

# Muscatine Children's and Youth Choirs

Dr. Richard A. and Cynthia Smith, Directors

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Announcing: Muscatine Youth Choir Fall registration!

On Sunday, August 27, at 3:30 PM the **Muscatine Youth Choir** will begin its new year. Regular rehearsals will be each Sunday afternoon at Wesley United Methodist Church (400 Iowa Avenue) from 3:30 to 4:45 and all middle and high school singers are invited and encouraged to participate.

The registration fee is \$35.00 per youth, \$30.00 for the second, with a \$65.00 per family maximum.

(No singer will be turned away for lack of money! In case of need, scholarships are available.)

The Muscatine Children's and Youth Choirs offer young people in the Muscatine area an opportunity to develop their vocal talents and join with other musicians in making beautiful music. Besides the obvious musical training these young musicians receive, the benefits of singing in a demanding choir program are many: self-control and self-mastery, independent thinking, teamwork, service, analytical thinking, poise, confidence, focus and discipline are but a few.

The Muscatine Children's and Youth Choirs sing regularly for churches, civic organizations, sporting events and nursing homes throughout the area. Choirs are also invited to sing occasionally with the Muscatine Symphony Orchestra and the Muscatine Civic Chorale. MYC singers and leaders maintain an ongoing music program for the children of Grand-Bois, Haiti, along with a teacher training program aimed at establishing music in the schools there.

The Muscatine Children's and Youth Choirs are directed by Dr. Richard A. Smith and Cynthia B. Smith. All choirs rehearse at Wesley United Methodist Church, 400 Iowa Avenue.

For more information please call 563-263-1596.

## Muscatine Youth Choir Registration 2017-18

Return to: Wesley United Methodist Church, 400 Iowa Ave., Muscatine, IA 52761

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Student cell # \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_ Student e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Church affiliation (if any) \_\_\_\_\_

Grade & School attending: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact during Choir Rehearsals (Name & Phone) \_\_\_\_\_

Health issues Choir Staff should be aware of: \_\_\_\_\_

Registration fee:  \$35.00  \$30.00 for second & third child  \$65.00 maximum per family  Request to waive fee