

Position: Batavia United Methodist Church Music Director (part-time position)

Address: Batavia United Methodist Church, 8 North Batavia Avenue, Batavia, Illinois 60510

Church Phone Number: (630) 879-7060

Responsibilities: The part-time Music Director has overall responsibility for leading and coordinating the music program at Batavia United Methodist Church. These responsibilities include:

- (1) Work with our pastors on planning the music program;
- (2) Manage and direct the Chancel Choir at first service;
- (3) Coordinate with the Children's Choir leader;
- (4) Coordinate with the Bell Choir leader;
- (5) Take a role in the contemporary music program at the second service and;
- (6) Participate in all the Christmas Eve and Easter services.

The Music Director leads a vital ministry at Batavia United Methodist Church. This ministry has three primary objectives: (1) to recruit members of the congregation for music teams; (2) to encourage the music team to express their faith through music; and (3) to provide music that enhances and elevates the worship experience for the congregation. The congregation enjoys a range of musical styles, including traditional classical roots, as well as contemporary.

Batavia United Methodist Church currently has an organist and could add an accompanist. We will work with the new Music Director to define the music staff configuration. The Music Director will lead the Wednesday evening choir practice, lead the music program at Sunday services, and participate in the weekly church staff meeting.

Submit resumes by March 1, 2019 to:

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