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At its Stated meeting on May 26, 2026, Session unanimously voted to hire Lauren Fittipaldi as our Director of Youth & Worship Arts. Our appropriate response to this exciting news is Praise God! For the first time in six years, we have a full-time Youth Director. The appropriate reaction is Thank you, Lord for your faithfulness and goodness to us!

Lauren is married to Vincent and they are the proud parents of Adrien, 2. Since 2020, Lauren has been a General Music Teacher & Choral Director with Mendham Township Elementary School in Mendham, NJ. Since 2022, she has served as Director of Children's Music & Assistant Music Director at St. Vincent Martyr Catholic Church. In her professional summary, Lauren aptly describes her educational background and work/ministry experience:



Dynamic and visionary church and music leader with over 10 years of experience in youth ministry, music and worship leadership, and educational program design. Expert in building comprehensive music and youth programs that engage multiple generations, strengthen congregational life, and foster spiritual growth. Skilled at managing staff, volunteers, and budgets while creating culturally responsive, inclusive, and high-quality educational programs. Experienced in curriculum design, ensemble direction, and cross-functional collaboration. Holds a Master of Education in Educational Leadership and two Bachelor of Music degrees in Music Education and Sacred Music.

The position description for the Director of Youth and Worship Arts is a reimagined approach to youth ministry. Lauren will work with Spencer Domer, our Music Director, in leading choral ministry. This work is a springboard for comprehensive ministry to young people through Bible studies, retreats and mission trips. While youth ministry is now "driven" through the strength of our choral music ministry, Lauren will work to ensure that there's a place and room for youth who aren't interested in music and arts. Alongside our gifted youth leaders, Lauren will facilitate weekly youth groups and other youth events throughout the year.

Lauren and her family will be moving to the area in July. She'll begin her ministry with us August 1.

I am rejoicing in God's provision of Lauren. I am so excited for the future of our ministry to children, youth, young adults and their families. Please pray for Lauren, Vincent and Adrien. Be ready to embrace this young family as they join us!

Sincerely and gratefully yours in Christ,

Stuart Spencer
Pastor