

Calvary Baptist Church

Pianist

Ministry Profile and Job Description

Job Title: Pianist

Purpose:

Worship rests at the heart of the mission of Calvary Baptist Church, and *worship through music* is a deeply-cherished way in which that mission is fulfilled. The Pianist will work with the Minister of Music and other members of the church to prepare and provide that supports Calvary's worship and music ministries.

Relationships:

The Pianist is supervised by the Senior Pastor; works most directly with the Minister of Music and the Music Team; and is accountable to the Personnel Committee.

Qualifications, Skills and Gifts:

- A strong and growing personal relationship with Jesus.
- A commitment to represent the Lord and His church through appropriate conduct, speech and dress.
- An ability to relate to church staff and church members in a courteous and helpful manner.
- A willingness to work as part of a team in preparing and providing music for worship.
- An ability to read music that allows the Pianist to facilitate rehearsal of individual voice parts during choir practice.
- A level of piano proficiency that allows the Pianist to accompany the Adult Choir and to offer other musical selections in Calvary's Traditional Worship Service.

Description of Duties:

- Work with the Minister of Music, the Organist and other appropriate persons in the church to prepare and provide music for Sunday morning worship and other special services of the congregation.
- Meet with the Organist on a weekly basis to prepare preludes and offertories.
- Accompany the Adult Choir in its weekly rehearsals.
- Play the piano for funerals and weddings when requested and available to do so.
- Work with the Minister of Music to secure a replacement during vacations or other absences.

Time Requirements and Benefits:

- The Pianist will work approximately 5 hours each week (1 ½ hours for Sunday morning worship; 1 ½ hours for Wednesday night rehearsal, 1 hour for weekly rehearsal with Organist, and 1 hour for weekly personal rehearsal), with additional time possible when needed.
- Compensation for the Pianist will be based on experience and qualifications.
- All matters pertaining to compensation, vacation, sick leave, insurance, social security and performance evaluations will be governed by the current personnel policy documents of the church.