Scott Kaczinski Music Ministries

Quarterly Newsletter

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CHRISTMAS is just around the corner!!

Once again we will be doing our Truth Singers Christmas Sponsor Tree in the month of October. Each Christmas, we have a special Christmas party for our Truth Singers (special needs friends that we minister to each Thursday) in which we bless them with gifts. You can be a part of this wonderful tradition by sponsoring one or more special needs adult for \$20 each. It is a great outreach to the special needs and their families and to their staff workers as well. And, we will do all the shopping for you!!

Sponsorships/donations will be collected in October. If you and/or your family would like to participate in sponsoring a Truth Singer, you may give/send your \$20 sponsorship to us. (Checks payable to SKMM with TS Christmas in the memo©) We will shop in November and then invite all of you who are able to join us for our Truth Singers Christmas party to be held <u>Thursday, December 6</u>, at 7:00 at DeWitt E. Free Church in the sanctuarium. You can then personally give your gift that we purchased for you to your special needs individual and wish them a Merry Christmas. It is an incredible evening of singing, giving, and sharing of fun, food, and fellowship. You will be very blessed! We currently have 83 regular Truth Singers attending on Thursdays. Thanks for your support of this ministry.

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Truth Singers singing at the Clinton County Fair in July. They love sporting their Truth Singer t-shirts! ©

Praises and Prayers:

Praise and prayer for our many upcoming singing events and Christmas concerts scheduled

Praise and prayer for the 50-60 students attending our Fellowship of Christian Athletes group each Wednesday morning

Prayer as we plan our Truth Singers Christmas outreach

Prayer for us and the couple we will be marriage mentoring starting in January

Prayer for the elderly we minister to each week that they will be encouraged

Praise for God's faithfulness to us!

Prayer for boldness in sharing Christ with those we meet each day

We have added 2 more nursing homes to our monthly singing schedule: **Harmony House** in Clinton and **Assisi Village** in Dubuque!

Scott singing at Dubuque's Farmer's Market in September.

TWENTY-FIVE

This past August Annette and I celebrated 25 years of marriage. We went to Galena, Illinois, and spent a few enjoyable days relaxing, shopping, and catching up with some friends that we hadn't seen in a while. I can't believe it's been 25 years already. That went fast. During our trip we spent some time reminiscing. We came to the conclusion that when we were married in 1987, we were very young and clueless. We thought we knew what we were doing, but we, like most, were very naïve to the fact that marriage can be hard. Andrew Petersen writes in his song: *Dancing In The Minefields-- "We went dancing in the minefields. We went sailing in the storm. This is harder than we dreamed but I believe that's what the promise is for.*" As I look back over the years I am amazed at how God has led us. As Annette and I have danced, completely unaware of the dangers, He has danced along with us guiding our every step. Carefully, grace-fully leading us.

--scott

AWAKEN ... was the theme for the global day of student prayer taken from Ephesians 3:14-21

"For this reason I kneel before the Father, from whom every family in heaven and on earth derives its name. I pray that out of his glorious riches he may strengthen you with power through his Spirit in your inner being, so that Christ may dwell in your hearts through faith. And I pray that you, being rooted and established in love, may have power, together with all the Lord's holy people, to grasp how wide and long and high and deep is the love of Christ, and to know this love that surpasses knowledge—that you may be filled to the measure of all the fullness of God. Now to him who is able to do immeasurably more than all we ask or imagine, according to his power that is at work within us, to him be glory in the church and in Christ Jesus throughout all generations, for ever and ever! Amen."



Praise God for the awesome turnout of students we had for See You At The Pole on August 26. Close to 60 Northeast students met to pray for their school. classmates, and teachers. This was the first ever organized SYATP event at Northeast. Please continue to pray for revival on school campuses everywhere and for our FCA huddle, that students would desire to have a relationship with Jesus Christ.

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