Our Shepherd Lutheran, a conservative Christian community in Greendale, Wisconsin, is seeking a worship leader for our contemporary music ministry.

We desire a candidate who is in love with the Lord and has the ability to engage the congregation in joy-filled, Christ-exalting, Spirit-led worship with excellence. Our ideal leader will cultivate an environment through worship that invites a deeper relationship with Jesus Christ.

As our worship leader, you will work with the worship team to plan and lead worship services that promote active congregational participation.

Expectations

* Select music and lead worship for 1 to 2 services each weekend. Commitment is typically 1 Saturday service or 2 Sunday services each weekend. Flexibility may be available in coordination with the organist.
* Study new music for theological accuracy, sing-ability, and likeability to identify new songs to use for worship services.
* Lead, organize, and coach a volunteer praise team.
* Organize worship team schedules and practices.
* Work with current ministry volunteers and actively recruit, screen, organize, train, and equip individuals to serve on the worship and production teams.
* Develop a healthy ministry volunteer culture marked by enjoyment, longevity, continued development, and regular encouragement.
* Provide Biblical leadership and encouragement for worship team members.
* Maintain healthy and timely communication with other staff, and worship team members.
* Collaborate with the Senior Pastor to plan a cohesive worship experience.
* Keep apprised of emerging technologies for worship and media.
* Notify the pastor and organist ahead of time regarding absences and work together to ensure coverage.
* Occasional special events and activities may be required.
* Maintain music inventory and organize music library.
* Responsible for the stewardship of the worship ministry budget, equipment, volunteers, and other resources.
* Coordinate with production teams including visual, sound, and livestream teams

Qualifications

* Strong and mature student of the Word of God.
* A lifestyle that reflects the biblical requirements for church leaders (see 1 Tim 3:1-13; 2 Timothy 2; Titus 1:5-9).
* Commitment to and agreement with the mission, vision, and statement of faith of Our Shepherd Lutheran Church.
* Humility to lead, listen and serve well our church family, and existing worship team members.
* Actively involved in the life of the church and demonstrates servant leadership by promoting others above self in the church.
* Proficient in piano or guitar and vocal performance.
* Experience in worship ministry and small groups (paid staff experience not required).
* Broad knowledge and love of contemporary Christian worship music.
* A love and passion for worshiping and serving the Lord Jesus Christ and helping others grow closer to him.
* Self-starter, able to work independently.
* Strong administration, organizational, and communication skills.
* Ability to operate with discretion and confidentiality at all times.
* Excellent management and people skills to embrace diversity of schedules, backgrounds, formats, contexts, etc.
* Familiar with audio/visual equipment & programs.
* Knowledge of (or the ability to learn) church multimedia systems and other ministry-related technology.

Benefits

* Competitive hourly pay ($25-35/hour; experience will be a consideration).
* Chance to join a supportive, fun, and loving congregation in worship.

To apply, please send the following to bethb@ourshepherdlutheran.org.

1. Cover letter with general background information, family, community involvement, and hobbies.
2. Resume with relevant experiences.
3. Video link of you leading worship, if available.
4. List of 3 references.