



**St. Paul's**  
EPISCOPAL CHURCH OAKLAND

## Church Music Director

St. Paul's Episcopal Church is seeking a talented and inspired musician to lead its music program to begin fall, 2022.

### Who We Are

St. Paul's is a welcoming, diverse, and affirming community of approximately 127 weekly congregants. Rooted in the Episcopal/Anglican tradition, we have a contemporary view of spirituality and religion in the world today.

St. Paul's is well known for music both as part of the service and as a concert venue. Music is an essential part of our worship experience and highly valued by our congregation. Our choir consists of 10-12 volunteers with good intonation and sight-reading abilities, and four professional section leaders. The choir sings at the weekly 10 am Sunday service, and monthly Evensong and Compline. Our repertoire spans centuries of Anglican tradition, as well as spirituals and contemporary works. The acoustics in our beautiful space are live and clear, ideal for choral and chamber performances. Instruments include a [1934 Austin Organ](#), a 6' Yamaha Parlor Grand Piano (sanctuary) and a two-octave set of handbells. [Concerts](#) by outside groups are organized by our [Friends of Music Ministry](#).

We share our campus with our primary ministry, [St. Paul's Episcopal School](#), a non-sectarian K-8 school of almost 400 children. There may be opportunity to develop a music program that features children from the school as well as the parish.

### The Job

- Steward St. Paul's excellence in sacred music performance.
- Create a Music Ministry that is welcoming, collegial, and diverse.
- Creatively and collaboratively expand our musical offerings to reflect the diversity of our beloved community
- Work with the clergy to prepare for the liturgy each week.
- Play the organ and direct St. Paul's choir. Our strong desire is for a single choir director-organist, but are open to considering two individuals, under the right circumstances.
- [Full job description here.](#)

### Remuneration

- The Director of Music is a part-time salaried position with [benefits](#). Salary range is \$32-\$40,000, depending on education, training and experience.

### Candidates for the position should submit the following no later than July 31, 2022:

- Letter of introduction.
- Complete curriculum vitae, including formal education, training in music, and employment history, including employers and positions.
- Digital examples of organ performance.
- Names and contact information for three professional references.

St. Paul's Employee Policy requires proof of current vaccination against COVID19.

### Submit to:

Sharon Pilmer, Chair, Music Director Search Committee  
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