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Director of Liturgy and Organist

St. Denis Catholic Church
Hanover, New Hampshire
Diocese of Manchester

Terms: Full time employee

Experience: 6 months-2 years (minimum) with some experience in a church music program.

Education: Undergraduate degree, completed (minimum)

Base Pay: Salary

Overview

The Director of Liturgy and Organist, under the leadership of the Pastor, manages all aspects of worship in the parish, including the celebrations of the sacred liturgy and corresponding administrative support. In this capacity, the Director of Liturgy and Organist is responsible for liturgical planning and preparation, directs music and oversees all musicians, and coordinates the work of all liturgical volunteers. Director of Liturgy and Organist organizes, schedules, prepares budgets for, and orders supplies for parish worship.

St. Denis Catholic Church is located in Hanover, NH, the home of Dartmouth College and serves approximately 600 households in Hanover and the Upper Valley. The parish is staffed by Dominican friars of the Province of St. Joseph who also staff Aquinas House, the Catholic campus ministry at Dartmouth College. Currently, the music program at St. Denis is in a rebuilding phase, focusing on solemnity and reverence in liturgical music, incorporating traditional Catholic chant (English and Latin), polyphony, and hymnody using both ancient and modern resources.

Qualifications

Candidates should possess at least an undergraduate degree in organ and sufficient background in choral conducting, sacred music, and the liturgy of the Roman Catholic Church. A willingness and ability to work with both professional and volunteer musicians, as well as a working knowledge of vocal technique and choral conducting is required. Strong organizational, communication, and interpersonal skills are necessary. Candidates must be those whose Christian life, morals, and fidelity to the Church's Magisterium recommend them.

Responsibilities

- Playing the organ, planning music, and scheduling and directing cantors and/or choir(s) at:
 - All Sunday Masses (5:00 PM Saturday Vigil, 9:00 AM and 11:30 AM Sunday);
 - Various feast days and solemnities throughout the year, including, but not limited to, Christmas, the Triduum, and Easter;

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- Various liturgical and paraliturgical events throughout the year, such as, but not limited to, Lessons and Carols, Tenebrae, etc.;
- Funeral and wedding liturgies;
- Creating and directing an adult choir and/or schola and a children's choir;
- Forming and scheduling:
 - Lectors for all Masses;
 - Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion for all necessary Masses;
 - Other liturgical roles as needed;
- Chairing the liturgy committee of St. Denis.

Salary

The position offers a competitive salary commensurate with education and experience and offers benefits.

To Apply

Email (1) letter of interest, (2) resume, (3) three contacts for references, and if you have any links to recent performances to:

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