

AMES CHILDREN'S CHOIRS ~ 2018-2019 COMPREHENSIVE SCHEDULE

Aug. 20-30	New Singer Placement Auditions (Iowa State University, 205 Music Hall)
Mon., Aug. 27 4:30-5:25 pm 5:30-6:45 pm	Prep Choir and Chorale 1st Rehearsals (CUMC Annex Auditorium, 130 S. Sheldon, Ames) Prep Choir Chorale
Tues., Aug. 28 5:30-6:30 pm 6:45-7:45 pm	Concert Choir and Singers 1st Rehearsals (CUMC Annex Auditorium, 130 S. Sheldon, Ames) Concert Choir (treble voices) Singers (three- and four-part mixed voices)
September	Open Rehearsals – Bring a Friend
Mon., Sept. 3	Labor Day - no rehearsals
Sept. 7-8 Fri. 5:00 pm – Sat. 8:00 pm	Concert Choir and Singers Fall Retreat (Riverside Bible Camp, Story City) Attire Fitting on Saturday afternoon; Parent meeting & concert at 7:00 pm
Mon., Sept. 10 5:20-5:35 pm	Prep Choir and Chorale parent meeting (CUMC Annex Auditorium)
Sat., Sept. 22 9:00-11:30	Prep Choir and Chorale Attire Fitting (CUMC Annex Hallway) 9:00-10:15 (Chorale); 10:15-11:30 (Prep Choir)
Sat., Oct. 27	Chorale Fall Tour to Cedar Falls (shared concert; informal attire)
Sun., Nov. 4 2:00-4:00 pm	Concert Choir ~ Good Neighbor Benefit Concert Bethesda Lutheran Church, 1517 Northwestern Ave, Ames
Mon., Nov. 12 4:20 pm	Prep Choir Concert (4:30-4:45 pm; return to Annex afterward for Pizza Party) (Meet at Village Cooperative of Ames, 2525 Bobcat Drive, Ames)
Tues., Nov. 13 5:30-8:30 pm	Concert Choir and Singers ~ Sigma Alpha Iota Benefit Concert performance (ISU Music Hall)
Fri., Nov. 16 8:30 am	Concert Choir ~ IMEA Performance (Scheman Bldg, ISU Center, Ames)
Nov. 18	Chorale ~ St. John's Episcopal Church Service performance 9:15 am, warm-up; 10:00 am perform
Mon., Nov. 26 TBD	ACC Holiday Concert Rehearsal (Collegiate United Methodist Church, Ames)
Tues., Nov. 27	No Concert Choir and Singers Rehearsals
Thurs., Nov. 29 TBD	ACC Holiday Concert Rehearsal + Return music (Collegiate United Methodist Church, Ames)
Sat., Dec. 1	ACC Holiday Concert (all choirs – Collegiate United Methodist Church, 2622 Lincolnway, Ames) 12:30-hair braiding, 12:45-bows/ties, 1:00-warm-up + photos, 3:00-perform, 4:15-reception
Mon., Dec. 3 5:00-5:30 pm 5:30-6:00 pm	Prep Choir and Chorale last rehearsal for semester Prep Choir (review concert – CUMC Norman Room) Chorale (review concert – CUMC Norman Room)
Tues., Dec. 4 5:30-6:30 pm 6:30-7:30 pm	Concert Choir and Singers last rehearsal for semester (pizza supper) Norman Room (both choirs) Annex Auditorium
Mon., Dec. 10 or 5:30-7:30 pm	Caroling with friends (all choirs invited) – CUMC Annex Auditorium 5:30-5:45 pm: Rehearse carols; 5:45-7:00 pm: perform; 7:15 pm return to church for refreshments
Dec. 10-Jan. 6	Winter Break – no rehearsals

January 11-15	New Singer Placement Auditions
Mon., Jan. 14 4:30-5:25 pm 5:30-6:45 pm	Prep Choir & Chorale rehearsals resume Prep Choir (CUMC Annex Auditorium) Chorale (CUMC Annex Auditorium)
Tues., Jan.15 5:30-6:30 pm 6:45-7:45 pm	Concert Choir and Singers rehearsals resume (CUMC Annex Auditorium) Concert Choir Singers
Sat., Jan. 19 9:00-10:15 am 10:15-11:30 am	Concert Choir and Singers Rehearsal Retreat (CUMC Annex Auditorium) Concert Choir Singers
Mon., Jan. 21 5:20-5:35 pm	Prep Choir and Chorale parent meeting (CUMC Annex Auditorium)
Tues., Jan. 22 6:30-6:45 pm	Concert Choir and Singers parent meeting (CUMC Annex Auditorium)
Mon., Feb. 18 4:20 pm 5:10 pm	Prep Choir Concert (4:30-4:45 pm; return to Annex afterward for rehearsal) (Meet at Accura Healthcare, 3440 Grand Avenue, Ames) Prep Choir Mini Concert for parents (last 15 min. of rehearsal, CUMC Annex Auditorium)
Feb. TBD 5:30-8:00 pm	Concert Choir and Singers ~ Sigma Alpha Iota Benefit performance (ISU Music Hall)
Sun., Feb. 24 2:30 pm	“Ames Has Talent” Fundraiser (Northminster Presbyterian Church, 1416 20 th Street, Ames)
Mon., Feb. 25 6:00-8:00pm	Concert Choir & Singers WCA Honor Choir Festival Performance (Concert @ Ogden High School, 732 W Division St, Ogden)
Sat., March 9 9-11:15 am 10-11:45 am	Prep Choir and Chorale Rehearsal Retreat (CUMC Annex Auditorium) Chorale (pizza lunch at 11:00 am) Prep Choir (pizza lunch at 11:00 am)
March 18-22	Spring Break – no rehearsals
Sun., March 31	Chorale ~ St. John’s Episcopal Church Service performance 9:15 am, warm-up; 10:00 am perform
April 6	Concert Choir ~ Meet the Composer Festival (Clinic with Josh Narverud, rehearsal, and Festival Concert @ Plymouth Congregational Church, Des Moines)
Fri., April 26 12:00-8:30 pm	Midwest Children’s Choir Festival (Stephens Auditorium, ISU, Ames) (Chorale, Concert Choir, and Singers - informal attire)
Wed., May 1 8:00-3:30	Chorale ~ School Tour (informal attire)
Mon., May 6 TBD	ACC Spring Concert Rehearsal (all choirs) (First Baptist Church, 200 Lynn Avenue, Ames)
Tues., May 7	No Concert Choir/Singers Rehearsal
Thurs., May 9 TBD	ACC Spring Concert Rehearsal + Return music (all choirs) (First Baptist Church, Ames)
Sat., May 11	ACC Spring Concert (all choirs) (First Baptist Church, 200 Lynn Avenue, Ames) (12:45-hair braiding, 1:15-bows/ties, 1:25-warm-up, 3:00-perform, 4:15-reception)
Mon. May 13 4:00-7:00 pm 4:30-6:00 pm	Prep Choir & Chorale last rehearsal + voice evaluations (CUMC basement) Norman Room Room 44
Tues. May 14 5:00-7:45 pm 6:00-6:30 pm	Concert Choir and Singers last rehearsal + voice evaluations (CUMC) Fireside Room Room 44