Worship Coordinator

Responsible to: Ministry Oversight Lead | Contract: Part Time, Fixed Term (2 year), 2 day p/week | Salary: from £27,495 pro rata

Worship at Central Church

Singing our worship in rich and creative ways is part of the culture of our church. This role is an opportunity to strengthen this essential aspect of our church. Partly through the regular work of scheduling and leading our worship team and partly through leading worship yourself and developing our repertoire.

We have two main gatherings: an intergenerational gathering at 10.30am and an evening gathering at 7pm that welcomes a wide range of generations but which overall has a younger demographic. In addition we have a 9.15 more liturgical gathering and in the evening of the final Sunday of the month we hold 'Presence' a gathering with a greater focus on prayer and time spent together in sung worship.

We are currently in the process of recruiting a lead pastor and may in turn recruit a worship pastor, however in the meantime we will look for you to play a role in planning our weekly Sunday gatherings providing you an opportunity to lead out in several aspects of our worship life.

Key responsibilities

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- Regularly pray for our church and your team that we will hear and believe the gospel, yield to God's purposes and seek his blessing in all things. You are asked to take at least an hour a week to do this.
- Steward the culture and values of worship in our church family and gather the team regularly to instill these values.
- Organise development opportunities for those who are in the worship team (musicians and tech team). Invest in raising leaders.
- Facilitate the sung worship of our church through overseeing rotas (Planning Center), onboarding new team members and addressing tech needs.
- Where capacity allows, develop our sung worship through reflective practice, repertoire development in conjunction with the senior team and in alignment with our core values of Following Jesus, Being Family and Loving Edinburgh.
- Contribute to the shaping of our Sunday Gatherings, usually through our weekly gatherings team meeting.
- Be a key player in the delivery of our Sunday gatherings, often leading and alternating between 10:30 and 19:00 gatherings (at least 0.5 of your 2 days).

- Where opportunities arise, encourage worship in our communities and other areas of ministry (i.e. youth, kids, students and young adults).

As a team member:

- Maintain a devotional life of honest personal prayer and submitted listening to God in scripture.
- Look to grow as a disciple through one of our communities.
- In community endeavour to live a courageous missional life.

Experience, training and skill requirements

	Essential	**Desirable**
Relevant experience	Leading a congregation in worship.	Regular leading and shaping of worship. Experience of growing, leading and developing a team.
Education and training	No formal qualifications are required. A desire to learn and improve. A willingness to seek and receive feedback.	Music training or qualifications. Some formal/ informal theological study.
Knowledge and skills	Able to lead from guitar or keys. Able to lead as a vocalist. Good organisational and IT skills Ability to work well within a team	Ability to play more than one instrument.
Other requirements	The applicant must be a practising Christian who actively invests in their own spiritual development and becomes a worshipping member of Central Church.	

How to apply

Applications are via CV and Covering Letter to Louise Wright louise@centralchurch.co.uk
We welcome informal contact prior to application, contact matt@centralchurch.co.uk

Your covering letter should be approximately two pages of A4 and share some of your testimony, your experience and what excites you about this role.

The deadline for applications will be 9am, Thursday 3 December 2026.
Interviews will take place week commencing 7 December 2026.