

## **Shiloh United Methodist Church**

### **Job Description**

**September 2022**

**Position Title:** Church Musician (Pianist or Guitarist)

**Position Role:** Part-time (5-10 hrs per week), Lay Employee

**Position Compensation Range:** \$100-110/week

#### **Position Overview and Requirements:**

Provide instrumental accompaniment music for worship services, and potentially choir practices and other church functions including weddings and funerals (as available), in partnership with church vocalist. Display a professional level of musical talent from training and experience. Preferred: working knowledge of the worship services and of church music. Be able to communicate well and in a friendly manner with the pastor, music director, church choir, and members of the congregation.

#### **Main Responsibilities:**

- Provide piano or guitar music in a professional manner for all worship services, choir practices (if pianist), seasonal or extra services, through accompanying worship songs and choir, and performing solo or special pieces.
- Provide music for weddings and funerals for additional compensation.
- Provide recorded music for online worship services or in absence.
- Assist in the selection of songs and is responsible for timely submission of selections for worship documents.
- Invest 5-10 hours per week, including personal practice. Must be available Sunday mornings for Worship and Wednesday evenings for Choir practice (if pianist).

#### **We are looking for someone who:**

- Feels very competent in their job and consistently produces excellent work.
- Has a good attitude, works hard and can be relied upon in their follow through and punctuality.
- Is mission-focused and will prioritize the goals and vision of the church.
- Consistently and appropriately communicates with the pastor, congregation and volunteers.
- Is actively growing in faith through spiritual practices.

#### **Anticipated time commitments:**

Sunday, 10AM-11AM Worship Service (plus pre-service practice)

Wednesday, 6:30PM-7:30PM Choir Practice

Additional availability to record music for online worship

Monthly Worship Meetings (can be attended virtually)

***Shiloh's Mission: Glorifying God and Growing God's Kingdom***

*This person does not have to be a member of the church. All Shiloh Staff are reviewed on job aptitude, work ethic, and communication skills, as well as upholding the staff values of being missionally focused, developing leaders, and growing spiritually.*

**To Apply:** Email resume and cover letter to [shilohumc@centurytel.net](mailto:shilohumc@centurytel.net)