



## Job Description

# Head of Worship & Creative Arts

**Reports to:** Rod Green, Vicar

### **Purpose**

The vision of St. Peter's Harrow is to be a church large enough to change thousands of lives, create culture and transform society right across Harrow and North West London. The Head of Worship & Creative Arts will provide leadership, vision and direction for worship, creative arts and media at St. Peter's as they facilitate the pursuit of the presence of God through creative and contemporary worship; pastor and develop worship teams committed to loving Jesus and serving the church, and, as a key member of the team leading the Youth Minster, resource worship leaders and teams in the wider area of Harrow and North West London.

### **Responsibilities**

#### *1. Leading the church in passionate praise and worship*

- Sunday services
- Alpha
- Kingdom Come
- Staff meetings
- Occasional training evenings
- Other church events

#### *2. Organizing and administering the worshipping life of the church*

- In collaboration with the Head of Production, ensure rotas for worship, sound, projection and video teams are organized.
- Liaise with Head of Production over worship team requirements

#### *3. Leading the worship team*

- Take pastoral responsibility for the worship team
- Identify and nurture gifts and talents
- Mentor and train of worship leaders

#### *4. Resourcing the Youth Minster*

- Raise up the next generation of worship leaders and musicians
- Liaise with church leaders to resource local churches

#### *5. Leading creative arts and media strategy*

- Oversee social media
- Create Church News each week
- Create media products including short films and regular podcasts
- Capture stories and testimonies from the congregation

**Skills and Personal Qualities required:**

- A heart for the vision, work and mission of the church
- A passion for the glory of God
- Excellent musical ability
  1. Good singer
  2. Able to play guitar and/or piano,
  3. Experience of leading and arranging bands
  4. Understanding of basic music theory
  5. Able to work with traditional styles of music (i.e. organ, classical instruments, choirs)
  6. Understands live sound engineering
- Extensive experience of leading worship
- Knowledge and experience of social media campaigns
- Knowledge and experience of media products
- Effective team leadership skills
- A proven ability to train worship leaders and musicians
- Some theological awareness
- A desire to write songs
- An ability to take initiative, plan ahead, set priorities and work to deadlines
- A willingness to serve as part of the wider staff team
- Thorough organisational skills
- Reasonable IT skills
- Flexibility, adaptability and a sense of humour
- Enthusiasm, stamina and resourcefulness

**Requirements & Benefits:**

- Worship at St. Peter's Harrow
- Availability for Christmas & Easter
- 25 days' holiday per annum
- 37.5 hours per week (including Sundays and Tuesdays)
- £24,000 - £26,000 subject to skills and experience