JOB DESCRIPTION

Holy Family Catholic Church
Orange, CA

POSITION TITLE: Organist/Accompanist

JOB CLASSIFICATION: Non-Exempt, Part-Time

DEPARTMENT/PROGRAM: Music Ministry

REPORTS TO: Director of Music

SCHEDULE: Thursday evenings, Sunday Mornings 10:20 – 12:20

PAY RANGE: \$75 - \$125 hourly

Based on experience, education and qualifications.

Summary:

Works closely with the Director of Music to assist in fostering a singing assembly and prayerful worship experience. Position begins in September, 2025.

Responsibilities: Because all Holy Family Catholic Church employees represent the Roman Catholic Church, they are expected to conduct themselves according to the goals and mission of the Church in performing their work.

The position of Organist/Accompanist consists of some or all of the following duties:

- Accompany Parish Choir on for Thursday evening rehearsals (Sep Jun)
- Assist in Sunday morning choir rehearsals before Mass
- Accompany the parish choir and assist in leading assembly in worship for the 11 AM mass and possibly additional weekend liturgies. (Year round)
- Serve as accompanist for concerts, Christmas, Triduum, and other special liturgies
- Provide prelude and postlude music for liturgies
- Support the Gospel message and mission of the Catholic Church
- Performs other duties as assigned

Qualifications:

- Excellent Organ and Piano abilities
- Ability to sight-read music at an advanced level
- Experience in accompanying for Catholic liturgies
- Ability to play various styles of music particularly classical and some contemporary.
- Ability to collaborate with other musicians.
- Familiarity with digital music reading (e.g., using an iPad or tablet during rehearsals and services) is strongly preferred.
- Ability to communicate well and work well with others in a friendly manner.

Preferred:

- Church or non-profit experience
- Practicing Roman Catholic

Physical Requirements/Work Environment

• To perform duties of the job, the employee may on a regular basis be required to stand, sit, talk, hear/listen, reach, stoop, kneel, use feet, hands and fingers to play organ, uncover piano, hear choice and director, hear at a whisper, climb stairs to choir loft, move the organ over levels. Vision required to read music and follow conductor.

WORK ENVIRONMENT:

Typical Working Conditions:	Church environment
Equipment Used:	Reuter 2 manual organ, iPad/tablet
Essential Physical Tasks:	Verbal communication, movement around church, campus, remain stationary, reach, and occasionally
	carry materials as needed weighing up to 30 lbs.