

FAITH LUTHERAN CHURCH AND SCHOOL

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Music Director (Part-Time)

Faith Lutheran Church is seeking a part-time Music Director to lead and inspire our congregation through music. The ideal candidate will bring both musical excellence and a spirit of collaboration to our worship life.

About Faith Lutheran Church

Faith Lutheran Church is a welcoming congregation of about 150 members, with an average weekly attendance of 50 in person and 20 online. We follow a traditional Lutheran liturgy, drawing on both traditional and contemporary music to enrich worship and deepen the connection to our faith. The majority of our worship music is piano-led, with occasional pipe organ pieces. Music is central to our communal life, shaping the rhythm and spirit of our worship together.

Key Responsibilities

- Provide piano accompaniment for 10am Sunday worship services
- Direct the adult choir and children's choir rehearsals
- Support Sunday School music needs for special occasions
- Participate in Church Council or Annual Congregation Meetings upon advance request
- Collaborate with the Pastor and Worship Committee to plan and prepare worship services

Additional Responsibilities

- Provide music for special holy days, including midweek Advent and Lenten services, Ash Wednesday, Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, and Christmas Eve
- Offer music leadership for weddings, funerals, and other special services as needed

Qualifications

- High level of proficiency in piano is required
- Experience leading worship music in a liturgical setting is strongly preferred.
- Familiarity with organ performance is a plus
- Knowledge of a broad range of Christian worship music—traditional, contemporary, and liturgical
- Strong communication and organizational skills
- A spirit of teamwork and a passion for helping others engage through music

Compensation

- Starting salary: \$15,600 annually
- Includes four paid Sundays off per year

How to Apply

We are seeking candidates available for a January 2026 start date. Please submit your resume/CV (and optional brief cover note) to pastor.rsheridan@gmail.com. Include links to any relevant performance or directing samples if available.