

Worship Pastor

The primary purpose of the Worship Pastor is to oversee, direct, and manage the spirit-led musical worship of the Riverside church family.

We are looking to appoint a passionate, creative and gifted Worship Pastor to lead our congregation into a deeper experience of God through sung worship, prayer, intercession, prophesy and other creative media. You will be responsible for leading a team of volunteers including worship leaders, singers, musicians and AV people.

The Worship Pastor will regard their own spiritual life as the base underlying all aspects of the role- maintaining an active prayer life, seeing the importance of spiritual refreshing, being part of the leaders and staff prayer, and being a committed and active member of the church.

The Worship Pastor as a senior leader of the church will seek to follow the teaching of Jesus, knowing His grace for themselves, taking a servant-shaped model of leadership, exercise integrity, be diligent, a good steward in managing resources, and aiming to model a lifestyle of committed faith, honouring others, and New Testament Biblical values

The Worship Pastor will be an active participant in regular staff and senior team meetings and activities, including Core programmes. The role will require working closely with the Senior Pastors of the church in relation to the whole worship life of the church.

The Worship Pastor will resonate with the vision and values of Riverside Church and see their role as a key part of pursuing this vision and furthering the Kingdom of God on earth as in heaven.

Key Aims:

- To inspire existing members of the worship and audio-visual teams to reach their full potential
- To recruit and train new members of the worship and audio-visual teams
- To develop the overall worship, spiritual and prophetic life of Riverside Church

Essential

- An innovative, creative and professional approach to helping build Riverside Church
- High standard of singing, musical technical ability and knowledge
- Excellent people management and interpersonal skills
- Committed Christian
- Sense of humour and enjoy having fun
- Computer Literate
- Ability to prioritise and co-ordinate work loads
- Flexible attitude

- Reliable and proactive team player
- Excellent organisation and communication skills
- A desire to learn and develop personal skills and leadership
- A desire to serve the wider vision of Riverside Church
- Secure understanding of safeguarding and data confidentiality

Desirable

- A relevant qualification in music
- Ability to communicate effectively through different social media platforms
- A desire to learn and develop personal skills and leadership
- Willingness to develop towards AOG ministerial status

Role Expectations

- Depending on experience and availability of the person, this role is 7.5 - 15 hours per week
- Working hours can be flexible, but it would be expected for one of the days worked to be a Sunday
- The role holder must be available to work at a selection of key events at Riverside Church which could include Christmas services, Easter services and Annual Church meetings when required.
- Attend weekly staff meetings
- It is expected that staff members will be active members of Riverside Church.

It is anticipated that staff will contribute additional hours to these into the life of the church in the same way that other church members contribute above their work hours.

Your line manager will be the Senior Pastor.

Salary: From £20,000 to £26,000 pro-rata, depending on experience.

Due to the nature of this role, we believe that this post is subject to an occupational requirement that the holder be a practicing Christian under Part 1 of schedule 9 to the Equality Act 2010. The post is subject to our safeguarding requirements including an Enhanced DBS disclosure which will be obtained by the church.