



PINEDA PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (PCUSA)

We are actively seeking candidates for the following role:

Choir Director – part-time

The Choir Director is responsible for developing a strong traditional music program, directing and leading the Chancel Choir and providing appropriate liturgical music at all weekly and special worship services to enhance the worship experience so that the congregation may glorify God and continue the liturgy and spirit of the Presbyterian tradition. This position reports directly to the Pastor.

Key Areas of Responsibilities include:

- Direct the Chancel Choir and work with the organist and pianist in rehearsal for the presentation of selected music offerings.
- Select musical pieces in advance and adequately prepare choir for musical offerings including introits, anthems and prayer and benediction responses.
- Rehearse Chancel Choir with selected hymns, especially when hymns are not readily known to the choir/musicians.
- Train choir members in vocal and choral techniques, appreciation of sacred choral music and their understanding of their leadership role for full participation each Sunday in leading worship with the Pastor.

Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree in Music or related field preferred (equivalent experience will be considered).
Note: Applicants will audition before being awarded the position.
- Vocal training and experience in choral rehearsal techniques and conducting.
- Interest, knowledge and successful experience in leading a wide range of music styles, including traditional, classical, folk, and spirituals.
- Proven ability to work effectively with diverse populations in a way that fosters recruitment, appreciation and retention of volunteer vocalists/musicians.
- Effective interpersonal communication and leadership skills.

TO APPLY

Please submit your updated resume along with a cover letter to the attention of Bob Wright.

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