

Children's Choir

Information for Participants & Families

Pullen Memorial Baptist Church

Overview

Middle and older elementary children in Children's Choir develop musical skills, learn about worship and church music, and offer music for services of worship and other events in the life of the church. Age-focused teaching provides participants with effective opportunities for growth as musicians. An annual overnight music festival connects the choir with other children's choirs from North Carolina, and a spring presentation concludes the choir year.

Leadership

Minister of Music: Larry Schultz; Accompanist: Cindy Schultz. Assistant: Cathy Corbin
Sunday Accompanist: Janice Hocutt.

Rehearsal Schedule & Location

Rehearsals take place in the Music Ministry Rehearsal Hall (Room 128-B) on Wednesdays from 5:45-6:15PM.

Worship Preparation

When singing for worship, the Children's Choir sometimes gathers before Sunday School for a brief rehearsal in the Sanctuary, and gathers after Sunday School in the Robing Area/Rehearsal Hall (Rooms 128-D/B). Specific schedule information will be communicated before these Sundays.

Worship Vestments

For worship, members of the Children's Choir wear robes with stoles with colors that interpret the season of the Christian Year.

Notification of Absences

It is helpful for planning and preparations, to notify the Minister of Music of absences from rehearsals, worship or other events. (LSchultz@pullen.org; 828-0897 ext. 219).

Communication

The *Music Ministry page* of the *Pullen website* (www.pullen.org) provides general information that can always be accessed.

The *Church Calendar* found on *Pullen's website* (www.pullen.org) includes Music Ministry Group schedules and events.

Music Ministry Notes are sent via email with more specific information for Music Ministry Groups.

The *Rehearsal Hall Magnetic Wall* also displays items of interest and information to Music Ministry Groups.

Announcements and articles of interest are published in the *PullenNews*, *Pullen Update*, and *The Week Ahead*.

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Children's Choir in Worship

The Children's Choir plans to sing in worship on these upcoming dates:

Sun. Oct. 18 – Children's Sabbath Worship (Meet at 10:30AM in Rehearsal Hall)

Wed. Dec. 16 – LoveFeast

***Raise a Song!* Children's Choir Festival**

March 11-12, 2016 – Camp Caraway, Asheboro, North Carolina

The Pullen Children's Choir joins with other children's choirs from North Carolina for an overnight music festival experience each year. The directors, volunteers and chaperones from each of the churches lead the participants in a variety of fun activities, engaging choral rehearsals and meaningful worship. Families and friends are invited to the Saturday worship service.
