



Valley Community Baptist Church Job Description

Valley Simsbury Worship Leader

Location: Valley Simsbury

Purpose: The Worship Leader assists and supports the Valley Simsbury advancing the growth of God's Kingdom and Valley Simsbury's mission. The Worship Leader plans and leads the music for worship services each week, recruiting and growing a Worship Team musically and spiritually. This is a part-time position.

Candidate Attributes and Qualifications

To be effective in this role, a successful candidate will be a growing, committed disciple of Jesus Christ. Candidates must be Evangelical and Baptist in convictions, and ascribe to Valley's Affirmations of Faith as contained in the church Constitution.

The candidate should possess many of the following core gifts, passions, and qualifications:

1. A lifestyle that is increasingly marked by mission, discipleship, and a vibrant faith walk with Jesus.
2. A passion and theology for worship and the arts, and a desire to use them biblically and creatively to lead believers and seekers into transformed lives with God.
3. A people-seeker and attractor - draws, recruits, equips, and leans into others who have gifts to serve the congregation.
4. Strong giftedness and demonstrated musical skills, both instrumentally and in leading contemporary worship.
5. Experience and/or a quick learning aptitude with sound equipment, video equipment, online streaming, presentation software, lighting, etc.
6. A team player.
7. Pioneering spirit; excited to try innovative approaches to church gatherings, growth, and worship arts ministry.

Ministry Responsibilities

Part I: Lead Valley Simsbury Worship (17 hours/week)

1. Works with the Valley Simsbury Pastor to establish vision for the different facets of worship arts, leading a culture of Spirit-filled worship.
2. Establishes plans for the weekly worship gatherings in concert with the preaching plans and overall movement of our congregation.

3. Leads the Valley Simsbury Worship Team. This includes coordinating the worship team members, planning music, leading rehearsals, and equipping and overseeing others to lead.
4. Gives leadership to all aspects of video, sound, and production as we seek to multiply the message of Jesus to our visual, media-centered world. Oversees the development of sound, production, and livestream teams to support this goal.

Part II: Build Teams (8 hours/week)

1. Organize a framework for Valley Simsbury Worship Arts teams to be led effectively.
2. Develop leaders who will recruit, equip, and grow our Worship Arts teams.
3. Engage in relationships with younger or newer musicians/singers and develop their musical and spiritual skills.
4. Identify and develop discipleship opportunities to help musicians and artists in our congregation to live on mission.

Key Working Relationships

1. Works directly with and is supervised by the Valley Simsbury Pastor.
2. Collaborates weekly with other Valley Simsbury staff.
3. Works cooperatively with Valley's Director of Worship Arts. Teaming and coaching will occur in the larger context of our mission and vision.

Other Details and Important Information

Exempt: No.

Status: Part-time (20 hours per week)

Date: October 29, 2021

Posted by: Valley Simsbury Pastor

Employment At-Will

All employees of Valley are at-will, and as such, are free to resign any time without reason. Valley, likewise, retains the right to terminate an employee's employment at any time with or without reason or notice. Nothing contained in this job description or any other document provided to the employee is intended to be, nor should it be, construed as a guarantee that employment or any benefit will continue for any period of time.

How to Apply

If you are interested in this position, please email a cover letter and resume to Valley Simsbury Pastor Mark Woof at simsbury@valleycommunity.cc

No phone calls please.