

## **Duties & Responsibilities:**

**St. James Lutheran Church has a rich history of liturgical worship and theological traditions. Music plays an intricate part of each service by supporting and encouraging the congregation.**

### **Organist/Accompanist**

- **Plan weekly organ music as appropriate to liturgical season, readings of the day and festival days. Typically two services per week, (except for Advent/Lent/Holy Week). Regular services include one Sunday worship service and one Wednesday Eucharist service.**
- **Sunday service includes prelude, offertory, postlude and full liturgy. This may include selection of hymns to be sung during service.**
- **Wednesday Eucharist includes piano prelude and hymn accompaniment (service is in the Chapel).**
- **Accompany Choir in rehearsals and service. Choir rehearses Thursdays @ 7:15 - 9:00 pm and 8:45 am on Sundays.**
- **Submit selections and details for both services to church office at beginning of each week.**

### **Chancel Choir Director**

- **Plan and prepare choral music as appropriate to liturgical season, readings of the day and festival days for all services.**
- **Direct choir at Thursday rehearsals (7:15-9pm), Sunday morning rehearsal (8:45am) and service (9:30-10:30am)**
- **Oversee cantor schedule and rehears soloists/special music as needed**
- **Prepare liturgical portions of service including psalmody, gospel acclamation and hymn review.**
- **Submit selections and details to church office at beginning of each week.**