

## MHPC Director of Music Ministries

### Position Title: Director of Music Ministries

Morgan Hill Presbyterian Church is looking for a music director who:

- Loves the Lord
- Loves Music
- Is a sincere worshiper of our Lord Jesus Christ
- Is skilled at leading others in worship through music

### Position Description & Qualifications

Morgan Hill Presbyterian Church is seeking a director of music ministries who possesses a personal faith in Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior, has demonstrated effectiveness in leading worship both instrumentally and vocally and is innovative, enthusiastic, and works well in a team staff environment. MHPC is an Evangelical Covenant Order of Presbyterians (ECO) congregation that believes the Bible to be God's Word and our only rule for faith and practice, that sees salvation as coming through a personal relationship with Jesus Christ as Savior and Lord, and one that is actively seeking to help others come to know Christ, not only in our community, but around the world.

### The Director of Music Ministries should:

1. Be a committed follower of Jesus Christ.
2. Seek to live a life consistent with the teachings of Jesus Christ and the essential tenets of ECO.
3. Be sensitivity to the leading of the Holy Spirit and be able to lead the congregation into the presence of God through music.
4. Have the ability to lead a worship team (vocals and primary instrument), direct a choir, and lead a congregation in authentic worship.
5. Ability to speak clearly and concisely in making announcements, transitioning elements of the service, and leading prayer.
6. Be able to maintain confidentiality, listen effectively and resolve conflicts in a productive God-honoring manner.
7. Ability to read, transpose and provide music for the worship team and congregation in keys that are optimal for congregational participation.
8. Basic proficiency with sound, lighting, video production equipment and related software preferred.
9. Two or more years of experience leading worship through music.
10. Knowledge of the contemporary and traditional worship culture and choral and orchestral literature.

### Interested applicants should provide the following:

1. Audio and/or video of candidate leading a worship service
2. Resume with personal and professional references
3. Written statement of faith in Jesus Christ

**Job Closing Date:** Until position is filled

### Contact Information

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### **Overall Function and Objective of position**

1. Work together with the staff to help the church realize its call to be a strong influence for Christ in the Morgan Hill community and beyond.
2. Lead weekly blended worship services.
3. Provide spiritual shepherding to the worship team and choir.

### **Line Authority**

The Music Director shall report directly to the Senior Pastor/ Head of Staff.

### **Duties and Responsibilities:**

The Director of Music has responsibility for:

1. Seeking to maintain integrity in one's own Christian life.
2. Leading a Sunday morning blended worship service incorporating both traditional and contemporary styles of music.
3. Working together as a team with the church staff.
4. Collaborating weekly with the in designing the worship service.
5. Communicating regularly with the Worship and Music (WAM) Committee and Elder in order to ensure that services of worship run smoothly.
6. Coordinating with support ministries such as audio/visual technicians, multimedia presentations, and lighting.
7. Recruiting, training, and providing spiritual shepherding for the worship team and choirs.
8. Coordinating and scheduling musicians and vocalists.
9. Scheduling and leading weekly worship team/choir rehearsals.
10. Maintaining a library of music for the church's services of worship and ensuring copyright laws are not violated.
11. Participating in the life of the larger church:
  - a. Participating as an active part of the congregation.
  - b. Attending weekly staff meetings.
  - c. Attending session meetings when requested.
12. Plan and coordinate with the senior pastor for special services throughout the church year (e.g. Christmas concert, Holy Week services, Easter, Prayer and Healing Services, etc.) including supplementing/hiring musicians as needed.

### **Other Details**

Weekly commitment: This is considered a part-time position with a commitment of 20+ hours per week with potential for more.

Compensation: Competitive salary depending on experience

Job Type: Permanent