Outside Career Opportunities
August 2022 Edition

The outside career opportunities listed below are submitted by organizations and ministries affiliated with the ELCA. This listing is updated monthly and published to ELCA.org/careers.

If you have any questions about, or wish to apply to, any of these job postings you must contact the respective person or organization named. ELCA churchwide organization staff cannot assist with, or respond to any questions related to, outside career opportunities.

If you represent an organization or ministry affiliated with the ELCA and wish to advertise your career opportunity in the next edition of this listing, visit ELCA.org/Careers.

Please note that expiration dates below refer only to the opportunity’s inclusion in this listing and are subject to potential renewal at the discretion of the hiring organization.

New Opportunities
First appeared in the August 2022 edition of this listing

Resource Developer, Worship
1517 Media
411 Washington Ave N, Fl 3, Minneapolis, MN 55401

The purpose of the Resource Developer position is to develop innovative resources primarily in the area of worship, including the shaping and editing of manuscripts for quality and liturgical and theological soundness, to ensure that the worship planning publication programs meet customer needs for usefulness, accessibility, appropriateness, and high quality of both content and presentation. The Resource Developer reports to the Director of Resource Development, Augsburg Fortress and will be part of our hybrid work model, where employees reside in the Twin Cities but have the ability to work in the office and from home. This position has an anticipated start date of mid-September and/or first part of October. (Expires 8/14/2022)

Click here for more information
Contact Katherine Schank at schankk@1517.media or (612) 330-3557

Worship and Music Coordinator
St. Andrew Lutheran Church
150202 County Rd NN, Wausau, WI 54401

Seeking a half-time, with a possibility of full-time, Worship and Music Coordinator to work with
pastoral team and other lay leadership of our medium-sized congregation to create meaningful worship experiences and expand the music ministry of our choirs, bells, youth/children, and other musicians. Strong keyboard skills preferred. Experience and skills in video editing, communication, and livestream processes could expand the hours of this position. *(Expires 8/31/2022)*

Click [here](#) for more information
Contact Wayne Johnson at personnel@salc-wausau.org

**Director of Music**
Valley of Peace Lutheran Church
4735 Bassett Creek Dr, Golden Valley, MN 55422

This is a part-time position, averaging 15 hours per week. The Director of Music is responsible for upholding and growing the strong tradition of music ministry at Valley of Peace, to enhance and serve as an integral part of our worship. Responsibilities include oversight and administration of music ministry and worship leadership collaboration and planning. Resumes will be accepted until the position is filled. *(Expires 10/7/2022)*

Click here for more information: [http://valleyofpeace.org/](http://valleyofpeace.org/)
Contact Pastor Ashley Osborn at aosborn@valleyofpeace.org or (763) 588-4611

**Music Director**
St. Michael Lutheran Church
1925 Birkdale Dr, Wellington, FL 33414

To lead, model, direct, and accompany existing music groups within the congregation and to implement vibrant new ways to inspire the congregation in both traditional and contemporary music. Identify and develop lay members to use their musical gifts to grow the music program. Coordinate weekly with Pastor to plan the scheduled Sunday worship services, working out a mutually agreed-upon time so that text themes and songs might be identified for creative worship. Experience leading choirs and instrumentalists, preferably in a church setting. High level of proficiency in keyboard/piano. Proficiency with handbells or other musical instruments a bonus. Strong organizational skills as well as internal and external communication skills (phone, internet, social media, newsletter). Some technical experience desired: Proficiency in Google and Microsoft Word with ability to create slides for services. Bachelor’s degree in related musical field or commensurate experience. Part-time, 20 hours per week. Two weeks of vacation annually after one year. $24,000 per year, paid monthly. To apply, send resume and cover letter to the attention of Pastor Lois Nehmer-Schiff. *(Expires 10/11/2022)*

Contact Pastor Lois Nehmer-Schiff at loisnehmerschiff@comcast.net or (561) 793-4999
Music Director
Bethlehem Lutheran Church
2050 W 1100 N, Chesterton, IN 46304

Bethlehem Lutheran Church is seeking a Music Director. Responsibilities include:

• Play for all services as requested including but not limited to Saturday evening, Sunday morning, mid-week services and or any major church festivals. Select special music for services after discussion with Pastor.
• Hold rehearsal sessions twice a month with participating choirs. Recruit members for hand bell choir. Rehearse and conduct bell choir as necessitated by worship needs.
• When requested, be available to play for weddings, funerals, and Celebration of Life services. Fees determined by Music Director and the requesting parties and paid directly to the Music Director.
• Arrange for annual inspection of musical instruments and for necessary repairs.
• Attend Worship Committee meetings.
• Ensure music selected for services is recorded in One License for licensing compliance.
• Encourage participation in all varieties of musical offerings, i.e., choirs, musical ensembles etc.  

(Expires 10/25/2022)

Contact Marlene Knapp, Church Council President, at marlene.knapp@comcast.net or (219) 787-8115

July 2022
First appeared in the July 2022 edition of this listing

Parish Administrator
St. Paul Lutheran Church
545 S Ardmore Ave, Villa Park, IL 60181

This position oversees the administrative functions of the congregation, including facilities management, financial support, human resources, and other general administrative duties. St. Paul Lutheran Church is an inviting and active congregation of the ELCA. Located in the near west Chicago suburb of Villa Park, our congregation members live primarily in Villa Park, Lombard, and the surrounding suburbs. We are a growing Reconciling in Christ community that welcomes people of every sexual orientation, gender identity or expression, age and size, color and culture, socio-economic circumstance, marital status, ability, and challenge. (Expires 8/21/2022)

Click here for more information
Contact Shirley Jensen at jobs@stpaulvp.org or (630) 832-5580
President
Concordia College
Moorhead, MN 56562

The next President of Concordia has an exceptional opportunity to build upon institutional advancement initiatives and the goals of the Concordia Leads strategic plan as well as the college’s considerable strength in mission, people, and location. The new President will establish priorities to grow Concordia’s reputation and market; lead the development and successful implementation of an optimal enrollment plan; secure transformational philanthropic support; enthusiastically engage in partnership opportunities to diversify revenue and expand opportunities for Concordia’s students; and seek new opportunities for growth and impact of the Concordia Language Villages. The President will be a Christian and demonstrate a deep understanding of and commitment to the values of the college and to Lutheran higher education. (Expires 9/30/2022)

Click here for more information
Contact Sharon Herzberger at ConcordiaPresident@academicsearch.org

Youth and Education Ministry Leader
Grace Lutheran Church
321 S Madison St, Green Bay, WI 54301

Grace Lutheran, a downtown congregation with 850 baptized members, would like to welcome a full-time Youth and Education Ministry Leader to lead and develop family-oriented, faith formation ministry for children and youth from birth to beyond high school graduation. The position includes developing and teaching confirmation in collaboration with pastors. Full job description available by request. To apply, please email cover letter and resume. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled. (Expires 9/30/2022)

Compensation: Salary (annually adjusted per East Central Synod of Wisconsin guidelines): $40,894 for 5 years of experience; full ELCA Health and Pension benefits; Auto Allowance $1500, Continuing Education $900, Books/Resources $400, Professional Expenses $400.

Contact Sharon Haapala, Parish Administrator at admin@gracegb.org or (920) 432-0308

Graduate Resident Youth Minister
Center for Youth Ministry Training

The Center for Youth Ministry Training is looking for a candidate to serve as Graduate Resident Youth Minister at an ELCA congregation in the Southwestern Texas Synod. The Graduate Resident Youth Minister is a unique professional ministry opportunity that provides you with a 25-hours-per-week job as a Youth Director while you earn a debt-free Master of Arts in Youth Ministry through our partner seminary, Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary with the bonus of receiving coaching from a veteran Youth Minister. General duties include: oversee and provide strategic leadership to the youth ministry; recruit and train volunteers; build a relational ministry among youth and parents;
and organize, publicize, and plan missional events for the youth of the community. Benefits include: debt-free Master of Arts in Youth Ministry; job placement; housing, utilities, living stipend; and veteran coach. (Expires 10/1/2022)

Click here for more information: http://www.cymt.org/graduate-residency
Contact Tiffany Malone, Recruiting Coordinator at tiffany@cymt.org or (800) 811-8159

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**June 2022**
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**Youth Director**
St. Paul Lutheran Church  
2136 Brady St, Davenport, IA 52803

St. Paul Lutheran Church is conducting a national search for a new director of youth ministries. A mature individual with strong youth ministry leadership skills and experience will have the opportunity to advance to new heights an already strong program of middle and high school students. The director will bring a deep and authentic personal faith to inspire Christ-centered lives and healthy peer relationships among youth. Playing, praying, and connecting enthusiastically with teenagers are basic to this calling. Ideally, the individual will have a degree or certification in the field or have completed graduate-level study. (Expires 9/30/2022)

Click here for more information: https://www.stpaulqc.org/about/employment
Contact Patty Herzberg at youthsearch@stpaulqc.org or (563) 326-3547

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**May 2022**
*First appeared in the May 2022 edition of this listing*

**Contemporary Worship Music Leader**
Cross of Grace Lutheran Church  
3519 S 600 W, New Palestine, IN 46163

The Contemporary Worship Music Leader provides musical leadership for the weekly contemporary worship service, as well as special worship services including Christmas Eve and Easter Sunday. This includes, but is not limited to, preparing music for, and rehearsing weekly with our worship band and vocalists. The position is part-time, and salary is commensurate with experience. (Expires 8/17/2022)

Click here for more information: https://justchurchjobs.com/jobposting/2278
Contact Mark Havel at dave.baker@digitalcompassllc.com or (317) 861-0977