

# Saint Luke's Episcopal Church

#### **Choir Director Position**

St. Luke's is an open and inclusive Episcopal Church that values diversity and is seeking someone to direct our small adult choir on Sunday mornings. We are looking for someone who is community orientated, collaborative and engaging, with knowledge of church music and choir leadership. We have a professional pianist, who plays the organ for us as well, and whom the Choir Director needs to work with for accompaniment. The Choir Director would lead the choir in singing.

## Duties will include:

- Report to the Rector and work together to identify weekly hymns and musical offerings
- Choose and teach appropriate anthems to the adult volunteer choir for September to
  May at Sunday morning services at 10am
- Lead weekly rehearsals at 8:30am on Sundays or other agreed upon time
- Prepare for and led the choir for holidays and special services, including but not limited to Christmas Eve, Christmas Day, Ash Wednesday, and Holy Week services
- Work with our Accompanist (English is second language, Ukrainian is first)
- Work collaboratively, cooperatively, and flexibly, including the accompanist, rector, staff, our dedicated all-volunteer adult choir, and other soloist and ensemble musicians from the community who join us from time to time

### Experience:

- Experience conducting/leading a choir; students learning these skills are also welcome
- Excellent communication skills in-person, by text, email, and phone are required
- Knowledge of The Episcopal Church's liturgy and hymnody preferred, but not required.
  Familiarity with approved musical resources, including but not limited to: The Hymnal 1982 and Wonder, Love, and Praise, is a plus but not required.

## Other Information:

- Schedule is Sundays 8:30am to 11:30 am and special Holy Days
- Pay is \$4000 for September to May, divided weekly and paid bi-weekly
- Vacation is 2 weeks including 2 Sundays as agree on with the Rector, June to August is off.
- Please send cover letter, resume, and questions to The Rev. Natasha Stewart at stlukepriestnfs@gmail.com