

Grace Church

Position open:

Worship Director

THE OPPORTUNITY

Grace Church exists to make disciples of Jesus Christ to the glory of God. Grace's vision is to be a loving community that invites our neighbors to join us in becoming devoted followers of Jesus who impact the world for Him. Grace is a growing evangelical congregation in central Illinois with over 450 households. Since its founding in 1958, Grace Church has belonged to the Fellowship of Evangelical Churches (FEC). Grace partners with the FEC to collaborate with other churches to plant churches nationally and internationally, credential and care for church leaders, and provide discipleship opportunities for adults and children.

Currently, Grace Church is looking for a full-time Worship Director who will be responsible for a significant portion of the planning and synchronization of the weekly worship gatherings. The Worship Ministry area at Grace Church includes a Sunday morning worship team made up of musicians and vocalists, an audio/visual team, and the deacons of ordinances.

This is a Director-level position that Grace hopes to see develop into a Pastoral role. The candidate should aspire to that office.

THE COMMUNITY

Morton, IL is a vibrant, growing community with a population of just over 17,000. It is located approximately halfway between Peoria and Bloomington-Normal, making it a central Illinois hub with access to several neighboring cities. Morton prides itself on being a great place to live, work, and raise a family. It offers excellent public schools, a well-established and growing network of parks, an established downtown, attractive housing, a low crime rate, and access to high-quality medical care.

Qualifications

01

Ministry experience in a similar role preferred

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Undergraduate degree required with Bible or ministry emphasis desired

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Willingness to pursue further formal training (if needed, the church will assist)

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The Director should reflect the qualities of a shepherd as described in Scripture, including Titus 1.5-9, 1 Timothy 3.1-7, and 1 Peter 5.1-4.

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He must affirm and agree to abide by the Articles of Faith, Practice, and Organization of the Fellowship of Evangelical Churches.

Ideal Candidate

01

Creatively lead the gathered believers of Grace Church by planning worship services for a multi-generational church family

02

Skillfully facilitate worship through singing and the playing of a guitar or piano

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Provide technical musical direction to the teams of vocalists and musicians

04

Provide leadership and direction to the teams within the worship ministry area

05

Oversee the production of the corporate worship time (video livestream, lyric slides, sound engineering)

06

Select music, Scripture, and other worship arts that help facilitate a worship service according to Grace's philosophy of worship

07

Partner with the Deacon of Worship and the Deacons of Ordinances, providing vision and leadership as needed

08

Coordinate the media and sound as well as all other necessary elements for the production of other events in the sanctuary

09

Lead the church family toward a growing priority and understanding of worship

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Identify, train, equip, and utilize members of the congregation, developing teams to help facilitate worship

011

Continually recruit those in the church who may have gifts and skills for service in worship ministry

012

Participate in caring for the congregation through prayer and discipleship in cooperation with the other staff and the Elder Team

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Serve in other ministry capacities as requested by the Senior Pastor

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Attend and participate in regular staff meetings, and other leadership meetings, as requested

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Attend all regularly scheduled services and special events of Grace Church

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Serve in the FEC as time and opportunity permit

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Report directly to the Senior Pastor and meet with him regularly for accountability, encouragement, and development while also being under the broader authority of the Elder Team

To apply directly, go here:

<https://opportunities.contextstaffing.com/worship-pastor/grace-church-morton>