

Wisconsin Gospellers October 2022

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Rehearsal & Performance schedule (Rehearsal every 2nd Saturday of each month)

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Notes</u>
November 12th	10am-1pm	To Be Determined Watch for emails	In person rehearsal
December 10th	10am-2pm 1/2hr lunch break	Congregational UCC 1511 Nicolet Blvd Neenah, WI 54956	In person rehearsal
Saturday January 14th	10am-3pm 3pm concert	Cedar Ridge 113 Cedar Ridge Dr West Bend WI 53095	Rehearsal/ workshop & Concert
Sunday January 15th	2 concerts	Churches near West Bend To Be Determined	In person performance

Note that in April, rehearsal will be the 3rd saturday (to avoid Easter weekend)



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2022-2023 Gospellers Dues - Scholarships available to those who request it

Welcome all to the start of a new Gospellers season! We are looking forward to the new year and the leadership team is starting to find music, find musicians, and reserve rehearsal space. With the planning also comes budgeting. Therefore, we're going to ask for dues for the the 2022-2023 Wisconsin Gospellers season. The annual dues are due by November 15. Active Membership is \$100.00/year which is the most common level of membership. Active Members who have paid annual dues need not pay workshop fees. Annual dues do not cover food/lodging. Associate Membership is \$45.00/workshop. This level of membership is intended for singers who attend a workshop, but are not regular singers with the choir. Sustaining Membership is more than \$100 /year. Sustaining members have all privileges & rights of active members, and choose to support the choir's ongoing costs (including scholarships, music, compensation for musical leadership, etc.).

Please make the dues check payable to "Wisconsin Gospellers". Checks can then be mailed to Cathy Jones as treasurer at 229 Meadowbrook Dr, Fredonia WI 53021.

If there is someone who would like to have a membership with the Wisconsin Gospellers, but is unable to afford some or all of the dues, the individual may talk with the current treasurer (Cathy Jones) to be covered using the scholarship funds. No formal application is required. God will find a way for each and every one of us to be part of the ministry that works on touching souls through the transformative power of gospel music.

New Music

Martin would like to introduce the choir to a new song that is The Lord's Prayer in Swahili called "Baba Yetu". Copies of the new music will be shared in the near future. We are looking forward to learning new things together as we continue to move forward with our ministry. Here is a link to view a video of the song: https://www.halleonard.com/product/293110/

COVID safety measures for WI Gospellers

- We require singers to wear a mask. We recommend a singers mask or a N95 mask.
- We require that singers be vaccinated.
- We will physically distance ourselves as best as possible while still maintaining blending of voices while singing

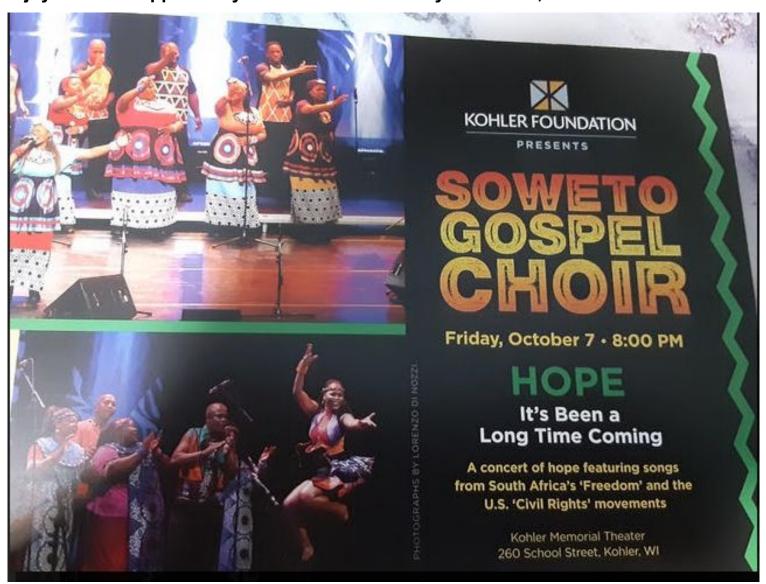


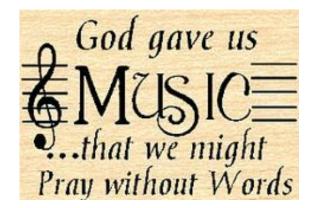


Mission Statement: To bridge cultural divides and touch souls through the transformative power of gospel music.

Vision Statement: A world where God's love triumphs over that which divides us.

A joyful music opportunity in Kohler WI on Friday October 7, 2022 at 8:00PM





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