

# Long Shoals Baptist Church

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## Pianist

### Position Description

(as of January 17, 2019)

#### Objective

To positively contribute to the worship experience of the congregation through the music of Long Shoals Baptist Church.

#### Responsibilities

The Pianist can expect the Church to:

- a. trust him or her as a person of integrity, dedicated to the work of the ministry as a competent professional who can manage their time wisely;
- b. consult with her or him about issues related to their ministry before making decisions;
- c. show concern for him or her and their family, as evidenced by prayer support;
- d. give a 30-day notice if a decision is made to terminate employment of this pianist.

The Church will expect the Pianist to:

- a. provide the Church with worshipful music at the Sunday Morning worship service, under the direction of the Music Director;
- b. provide musical accompaniment for choir rehearsal time and other special rehearsals mutually agreed upon by the Music Director and the pianist;
- c. provide musical accompaniment, as needed, for special solo or ensemble music arranged for worship service at which the pianist is scheduled to play. Each of these accompaniments may require a rehearsal prior to the service at a time mutually agreeable to the pianist and the scheduled singer or instrumentalist;
- d. provide musical accompaniment as needed for special services on the church calendar, such as revivals, Christmas or Easter services, etc.... (this is not an all-inclusive list);
- e. give a 30-day notice of decision to resign, allowing the church time to plan for an interim.

#### Qualifications

1. Proficiency in sight reading
2. Proficiency in choral/instrumental accompaniment and choral parts rehearsal.
3. Ability and willingness to work well with others.
4. Possess excellent communication skills, verbal and non-verbal

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There will be a 90-day trial period for the consideration of both the congregation and the pianist.