# Scott Kaczinski Music Ministries

**Quarterly Newsletter** 

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## The Soil Of The Heart

Matthew 13:23 "And the one on whom seed was sown on the good soil, this is the man who hears the Word and understands it; who indeed bears fruit and brings forth, some a hundredfold, some sixty, and some thirty."

I've really been enjoying my recent study of the parables of Jesus. And one of my favorites is the story of the Sower and the Soils. In this parable, after the seed (the Word of God) is spread, it encounters four different types of soil. It has been interesting to see some of this parable played out in real life as Annette and I have tried to spread the Word of God in our community. We've enjoyed watching God's word become real and actively take hold in the hearts of a few people. It has been such a joy to watch as God works an amazing transformation in their lives and also to have a part in helping them to continue to grow in their knowledge and love of God. On the other hand, we've also attempted to share God's Word with others only to watch it not penetrate their hearts in any way. It's as if their hearts are of stone and the Word just bounces off. It's easy to get discouraged from a person's negative response to hearing God's Word, but in looking back at the parable, we see that Jesus told of only one of the four soils which was good and received the Word and yielded fruit. And we know that it's only God who draws a person to Jesus (John 6:44) and only God can plow and prepare a heart to receive His word. We are incapable of this. We are nothing. Paul said it in 1 Corinthians 3:7: "So then neither the one who plants nor the one who waters is anything, **but God who** causes the growth." It's all His doing and His work for His glory. Thank you Lord. May your Word be spread and produce fruit. And may we continue to be your humble servants in the advancement of your kingdom, for Your glory.



Truth Singers Spring Concert!

### Thursday, Apríl 11 6:00 (DeWitt E. Free Church gym)

All are welcome to attend. There will be a cookie and punch reception to follow. The Truth Singers will be singing some of their favorite songs along with some solos, duets, and small group selections.



#### TRUTH SINGERS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS



Please pray with us as we are desiring to host a Bible Study this summer for high school and/or college students. We have been encouraged by our FCA group and their interest in God's Word and want to be faithful in continuing to disciple them.

--scott

"Proclaiming Christ and Encouraging Others Through Music"

### **Praises and Prayer:**

#### Jesus has RISEN!

"Jesus said to her, 'I am the resurrection and the life. The one who believes in me will live, even though they die..." John 11:25

Praise God that we serve a Risen Savior!

Please pray as we prepare for our upcoming FCA game night in April. This is an outreach event to middle and high school students in which the Gospel will be shared.

Please continue to pray for our FCA students as we study God's Word together every Wednesday morning. Pray that their hearts are open to God's truth and that God's Word falls on good, fertile soil.

Praise and prayer for our Tuesday and Sunday night Bible Studies in our home that we correctly handle the Word of Truth according to *II Timothy 2:15.* 

Praise for the opportunity we had to sing and to share from God's Word at Letts Methodist Church in March.

Praise God for His unfailing love and faithfulness. Pray for His provision as our ministry taxes are due end of April.

Pray for the couple we are currently marriage mentoring that they continue to seek Christ as the foundation in their marriage.

Praise for our daughter Maddie's recent engagement to James Fernandes. Pray that their upcoming wedding and marriage will reflect and radiate God's glory.

# TRUTH SINGERS 4th ANNUAL

# CARNIVAL NIGHT

Thursday, April 18 6:00-8:00 p.m. DeWitt E. Free Church gym



Please join us for a fun night of games, prizes, a bounce house, crafts, snacks, and much more for our special needs adults.

We are in need of prize donations such as new or gently used stuffed animals, 2-liter pops or 6 packs, packaged individual food items like chips, trail mix, Goldfish, etc., small items/toys, or candy to put in the prize buckets at each game.

We also need volunteers to help run each booth/game. This is a highly anticipated night of fun and year-end event for our Truth Singers. We hope you can come and participate! Please talk to Scott or Annette if you'd like to help out at one of the games/booths, help serve food, or donate prizes. It's a great night to connect with the Truth Singers!



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