

Music Director Position St. Patrick's Church

A Director of Music is being sought at historic St. Patrick's Catholic Church on Academy Hill Road in Newcastle, Maine.

The church is the oldest active Catholic Church in New England, and is a parish of 400 families in winter and 600 in summer. The parish recently completed a new worship space with superb acoustics and seating for 500.

We are seeking a qualified person who will provide liturgical music at scheduled Masses on weekends and Holy Days, and work with the adult choir and cantors. Funerals, weddings and other special services may be requested with additional compensation available.

The director will also prepare the music plan and work collegially with other ministries of the parish as needed regarding liturgical music. An extensive music library is available as well as a roster of current choir members and cantors.

The annual salary for the position is \$10,000 to \$13,000. The exact compensation will be dependent on the candidate's education and experience.

Background is required in the Catholic faith, piano accompaniment, choir direction, and organ skills are a plus.

For a job application form, job description and church profile, please contact us at: spcnme@midcoast.com, or 207-563-3240, or **Music Search Committee, St. Patrick's Church, 32 Pond Road Newcastle, ME 04553**