



# LIMESTONE

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, PC(USA)

109 S. LIMESTONE STREET • GAFFNEY, SOUTH CAROLINA 29340

## Music Director Position Description

### **Purpose:**

To provide leadership of the music for worship at Limestone Presbyterian Church. The music director shall be responsible for the choral and instrumental music for Sunday morning worship and any special services; working with the minister, staff, and lay leaders to develop a well-rounded music ministry.

### **Accountability and Status:**

Reports to and serves under the supervision of the minister while working closely with the Worship Committee. This part-time position is salaried.

### **Responsibilities:**

- Direct the chancel choir, children's choir (when requested), and handbell ensemble for Sunday morning worship and other special services.
- Lead weekly rehearsals
- Consult with the minister on selection of music for worship and special services
- Notify the church administrative assistant of anthems and other music for Sunday morning worship as well as any announcements for publication in the church bulletin and newsletter
- Requisition music and supplies for the music program, subject to the approved church budget
- Maintain the music library of the church
- Recruit soloists and instrumentalists as needed and work with administrative assistant to provide compensation, as appropriate
- Oversee the maintenance of the church pianos and organs, in consultation with the organist and the Worship Committee

- Plan with the appropriate staff and committees for special programs and Vacation Bible School music with the appropriate staff and committees
- Attend scheduled staff and Worship Committee meetings
- Maintain membership in the Presbyterian Association of Musicians ([PAM](#)) and actively participate with the Foothills Presbytery Music Leaders Peer Group
- Attend professional conferences and training sessions such as the [Montreat Music Conference](#) and/or the [Calvin Institute for Worship](#), subject to the approved church budget
- Encourage the choirs and congregation as they glorify God with their voices
- Foster a sincere, uplifting, transforming atmosphere of worship on Sunday mornings

**Qualifications:**

- Bachelor's Degree in music, or equivalent experience in music leadership
- Love and passion for worship and music
- Ability to interact and maintain a positive working relationship with other musicians of all levels
- Ability to work with a variety of people (adults, youth, children) in a calm, caring, and respectful manner

To apply, please send a cover letter, resume, and list of references to [limestonepresbyterianpersonnel@gmail.com](mailto:limestonepresbyterianpersonnel@gmail.com).