

Vocal Choirs



Senior Choir

Director – Janet Tyson, 249-7406

The Senior Choir accepts new members at any time of the year. Anyone out of high school is welcome to join us.

We participate in most 9:00 AM services throughout the year, sometimes performing an anthem, other times enhancing the service by performing appropriate responses. We participate in some special services such as Thanksgiving and Holy Week. A Christmas Cantata and Easter Cantata have been traditional activities also.

Rehearsals for the choir are held on Wednesday evening at 6:45 PM and we meet at 8:30 AM on Sunday morning.

We'd love to add your voice to the choir.



Sanctuary Choir

Director – Keevin Graham, 249-8288

This choir is open to anyone who would like to add their voice to enhance our 11:15 morning worship service.

Practices are held on Sunday mornings at 10:40 AM and once a month on Monday evening at 7:00 PM. Please come and sing and visit with us.



Youth Choir

Director – Pat Strickler, 249-7411

Calling all youth in grades 6-12! Join in the fun of Youth Choir. We rehearse on Sunday mornings during the school year at 10:05 AM, usually in the Sanctuary or the library. After the Youth Choir rehearse, all choir members are encouraged to attend Sunday School Youth Programs.

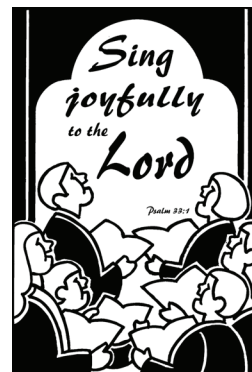
Performances are usually the first Sunday of the month at the 9:00 Sanctuary service. Youth are also involved in Youth Sunday, Easter Sunrise, and the second Christmas Eve service.



Children's Choir

Director – Carol Nickle, 258-0304

The Children's Choir (Grades K-5) rehearses during the children's Sunday School opening at 10:05 AM on Sunday mornings in the music room during the school year. Performances are usually the second Sunday at 9:00 and the fourth Sunday at 11:15 in the Sanctuary services. Special programs are Children's Day and the early Christmas Eve service.



Instrumental Choirs



Handbell Choirs

Director – Tammy Ham, 243-1872

Bells of Otterbein (Adult Choir)

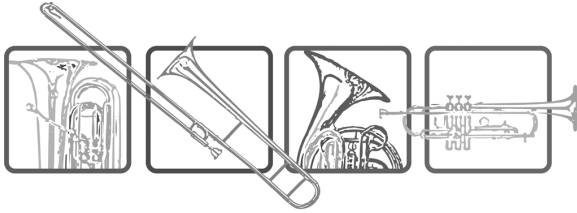
This choir is open to anyone with a desire to ring English handbells. Music experience is preferred. Practices are one hour on Monday evenings at 6:30 PM in the Sanctuary from mid-August through June. The choir performs the third Sunday of each month at both Sanctuary services from September through June. They also perform at the late Christmas Eve service and occasional performances outside the church.

Youth Bells

This choir is open to youth from 7th grade through college age. Music experience is preferred. Practices are Sunday evenings from 7:45 – 8:30 PM in the Sanctuary from September through May. The choir performs the last Sunday of the month, usually at the 11:15 service, during the school year, Easter Sunrise, and at the second Christmas Eve service.

Children's Handchime Choir

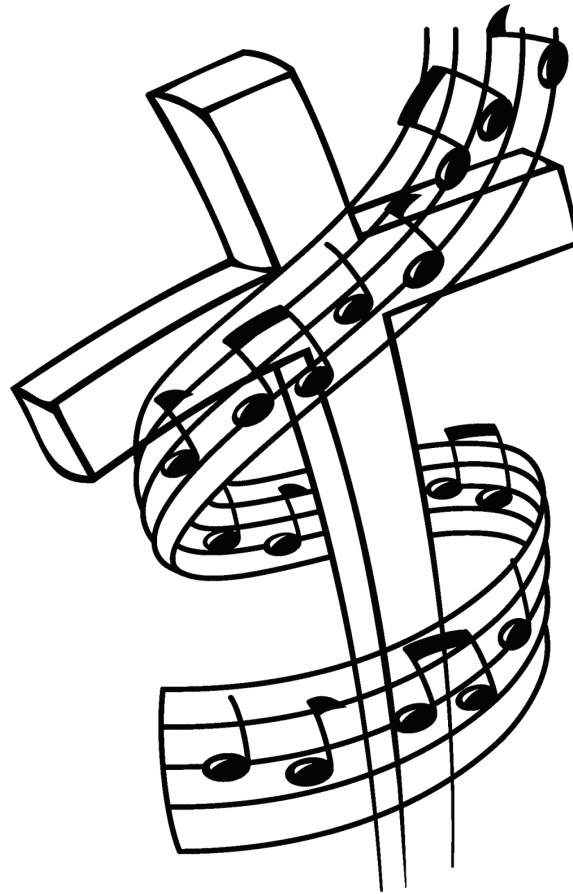
This choir is open to youth in grades 3 through 6. Practices are Sunday mornings during Children's Church in the music room. Practice is held from October through December for performance at the early Christmas Eve service and February and March for performance on Children's Day. Music experience is not necessary.



Celebration Winds

Director – Harold Edwards, 241-5702

Does a good hymn or march tune stir your soul? Can you read music? Do you, have you, or do you want to play a musical instrument? Do you like being around wonderful and supportive people? If you answered yes to any of these questions, the Celebration Winds is for you! Dust off the horn case, clean out the cob webs and reintroduce yourself to the creative spirit of making music. We will be gentle! Rehearsals are twice a month, September through June, on the 1st and 3rd Sundays at 10:05 A.M. Performances vary depending on church need and availability of members. Open to those in high school – and those who haven't touched their horn since high school!



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