

The Greater Columbia Organist



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COME BUILD A PIPE ORGAN! PIPE ORGAN DISCOVERY DAY STEPHEN SPAKE, PIPE ORGAN BUILDER



Saturday, October 19, 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Pizza - 12:00 to 12:30.

**Episcopal Church of the Good Shepherd
1512 Blanding Street, Columbia SC 29201**

WHO IS INVITED?

Anyone, young or old, who wants to learn more about pipe organs is encouraged to attend, including AGO members. (No pre-registration required.)

(This information is for our membership. Please see the link below for flyers to post in your church.)

Many organists who play pipe organs don't fully understand the technology behind the instrument. This presentation will enlighten all, including youngsters and "oldsters" who just want to learn more about the instrument. Stephen Spake of Lincoln Pipe Organs will explain aural and mechanical features of pipe organs with Good Shepherd's beautiful Petty-Madden mechanical action instrument, then help the younger attendees build a small pipe organ from a kit that he has constructed. They can bring a short piece of music to try on the instruments. We'll have pizza for all at noon. (No advance reservations required.) Please join us and bring students, family and friends of all ages.

PLEASE POST THIS FLYER ([Click Here](#)) AT YOUR CHURCH.

Stephen Spake began his career as a full time tuning and maintenance technician, developing his skills as an organ builder by rebuilding and redesigning instruments of all types and makes. Stephen has been with John Dower and Company (now Lincoln Pipe Organs, Inc.) for 20 years, and continues his career of building and maintaining these wonderful instruments. He is devoted to helping young people develop an understanding of and interest in pipe organs.

Young Organist Competition Winner in Recital

We welcome back to Columbia **Nhat Tong**, the winner of the 2019 Young Organist Competition sponsored by the Greater Columbia AGO Chapter. Nhat, along with his parents and his sister, made the long trip here from Houston, TX, for the March 9 competition. Nhat walked away with first prize after his performance of *Toccatina and Fugue in D minor* by J. S. Bach and the *Final* from Symphony No. 1 by Louis Vierne,

Nhat is a sophomore at Strake Jesuit College Preparatory in Houston. In the summer of 2016, he began organ lessons with Dr. Jeong-Suk Bae, organ professor at the University of St. Thomas. In January 2018, he won Third Prize and the Hymn Playing Award at the UNCSA Young Organist Competition. This was followed by his win in the 2019 competition here in Columbia. This past summer, he attended a Pipe Organ Encounter (Advanced) in which he was coached by acclaimed organists Ken Cowan, Isabelle Demers, and Daryl Robinson.



He has won gold medals in both the Houston Music Teachers Association and Fort Bend competitions for piano. As a violinist, he has performed both in his school orchestra and in the Houston Youth Symphony in which he was concert master for several seasons. An active church musician, he has played all three instruments with adult and children's choirs for several churches. In his free time, he likes to play basketball, fantasy football, and video games.

Nhat will be performing works by Bach, Purcell, Mendelssohn, Vierne, and John Williams. Please come to the recital and bring your friends. Let's give a warm welcome to this young artist.

Recital - Friday, November 22, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.
Reception following in Wesley Hall
Shandon United Methodist Church
3407 Devine Street
Columbia SC 29205



Lenora Morrow Jeffcoat

In Concert

Sunday, October 13, 2019

4:00 p.m.

WESTMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
1715 Broad River Road, Columbia

The public is cordially invited to the organ concert and to the chili cook-off in the Amazing Place after the concert.

The organ has been up-graded three times since originally installed in the church by the Zimmer Pipe Organ Company in 1976. The last augmentation incorporates a set of pipes duplicated from a Hook Organ Company trumpet especially for Westminster Church, by the Killinger Organ Company of Freiberg, Germany. And no, it is not a German trumpet, although it was manufactured in Germany.

The concert artist, Lenora Morrow Jeffcoat ARCO holds a bachelor's degree in organ performance from Winthrop University and a master's degree in musicology and organ performance from the University of South Carolina. She obtained the Associateship Diploma from the Royal College of Organists, London, in 2018, and is presently pursuing the Fellowship Diploma.

Mrs. Jeffcoat previously served as organist of Ebenezer Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church of Rock Hill, SC, assistant organist at First Presbyterian Church, Columbia, SC, and as organist of Second Presbyterian Church, Memphis, Tenn. She also has private and conservatory studio experience, having taught both piano and organ.

Lenora is married to Harry Lee Langford Jeffcoat, and they reside in Lexington, SC, with their two daughters.

Winners of previous Young Organist Competitions

continue to make us proud. This summer, Alden Wright, winner of the 2014 competition and Clara Gerdes, second place winner in the same year, both performed on the Stigall Scholars recital series in Charlotte, NC. Alden is in his junior year at Eastman School of Music where he studies with Nathan Laube. Clara has just completed her undergraduate degree at the Curtis Institute of Music and is a first-year graduate student at Yale Institute of Sacred Music.

MARK YOUR
CALENDAR!

Mark your calendars now for the competition on **Saturday, March 7, 2020**, at Shandon United Methodist Church.

On **Friday evening, March 6, 2020**, Jacob Reed, the 2011 winner, will perform a recital at Trinity Cathedral. Be sure to save both dates in celebration of the 10th anniversary of the Young Organist Competition.



Thank You, Jordan

It was our pleasure to present new Columbia AGO member **Jordan DeRouen** in his Columbia "debut" organ recital on September 17 at the historic Basilica of St. Peter, where he was recently named Organist and Choirmaster. Though invited soon after his arrival in Columbia, he graciously accepted, and was excited to be able to do this for the chapter. Thank

you, Jordan, for that wonderful recital! The program's emphasis on French composers reflected Jordan's four summers at the French Organ Music Seminar, where his studies included composition and improvisation. The closing selection was a rousing improvisation on the "surprise" submitted theme, *Vexilla Regis*. The recital was well-attended, and enthusiastically received by an extended standing ovation.



THE
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of FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

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FIRST FRIDAYS

LUNCH & ORGAN CONCERTS

On the first Friday of each month enjoy lunch and coffee in Jackson Hall followed by a 30-minute organ concert in the Sanctuary.

12:00 LUNCH

JACKSON HALL

12:30 CONCERT

SANCTUARY

2019

SEPTEMBER 6 - The French Tradition
Music of Alain, Duruflé, and Gigout

OCTOBER 4 - Vince Treadway of First
Presbyterian Church (ARP) of Lake Wales
plays music of Widor and Bédard

NOVEMBER 1 - Psalm Settings of
Sweelinck, Bach, and Howells

DECEMBER - *No December First Fridays.
Please plan to attend the Christmas Concert
of Vivaldi, Gloria and Bach, Magnificat on
Friday, December 6, 7:00pm.*

First Presbyterian Church
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Free and open to all

OCT. 17, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

“O sing unto the Lord”

G.F. Handel,

Chandos anthem 4

Cathedral Singers

NOV. 14, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

“What God does is well done”

J.S. Bach, BWV 98

Choir of Men & Boys

JAN. 23, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.

“What my God wills always occurs”

J.S. Bach, BWV 111

Cathedral Singers

FEB. 20, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.

“God’s time is the best of all times”

J.S. Bach, BWV 106

Cathedral Singers

Andrew & Mary Waldo, recorder

James Waldo & Patty Halverson,

Viola da Gamba

Barbara Krumdieck Blaker, cello

**MAR. 19, 2020 at 7:00 p.m. (followed
by Compline)**

Pergolesi, “Stabat mater”

Choir of Girls



CHORAL EVENSONG

Every Sunday at 4:00, sung by the Cathedral Choirs

A reception follows on the Cathedral lawn.

THE SUNDAY 6:00 P.M. KEENAN CHAPEL SERVICE

Monthly Taizé Service

will be held on the last Sunday of each month.

Trinity Episcopal Cathedral
1100 Sumter Street
Columbia, South Carolina 29201
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Sunday, October 6, 2019, 7:00 PM

Reception
Immediately
Following



No
Admission
Charged



BIRTHDAYS THIS MONTH

October Birthdays

- 10/03 Jenny Walrath
- 10/04 Christopher Nash
- 10/06 Don Grice
- 10/07 Tony Roof
- 10/15 Thomas Russell
- 10/16 Barbara Houser
- 10/19 Lucinda Brandt

Young Organist Competition 2020



sponsored by the
Greater Columbia AGO Chapter
Saturday, March 7, 2020
Columbia, S.C.

Open to grades 8–12

First Prize \$1,500
Second Prize \$1,000
Third Prize \$750
Hymn Playing Award \$300
Bach Playing Award \$300

For rules and application see
Young Organist Competition 2020
at www.columbiaago.org



The 20th of every month is the deadline for the following month's AGO newsletter. Information received after that time may not appear in that month's newsletter.

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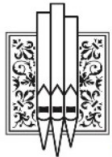


Catawba College - Salisbury, North Carolina



Catawba College is a small, faith-based (UCC), liberal arts college located about 45 miles north of Charlotte in the quaint town of Salisbury, NC. The 1000-seat Omwake-Dearborn Chapel, named for two former college presidents, is now 55 years old. At the time of the dedication, an electronic organ was in place but was later replaced by a 42 rank 3 manual Casavant pipe organ. Over the years, the pipe organ fell into disrepair and its baroque tonality fell out of favor. Several attempts were made to either repair the Casavant or replace it. Al Murrell, Vice President of R. A. Daffer Church Organs, Inc., built a strong relationship with Professor Paul Oakley and his successor Dr. Phillip Burgess by providing Rodgers Organs for their annual service of lessons and carols. Because of the relationship Al built over the years with college personnel, R.A.Daffer Church Organs, Inc was chosen to build and install the new four manual 84 stop Rodgers Organ. In addition, 17 ranks of the existing Casavant Organ were incorporated into the new instrument. The project which includes new wind chests will be completed in April of 2019. We wish to thank Dr. Phillip Burgess, Associate Chair of Music and

Mr. Bill Graham, Chair of Trustees for putting their trust in our company for this project. The new instrument will enrich the weddings and services that are held in this exquisite chapel for many year



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**Westminster
Presbyterian
Church**
Clinton, SC

The Session and Choirs announce the appointment of Charles T. Owings to the position of

Director of Music Ministries.

Mr. Owings will conduct the choirs and play the church's 1990 30 rank, 25 stop, mechanical action Andover Pipe Organ and the Yamaha Grand Piano





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FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18 | 7:30 PM

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POSITIONS AVAILABLE

**** NEW LISTING - OR CHANGES**

Please contact Susan Sturkie (803-788-6807 or sloopystur@aol.com) to update this information or for more information on these openings.

CAMDEN

Lyttleton Street United Methodist Church (LSUMC) in Camden, SC is looking for a Worship Leader for our elevate! worship service. This Praise/Contemporary service currently meets twice/month. We are actively working to transition to a weekly service and need/want a Worship Leader to assist us with the transition. Initially the position is part-time. Greater Columbia AGO members contact Susan for copy of flyer with more information. Others, please contact the church or Joan McCulley, Chair elevate! Steering and Search Committees 610-513-7855 (cell)

CHARLESTON

Martin Luther Lutheran Church is seeking a part-time Music Director to lead our music on Sunday morning and for other services. We need someone who plays organ and piano, can direct our choir, and can start a handbell choir. Directing a children's choir could be a possibility as we are slowly gaining children.

Profile:

- One service: 9:00a.m., and weekly Adult Choir rehearsal
- Other services as needed (Christmas Eve, Advent and Lenten Wednesday evenings, Ash Wednesday, Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, funerals and weddings as needed)
- An organ and a grand piano are in the sanctuary. Pianos in the choir room and fellowship hall.

Contact the congregation for details outlining qualifications, responsibilities, etc. Persons interested in applying should provide a complete resume and professional references. Send resume and references to Martin Luther Lutheran Church at MLLC@knology.net

Church Office phone: (843) 795-4855 1605 Harborview Rd. Charleston (James Island), SC 29412

CHERAW

First Presbyterian Church (PCUSA), 300 Market Street, Cheraw, SC 29520, is a vibrant and happy congregation looking for a part-time organist. The organ, which can be seen on the church's website www.cherawfpc.org, was built by Gabriel Kney and Associates of London, Ontario, in 1986, and is designed to lead the congregation in glorious singing, to accompany the choir and to perform in recitals. It is tracker action but has combination action to make it accessible for different periods of music. It has two manuals and 26 ranks of pipes. There is one service a week with one choir rehearsal. Occasionally, the organist will be expected to accompany soloists and small instrumental ensembles. This individual will serve as organist at weddings and funerals, which are a source of additional income for the organist. The organist will collaborate with the choir director and pastor to plan for services. Special services include Christmas Eve, Ash Wednesday, Maundy Thursday and Good Friday. The organist may accompany the children's choir as they sing in a worship service (with a short rehearsal before they sing). The position is open Sunday, April 23, 2017. For the complete job description and more information, contact Christie McLeod at acmcleod1995@roadrunner.com or 843-910-4538.

CHESTER

Purity Presbyterian Church 135 Wylie Street, P.O. Box 278 Chester, SC 803-377-8176

Director of Music/Organist. Austin Pipe Organ, 1976, .38 ranks and a movable, two manual console, designed for worship service and for concert use.

Job Description Purpose: The Director of Music & Organist is foremost a disciple of Jesus Christ who seeks to give glory to God and enrich the congregation's encounter with God by utilizing musical talents to provide sacred music during scheduled worship services and other activities, supporting the music ministry and worship at Purity Presbyterian Church. The ideal candidate will be familiar with Presbyterian theology and traditions or demonstrate a willingness to learn to preserve a Christ-centered worship experience which glorifies God and honors our rich heritage. See full job description at <https://www.puritypc.org> under "Worship." Send resumes to: Rev. Jason W. Myers at puritypcpastor@truvista.net

COLUMBIA

Living Springs Lutheran Church, 4224 Hard Scrabble Road, Columbia, SC 29223. Part-time Organist/Accompanist. Living Springs is hiring a part-time organist/accompanist to work alongside our Worship and Music Team, and to enhance the worship services of our growing, diverse congregation. This person would be responsible for playing organ and/or piano on Sunday mornings for both services, attending Wednesday rehearsals with our choir (with summers off), and accompanying the choir at special concerts and events. Approximately 21-25 hours per Month. Contact Living Springs Minister of Worship, Deacon Justin Rimbo, 803-736-0661, justin@livingspringscolumbia.org.

McGregor Presbyterian Church (USA), 6505 St. Andrews Rd., Columbia SC 29212 is seeking a Part-time Director of Children's Choirs for ages 4-year preschool through fifth grade. Duties include directing weekly Sunday evening rehearsals and preparing anthems for Sunday morning worship services. Preference will be given to candidates with a degree in music, elementary level choral directing experience, and proficiency in both piano and voice. The position is for the nine months of the school year, approximately 6 hours per week, with compensation based upon education and experience. This position could be expanded to include the position of Part-time Music Teacher in the McGregor Presbyterian Preschool. For more information, contact Joy Ackerman, Director of Music, at jpackerman@att.net, or at 803-414-0479.

McGregor Presbyterian Preschool, 6505 St. Andrews Rd., Columbia SC 29212 is seeking a part-time Music Teacher in their week-day morning program serving children from 2 to 4 years old. Responsibilities include teaching one day a week, to equal 6 hours per month. Candidates must have a background in working with young children. Preference will be given to those with experience in teaching music to young children. The position is for the nine month school year. It is possible that this position could be expanded to include the position of Director of Children's Choirs for McGregor Presbyterian Church (USA). For more information, please contact Rhonda Marino, Preschool Director, at rmarino@mcgpres.org, or at (803)-781-2539.

Rehoboth United Methodist Church seeking part-time pianist/organist/choir director for weekly choir practice and services, including Sunday morning worship, special seasonal services, and revival. Send letter of interest and resume to SPRC-RUMC, 6911 Two Notch Rd, Columbia SC 29223.

Sherwood Forest Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, Columbia SC, has opening for a part time (20 hours/month) church organist/pianist and choir accompanist. We are a small traditional hymn singing congregation. Duties include regular Sunday worship as well as special services. To apply, email resume/ letter to Secretary@sherwoodforestchurch.com or call 803-787-6370.

St. Mark United Methodist Church, 3200 Lyles St, 29201, an open and welcoming small congregation in Columbia, SC, is seeking a part-time organist or pianist. Duties include planning and playing for the 11:00 a.m. Sunday worship service and accompanying the chancel choir which practices at 9:00 a.m. on Sunday mornings. Experience appropriate for a church keyboard musician is desired. The congregation enjoys a variety of music from classical to contemporary. Instruments include a two manual Allen digital organ, a new Yamaha digital piano, and a Schulmerich carillon. Please send resume with cover letter to stmarkumccola@gmail.com or call Wayne Hall at (803) 252-7297 for more information.

GOOSE CREEK

St. Timothy Lutheran Church, PO Box 807, Goose Creek SC 29445, Part Time Organist Position. 2012 Allen Quantum Q265D, 37-stop 2-manual console. The ideal candidate has experience playing a traditional liturgical service and accompanying a choir; vies organ skills as a service to God and as a vital part of worship leadership; is open to and reliant on following God's Spirit in a team environment. Please submit resume to: info@sainttimothy.lutheran.org with subject line Organist or Music Ministry.

HARTSVILLE

St Bartholomew's Church, Hartsville, SC is in search of a part-time Organist. Duties include Sunday services, choir rehearsals, and any special services during the year. Vacation and continuing education included. Salary is \$180 per week and \$100 for additional services. Our instrument is a 32-rank, two manual, Casavant Freres Limitee. The organist reports to the Choir Director and the Rector.

Send your resume to St. Bartholomew's at the address or via email.

103 Campus Drive, Hartsville, SC 29550 stbartchurch@gmail.com-Church Office: (843) 332-8765

IRMO

****Evangelical Lutheran Church in America (ELCA) congregation** in the Irmo, SC area seeks a Choir Director/Organist for one service on Sundays, preceded by a choir rehearsal. No regular mid-week responsibilities except during services associated with holy days throughout the year, funerals, and other events, as needed.

Small choir, piano and organ accompaniment, and working with volunteer instrumentalists to provide support to the music ministry of the congregation is the primary goal. Strong working relationship with other staff in the congregation is encouraged. Traditional worship, with a casual and curious approach to new forms and styles characterize our environment.

Compensation \$10-12,000 commensurate with experience. Call Pastor Frank W. Anderson or email resume and letter of interest to PastorFrank2016@att.net or 803-730-4075.

JOHNSTON

Mt. Calvary Lutheran Church is seeking a part-time Director of Music to support its worship and music ministry. The Director needs to be knowledgeable of traditional Lutheran worship, have good skills as an organist and pianist, be capable of conducting a volunteer choral choir and handbell choir, and supporting and encouraging the congregation's song. We have one Sunday service at 11:00 a.m. Choir rehearsal is at 9:00 a.m. on Sundays. Applicants should send their resumes with two or three references to Lib Cumbee, Chair of the Worship and Music Committee, cumbeeelizabeth42@gmail.com

LAURENS

First Presbyterian Church Director of Music

<https://www.firstpreslaurens.org/music-director-search>

The Director of Music is responsible for directing the Chancel Choir as well as developing and supporting all aspects of the music program including supervision of and/or directing (as necessary) the children's choirs. Encouraging, supporting and facilitating all musical talents present in the congregation are essential to this role.

This is a part-time position and salary is negotiable, depending on qualifications, experience and ability to perform as principal organist as well as Director of Music if required.

Responsibilities

1. Chancel Choir - Conducting and leading the church's Chancel Choir is the primary responsibility of the Music Director. This includes music planning, recruiting members, oversight of regular rehearsals, the preparation of the choir for their participation in the church's Sunday morning worship, organization and leadership for special choral events and conducting the Chancel Choir during the Sunday morning worship. Selections of music for use during the Worship Services should be done in coordination with the Senior Pastor.
2. Oversight of the Church's Musician(s)
3. Special Events
4. Summer Choir Break: It is the responsibility of the Director of Music to provide suitable special music during the month by arranging solos, quartets, or other music during this time.
5. Music, Records and Instrument Maintenance and Budget - The Director of Music will be primarily responsible for the oversight and support of all musical endeavors of the church. This includes facilitating and coordinating the use of facilities and instruments when desired by sanctioned church organizations in accordance with Church Policy and Procedures. This may

also include performing on the organ (if also serving as organist) or piano during weddings, funerals or other events held in the church if requested to do so or coordinating with other performers on behalf of the church if necessary.

Correspondence and questions may be sent to email address fpclaurens@gmail.com or call the Church office at 864-984-6561 and someone will return your call.

LEXINGTON

****Pilgrim Lutheran Church** in Lexington, SC is seeking to hire a church organist immediately. The organist is responsible for the performance of liturgical music in accordance with the principles of the Lutheran tradition. Responsibilities include providing organ/piano music for all Sunday morning traditional services and other seasonal services of the church, including the prelude music prior to each service. The organist rehearses with and accompanies the Adult Choir weekly, and rehearses with and accompanies the Handbell choir and other instrumentalists as needed. A full description of the position is available upon request. Applicants should email their resume, along with the contact information for three references, to plc@wearepilgrim.com

****St. Matthew's Lutheran Church**, 1273 Calks Ferry Road, Lexington, is searching for a Parish Musician. Responsibilities include playing for one Sunday morning service and directing/rehearsing adult and youth choirs. The applicant needs to have experience playing a variety of hymn styles on the organ and piano as well as seeking out and encouraging congregation members to share their music skills during worship.

Resumes should be emailed to pastorhawk958@gmail.com. For more information, please call Pastor Karen Hawkins at 803.957.9345.

Saxe Gotha Presbyterian Church of Lexington, SC is seeking applications to fill the part time position of Organist/Music Associate. SGPC is a thriving ECO non-liturgical congregation in the heart of Lexington, SC, with an engaging music and arts ministry. The organist will serve on a team that includes the Director of Music and Arts, several audio/visual specialists and a staff pianist. Qualified candidates will possess at least an undergraduate degree in music and/or appropriate experience in a traditional worship setting. All interested candidates should contact Director of Music and Arts, Hal McIntosh at hmcintosh@saxegotha.org or 803-359-7770, extension 13.

ORANGEBURG

First Baptist Church of Orangeburg is seeking a part-time organist to provide service music for Sunday worship, as well as special occasions throughout the year. Regular duties include accompanying Wednesday night choir rehearsal (7:00 pm) and playing for Sunday worship services (11:00 a.m.). The organ is a Moller, 3 manual: swell; great; choir, with 31 ranks from the original installation. The pedal board was built to AGO standard. The organ was installed in 1968 and rebuilt by Schlueter Pipe Organ Company of Lithonia, Georgia in 2007, with additional Walker digital stops added. Resumes may be sent to First Baptist Church, P.O. Box 637, Orangeburg, South Carolina, 29116 or emailed to jane@fbcorangeburg.org.

****First Presbyterian Church** of Orangeburg is seeking a choir director/organist.

Responsibilities include playing for a traditional service at 11:00 each Sunday morning and directing an adult choir rehearsal at 7:15 each Wednesday night. The church has a two manual, 23-rank Schantz organ and a Steinway baby grand piano. For more information, please contact musicsearch@1stpresbyterian.org or dseymore@1stpresbyterian.org.

St. Andrew's United Methodist Church is seeking a part-time organist/pianist/choir director. This position can be filled by one or two people. Our Moller organ was installed in 1980, has two 2 manuals, 18 ranks of pipes, and is further described on the Columbia AGO's website. Primary responsibilities include playing service music, congregational hymns, and preparing an anthem for one Sunday service each week, as well as leading choir rehearsal on Wednesday evening. In addition, the musician is

expected to play for special seasonal services, funerals and weddings. Salary and vacation are commensurate with experience. For more information, please contact standrews.orangeburg@umcsc.org. Resumes may be emailed or sent to Musician Search Committee, St. Andrew's United Methodist Church, 1980 Columbia Road, Orangeburg SC 29115.

SAVANNAH

First Presbyterian Church, Savannah, GA is looking for a Director of Music and an Organist. **DIRECTOR OF MUSIC:** Responsibilities include directing the Chancel Choir (20 current participants), directing or supervising a graded choir program for children and youth (50 current participants), and a potential for directing handbell choirs for adults and youth. Other duties include collaborative worship planning with clergy, managing a concert series of 4 concerts per year, and administrative tasks necessary to maintain a vibrant music ministry. 25-32 hours per week, depending on responsibilities assumed. For the right candidate, the position may be combined with the open organist position to create a full-time job. **ORGANIST:** The church has a 2005 3 manual, 47 rank Schleuter organ and a 9-foot Steinway piano. Responsibilities include accompanying the Chancel Choir and the Youth Choir, playing one service on Sunday mornings, plus special services during Advent and Lent. Depending on qualifications and interest, there is an opportunity for directing handbell choir(s). 20-25 hours per week, depending on responsibilities assumed. For the right candidate, the position may be combined with the open Director of Music position to create a full-time job. For more information, email Sherry McBeath, search committee chair: musicsearch@savannahfpc.org. Resumes must be submitted by June 15, 2019. EOE/AA.

SAINT MATTHEWS

St. Paul U.M.C., 1808 Bridge Street, Saint Matthews, SC 29135. We have an opening for an organist and choir director. Job requirements include choir practice at 9:30 a.m on Sunday mornings (or another time during the week) and worship service on Sundays from 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Some additional services throughout the year (Christmas Eve, funerals, etc.) may also be requested. The instrument is a 1937 Moeller Pipe Organ.

Please call (803) 874-2166 or email at stpaulsmumc@gmail.com for more details.

Pastor: Rev. Sara Relaford, Church Secretary: Lori Worsencroft