Music Director Position Description December 2022

St. John's in the Mountain's Episcopal Church in Stowe, Vermont is a small, vibrant congregation in search of a skilled musician to serve as music director. The music director will lead hymns, perform preludes and postludes at our 10:00 am Sunday service, as well as Christmas and Holy Week services. The church is equipped with an electronic organ and baby grand piano. Though the congregation does not have a choir, parish vocalists and instrumentalists participate in music leadership. The music director will oversee the selection of music in consultation with the priest using the Hymnal 1982 and other hymnals of the Episcopal Church. The music director will also assist the parish to learn new hymns from other hymnals and music sources.

Qualifications for this position include knowledge of and experience with leading congregational singing; training in organ and piano as well as other instruments if possible; access to and/or knowledge of a wide range of Christian hymnody; and ability to collaborate with clergy and lay musicians. This position is compensated per service as well as an additional monthly stipend. In consultation with the rector and parish musicians, arrangements can be for a seasonal position (September – May) or year-round. Please submit your resume or request additional information to: The Rev. Rick Swanson, Rector, rick@stjohnsinthemountains.org