

## Children's Choir Director Job Description

### Job Summary

The Children's Choir Director works with the Associate Director of Music to lead the Children's Choir. Through participation in Children's Choir, children learn that Jesus loves them, are invited to follow Him, and gain life-long musical skills that equip them to respond with joy in worship. Per Psalm 8:2, children's worship is of fundamental importance in the life of God's people: "Through the praise of children and infants you have established a stronghold against your enemies, to silence the foe and the avenger."

This position requires a personal relationship with Jesus, a love for children, demonstrated musicianship, strong choral directing and community-building skills, excellent communication and organizational habits, and an ability to relate to parents and volunteers as partners in ministry.

### Responsibilities

- Worship Services: Provide musical and logistical direction for the children's choir in worship services.  
Rehearsal:
  - Direct all children's choir rehearsals.
  - Direct children's choir when leading in worship approximately once per month, September-May.
- Participate in additional services as needed. These may include: Christmas concerts; Christmas Eve; Ash Wednesday; Holy Week services; choral festivals; and other choral events.
- Meet with the Associate Director of Music to plan and assess children's choir repertoire, rehearsals, activities, and scheduling.
- Communicate regularly with children's choir parents about individual students, programming, etc., in collaboration with the Associate Director of Music.
- Collaborate with the Associate Director of Music in providing special children's choir activities and outreach opportunities.
- Work as a team player with the Associate Director of Music and other music staff.

### Reporting Relationships

- This position reports to the Associate Director of Music.

### Core Skills Needed

- A personal, growing relationship with Jesus Christ.
- A love for children and their families.
- Strong choral directing and community-building skills.
- Excellent organizational skills and ability to plan workflow.

### Work Hours

This position requires working on Wednesday evenings, approximately one Sunday morning per month, and occasional special services.

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