

SAINT JOSEPH'S CHURCH YORKVILLE

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St. Joseph's Church Yorkville, a Roman Catholic Church on the Upper East Side of Manhattan, is seeking an Organist/Director of Music, effective August 1, 2010. Current responsibilities include playing five weekend masses, plus masses on Holy Days, as well as weddings and funerals. The Director of Music also rehearses and conducts the Parish Choir and the Family Mass children's choir. The position could also include conducting the St. Joseph's Singers, a concert chamber choir in residence at the church. The church maintains a two-manual, 38 rank (1895) Müller and Abel pipe organ, which is in excellent condition. The church also has a Baldwin grand piano, a three-octave set of Malmark handbells, and a music office, complete with a Mac workstation (including synthesizer). There is a choral library of moderate size, and equipment to support small orchestral/choral concerts. The church currently employs two professional cantors. The sanctuary is acoustically excellent, and guest choral groups frequently perform at the church.

Applicants are asked to submit a resume and three letters of recommendation. Applicants are required to have a bachelor's degree in music, and a graduate degree is preferred. Supporting materials, such as organ and choral repertoire lists, and concert recordings, are desirable but not mandatory. Applicants must have a working knowledge of Catholic liturgy.

For more information, please contact the church at 212-289-6030, or email the church at sjosephyorkville@aol.com . Please deliver your application by May 15, 2010 to:

St. Joseph's Church Yorkville
Organist/Music Director Search Committee
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Church website
www.stjosephyorkville.org

St. Joseph's Singers website
www.sjsingers.org

1895 Müller and Abel pipe organ specification
<http://nycago.org/Organs/NYC/html/StJosephRCYorkville.html>