

# Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church

Lakeland, Florida

## **Part-Time ORGANIST**

### **Position Summary**

The Organist participates in the music ministry of Grace Lutheran Church (ELCA), Lakeland Florida, by preparing, performing, and accompanying liturgically appropriate music for worship services and other events, using a 2-manual pipe organ, piano, and other instruments as needed.

### **Primary Responsibilities**

- Meets with the Pastor and the Choral Director to coordinate and organize music for Sunday worship, evening prayer or its equivalent, and special services such as Christmas and Holy Week.
- Provides organ music for weddings and funerals as needed.
- Prepares an appropriate prelude and postlude.
- Practices sufficiently to lead congregational singing with minimal errors.
- Accompanies the choir and worship band and attends and accompanies rehearsals as scheduled.
- Collaborates with and accompanies guest instrumentalists and/or vocalists as needed.

### **Skills and Qualifications**

- Bachelor's degree preferred
- Demonstrated proficiency in playing a 2-manual pipe organ with foot pedals
- Piano proficiency
- Ability to accompany and play parts for choral rehearsals
- Familiarity with liturgy and the liturgical year

\$10,500 - \$13,000 a year – part-time.

To apply, please submit a cover letter, resume, and supply a link to a video performance demonstrating your organ and piano skills to [ChurchGraceLakeland@gmail.com](mailto:ChurchGraceLakeland@gmail.com).