# Yorkminster Presbyterian Church (PCUSA). 6218 George Washington Memorial Highway Yorktown, VA. 23692

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Yorkminster Presbyterian Church (PCUSA) seeks a part-time, experienced Accompanist to enhance worship and ministry by bringing high quality musicianship into play when accompanying its various choirs, ensembles, soloists, and the congregation during services and rehearsals. This part-time position is typically 10 hours per week under the direction of the Director of Worship.

## Duties and Responsibilities:

- Provide organ and/or piano service music for Sunday morning worship service, leading congregation in glorifying God
- Accompany choir in weekly rehearsals, Sunday morning worship, special services and associated rehearsals (Ash Wednesday, Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter, Christmas Eve), and additional special events with notice
- Accompany soloists/small ensembles/guest performers as requested by the Director of Worship
- Provide service music for funerals and weddings (additional compensation per YPC policies and procedures)
- Maintain a professional and collaborative working relationship with Director of Worship that yields a vibrant music repertoire supporting the church's ministry

### Minimum Qualifications:

- Bachelor's Degree in Music preferred. Equivalent experience in private study, course work or at other churches will be considered.
- Demonstrate proficiency on organ and/or piano including the following abilities:
  - Sight read moderately difficult accompaniments
  - Play difficult accompaniments with preparation
  - Play from open choral score
- Three years' experience in service playing preferred, including accompaniment of choir and hymns at the organ/piano.
- Experienced organist or pianist willing to learn organ preferred.

### Physical Requirements

• Ability to move freely from rehearsal to performance sites around the church campus and, in the sanctuary, from the choir loft (upstairs) to the chancel during worship.

Compensation is commensurate based on experience and education.

### **Contact Information:**

Interested candidates should send a cover letter, resume and a work sample to <u>Accompanistjob@yorkminsterpc.org</u>. The work sample may include an audio, video, or link to one or more of your performances highlighting the range of your repertoire.