



Modern Worship Associate (Lytham Road)

Who are we?

UALC is an evangelical, Spirit-led, Lutheran church in the northwest suburbs of Columbus, Ohio. We worship in two locations with a combined weekly attendance of 1200. We are part of Lutheran Congregations in Mission for Christ (LCMC) and the North American Lutheran Church (NALC).

We believe that we are called to be an Oasis of God's Kingdom for a dry and thirsty world, and we know that living water is meant to be shared. We envision a future so well-watered by the love and truth and Spirit of Christ that our way of life together will be transformed and even people outside the church will say "See how they love one another," just like Jesus said they would.

Life with Jesus brings hope and healing to broken people. Outside of Christ we are drawn to mirages that make empty promises of life but leave us stuffing our mouths with sand.

This vision leads us to four deeply held commitments about life together at God's Oasis:

- Everything that we do starts with the action of God. We are a Gospel people, trusting in the work of Jesus. What we offer comes from what Jesus has done and is doing.
- There is a distinct community at the oasis, a family sharing life together in the way of Jesus by the power of the Spirit.
- An oasis is not a fortress. It doesn't have walls. We invite people in and carry Living Water out.
- There is an enemy; there is a desert; there are "mirages." We are in a battle, but we know God wins.

What are we looking for?

We are looking for a collaborative, creative worship associate to bolster the spiritual and artistic richness of our modern worship service. This role will work closely with our Worship Arts and Production Director (Lytham Rd.) to plan and help lead artful, spiritually vital worship music sets with our volunteer worship music team.

An ideal candidate is someone with a strong background in vocal music and worship leading who can help coach our team of volunteer worship leaders, providing coaching for vocal parts, as well as the art of leading the congregation in heartfelt worship of God. Ability to play a lead instrument (guitar or piano) would be valuable, but not required.

How to respond

If you think this might be you, or if you know someone who fits this description, we'd love to talk with you and pray with you about it. Please contact our Tim Krock, the Worship Arts and Production Director at Lytham Rd. Email Tim at tkrock@ualc.org with your resume and a brief explanation of your interest.



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Summary

The Modern Worship Associate (Lytham Road) is a part-time position (15 hours per week), and reports to the Worship Arts and Production Director, Tim Krock. The Modern Worship Associate will contribute to planning and leading worship for the Modern service at Lytham Road. The Modern Worship Associate will also collaborate with the larger worship staff in implementing special worship services for both campuses, including Advent, Christmas Eve, Worship Nights, etc.

Essential Job Functions

1. Work with Tim and Ashley (the Worship Arts Director at the Mill Run campus) to craft worship sets for Lytham Modern that are spiritually, emotionally, and intellectually engaging. Includes contributing to song choice, arrangement, and planning transitions.
2. Weekly coaching at rehearsal for worship leaders – helping with vocal parts and on-going coaching for how to lead the congregation in heartfelt worship
3. Participate regularly as part of the vocal team on Sunday mornings, and plan and lead the worship team once a month.
4. Regularly pray for, encourage and connect with members of the volunteer worship team.
5. Occasionally contribute to special services, worship nights or other creative projects (as time allows)

Education and Experience

The ideal candidate for this role will have previous experience in modern worship leadership. They will have the ability to lead worship vocally. Additionally, they will need to have training in vocal music which will allow them to effectively coach other vocalists. The ideal candidate must have a positive and collaborative spirit, excellent communication skills, a passion for worship and creativity in the church, and a significant personal relationship with Jesus.