

**Director of Music**  
**Trinity Episcopal Church, Excelsior**  
*May 2018*

Trinity Episcopal Church is a growing, happy, vibrant faith community that welcomes all without distinction. Located in the heart of Excelsior, Minnesota on Lake Minnetonka, Trinity is seeking to hire a qualified individual for the ¾-time position of Director of Music.

The Director of Music (DoM) will be responsible for directing the adult choir, handbell choir, children's choir, and working with a variety of volunteer instrumentalists. The DoM will also lead music (primarily from the organ) for one weekly Sunday service (10:15 am) and infrequent, pre-planned evening services. The DoM will have first right of refusal to play for funerals and weddings for an additional fee. The DoM will work with the Rector on liturgy design and planning. The DoM will also have administrative tasks, including creating worship bulletins (Sunday morning worship and special services) and operating Trinity's on-line liturgical ministries scheduler (Ministry Scheduler Pro).

This position requires the following demonstrated strengths:

- Passion for, and commitment to, engaging the congregation and leading their worship through music,
- Capacity to work collaboratively as a member of the Trinity staff,
- Ability to lead dynamic, joyful, organized rehearsals,
- Administrative precision, timeliness, and attention to detail,
- Ability to work across generations, in particular to provide a supportive and encouraging environment for young and emerging musicians,
- Joy in singing and a desire to share that joy with others.

Trinity's instruments include: a II/29 mechanical-action organ installed in 2011; four pianos: a grand piano in the main sanctuary (Kawai), a baby grand in the choir room, a baby grand (Mason and Hamlin) in Chamberlain Hall, and a studio piano (Yamaha) in the chapel; 3.5 octaves of Malmark handbells; and a variety of Orff and percussion instruments.

The ¾-time salary commensurate with industry standards. The position also offers a full benefit package, including pension and family health coverage through the denominational health care plan.

Please send your resume or CV, three references, and a letter of introduction that describes your philosophy of church music to the address below. Application deadline is **Thursday, May 31, 2018**.

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No phone calls, please