office.
- Be available for Wednesday evening choir rehearsals and others as needed.

Choir Director (Appx. 5 hours/week)

- Prepare and direct anthems for two Sunday services a month between September and May including services such as (Christmas Eve, Ash Wednesday, services during Holy Week and Easter, as well as other special services).
- Support choir members and contribute to their musical growth and cohesion.
- Be available for Wednesday evening choir rehearsals and others as needed.
- Is responsible for the filing and organization of the choral library.

Additional Opportunities

Right of first refusal for weddings and funerals (paid separately)

Position Requirements

Ideal candidates should demonstrate:

- A deep passion for music—including proficiency on both piano and organ with an ability to lead worship through music
- **Strong leadership skills**—including experience directing ensembles, with the ability to inspire and develop musicians of all levels
- A heart for ministry—including experience engaging with a church community to support their spiritual growth through music as well as to make connections in the community at large
- **Collaborative spirit**—including experience successfully working with a team including staff and volunteers
- Excellent communication skills—including demonstrated ability to communicate musical vision clearly and effectively with all groups involved

Highest consideration will be given to candidates with a sacred music or church music background, but candidates with demonstrated education/experience that relates to the expected responsibilities will be given full consideration.

What We Offer

This is a fulfilling, part-time position with the potential for additional opportunities, as the ministry and your role grow. You will be part of a loving, supportive church family that values music, creativity, faith, and collaboration. We believe in fostering a work environment where your gifts are celebrated, and your contributions truly matter.

To Apply

If this sounds like your calling, we would love to hear from you! Please submit the following as part of your application as it applies to your skill set:

- Resume with references
- Video of a prepared Prelude or Postlude on organ
- Video of a prepared Prelude or Postlude on piano
- Video of any choir accompanying or directing ensembles
- A statement about why Trinity would be a great fit for you and your ministry

You may email these to trinity@trinitysp.com.

Salary is commensurate with experience.

This position is an exciting opportunity to make a lasting difference in our worship community and to grow in your faith and musical leadership. If you're ready to answer this call, we look forward to hearing from you soon! 05/2025