POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

Choir Accompanist for Servant Singers Christ the Servant Lutheran Church, Bellingham, WA

Christ the Servant Lutheran Church, Bellingham, WA is seeking an experienced choir accompanist to play piano for weekly rehearsals and accompany the Servant Singers 35+ member SATB choir at worship services. This position will begin in September 2024 and requires 9 hours availability per month approximately 9.5 months of the year (on Thursday evenings, Sunday mornings and for special services throughout the year.)

The choir is active from September through early June. Rehearsals for 2024-25 will be on Thursdays, 7:30-9:00 at the church building in Bellingham. The choir sings for the 9:30 am Sunday worship 2 times per month, and for some special worship services throughout the liturgical year, with a brief (15-20 min.) rehearsal prior to worship on those days.

Required Qualifications

- Piano proficiency able to play reasonably difficult anthems; able to read and play (and combine) individual vocal lines for rehearsals
- Ability to follow the director (tempo, volume, nuances, etc.)
- Willing to work collaboratively with other music staff and pastor

Preferred Qualification

Two-to-three years' experience in comparable role

Compensation

This is a part-time position. The hourly rate is: \$60.00 per hour for approximately 9 hours per month.

Applications

To apply for this position, submit a letter of introduction citing relevant experience and skills, and current resume to jobs@ctslutheran.org. Review of applications will commence on April 24, and the position will remain open until filled. Candidates invited to interview for this position will be asked to demonstrate their ability to provide piano accompaniment through an audition with the Director and choir.

Other Information

The successful candidate must pass a criminal background check.

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