Richmond Presbyterian Church

"Deep with God, Wide with the World"

seeks a

Music Director/Worship Leader

(Permanent Part Time Position)

Richmond Presbyterian Church (RPC) is a vital, growing, multicultural community of God's people located in a busy, vibrant city. Our worship brings the many diverse, eclectic parts of our community together, united in praise of our God. Currently, our worship service is a balanced blend of both contemporary and traditional music, drawing from the classic hymns of faith as well as the most modern expressions of praise. Our congregation is intergenerational, ranging from the very young to the very experienced and includes those who are new to faith as well as those who have a life-long history within the church.

Worship is at the heart of what it means to be a Christian community. At RPC worship is central to our mission to be a church community that will go "Deep with God" and also "Wide with the World." RPC is seeking a candidate for the position of Music Director who would be able to incorporate both the traditional and contemporary aspects of worship into the praise of our God.

The Music Director would work closely with the Minister in preparing the praise aspect of worship for all services at RPC and will be accountable to the Session (the governing body) through the Worship Committee of Session.

POSITION OVERVIEW

The position is a permanent part-time position of approximately 15-20 hours per week.

- Primary responsibility for leading all music pertaining to the worship of the congregation, on Sundays and special occasions throughout the church year.
- Working directly with a volunteer choir as well as a praise band.
- Overseeing and encouraging a volunteer leadership team leading various other music ministries, currently including a youth choir, chimes choir, wind ensemble and recorder circle.

DESIRED SKILLS /GIFTS

- A growing disciple of Jesus Christ with a servant's heart.
- Demonstrated experience in leading/contributing to congregational worship.
- Choral music leadership experience and training, including conducting, is an asset.
- Familiarity with, and/or willingness to learn about, the Presbyterian *Book of Praise* (1997) as well as current Christian worship music.
- Flexible and adaptable, organized and able to work to a deadline.
- Availability for Sunday mornings on a regular basis, and midweek as required.
- Ability to work with limited direction, utilizing sound judgment and initiative.
- Proficiency on the piano and organ is required, with ability on additional instruments being an asset.
- Support the larger ministry of RPC, its mission/vision statement, core values and ministry goals. These goals include but are not limited to identifying, developing and inspiring worship ministry participants of all ages, through nurturing, guiding and teaching musical and vocal skills within the team, interested members of the congregation and the wider community.

In accordance with The Presbyterian Church in Canada's "Leading with Care" policy, a police records check will be required.

Compensation will be based on the BC Living Wage and RCCO guidelines.

A more detailed job description is available to interested candidates.

The application deadline is Monday, November 30, 2026.

Applications or enquiries to:

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