

Job Title	Organist
Position Type	Part Time
Education	Bachelor's Degree
Experience	5 - 10 years
Salary	\$12000 - \$18000 Per Year

First Presbyterian Church, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, seeks an experienced organist to fill a part-time position (estimated to be 10-12 hours per week) as organist. FPC has a long history of excellent music in its traditional worship services and recently supported an over \$600,000 renovation of its 50-rank, 2900+ pipes Reuters organ. <https://pipeorgandatabase.org/organ/21588>

Key duties of the organist are weekly Sunday morning services and chancel choir rehearsals as well as special services during the liturgical year (Advent, Christmas Eve, Lent, Easter, etc.). The church values the performance of quality literature for preludes, offertories and postludes as well as excellent hymn playing skills. The organist should also be able to play open score choral parts, assist with sectional rehearsals when needed, work with other instrumentalists for special programs, and interact well with other staff and church members. It is understood that the organist will understand and actively support the theological identity of First Presbyterian Church as articulated on our website, <https://fpccr.org/>.

Preferred qualifications: 5-years of experience as a church organist whose duties are similar to the above. A degree in organ performance or church music with an organ emphasis is encouraged but not required. Salary commensurate with education and experience.

The organist will report to the Director of Music and to the Pastor as Head of Staff.

For full consideration, send a letter of application and a complete resume to office@fpccr.org by October 1, 2021. The search committee will review applications and then request audio or video recording links from qualified applicants no later than October 15, 2021. First Presbyterian Church does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion (creed), gender, gender expression, age, national origin (ancestry), disability, marital status, sexual orientation, or military status, in any of its activities or operations.