

Where the Music Began

Hymn Sing and Choral Scholar Fundraiser

Everything you need to know!

What, When, Where, and Why:

... A celebration of Binkley Baptist Church's 60th anniversary and fundraiser for our Choral Scholar Program

...Saturday, July 27 at 6:00 p.m. – silent auction opens at 5:30 p.m.

...Gerrard Hall: 160 E Cameron Avenue (UNC Campus)

...Facts about the Choral Scholar Program

- Our Choral Scholar Program was started 3 years ago
- Choral Scholars are college (or high school) students who sing with the Chancel choir
- Scholars receive a stipend for the program in the amount of \$1,000/semester
- Stipends are paid directly to the student's school account
- Funding for this program is outside the church budget, and depends on donations and fundraising efforts

Silent Auction:

...The silent auction will be the primary fundraiser for next year's Choral Scholars.

...Bidding opens at 5:30 p.m., 30 minutes prior to the program, and will be reopened during an intermission. We will accept cash, checks, or credit/debit cards. Payment is appreciated the night of the event, July 27.

...We are accepting items for the silent auction through Sunday, July 21. Please contact Sarah Hill-McIntyre, shcolwell@gmail.com, to donate items for the auction.

Donations toward the Choral Scholar Program:

...We will also accept monetary donations directly to the Choral Scholar Program. A suggested amount of \$60 is encouraged (since it is our 60th anniversary), but any amount is appreciated!

...There will be a table specifically for donations for you to visit before or after the program on July 27, and you may pay with cash, check, or credit/debit cards.

...You may also contact Duane Gilbert, Business Manager, business@binkleychurch.org, at any time to make a donation.

Program

...The events of the evening will include congregational hymn singing led by some of our talented members; speakers to share about those days in Gerrard Hall, including Dr. Robert Seymour and Mr. Matthew Ripley-Moffitt; music by former choral scholar Jack Carmichael; a recognition of the Lentz family for their generous gift toward the Choral Scholar Program; and an ice cream social in the courtyard following the program.

We are seeking Yeti and Igloo Max coolers to keep our ice cream cold! Please contact Libba Wells, libbawells@gmail.com, if you have a cooler that we could use that weekend.

Logistics

...You'll want to arrive around 5:30 p.m. to view the silent auction items and to get the best seats! The program begins at 6:00 p.m.

...Parking should be readily available – as there are no events at Memorial Hall and school is in summer term; all UNC parking is available. We recommend parking in the Memorial Hall parking lot. A map of available parking lots and information from UNC is included here: [Parking Information](#)

...Please follow posted instructions regarding Chapel Hill parking.

We hope that you will join us on July 27 at 6:00 p.m. in Gerrard Hall to celebrate Binkley – our legacy and our future – and to support the Choral Scholar Program, which is vital to our music ministry and church.

*Please contact Kyle Ballantine, kyle@binkleychurch.org
or the church office, office@binkleychurch.org, with any questions.*