

**FOUNDATION SCHOOL
OF
CHURCH MUSIC**
“Our 50th Session!”

July 2 - July 7, 2017



For:
**BOYS AND GIRLS
MEN AND WOMEN**

Directed by:
**CECIL E. PRICE,
WADE PRICE,
AND STAFF**

With Emphasis on:
**SONG LEADING, MUSIC THEORY, SIGHT READING,
VOICE TRAINING, AND GROUP SINGING**

Location (and Camp Mail Address):

**TWIN OAKS RANCH
100 MARKS OVERLOOK
BUDA, TEXAS 78610**

SEND APPLICATIONS TO:

FOUNDATION SCHOOL OF CHURCH MUSIC
c/o 6501 Luckenbach Ln.
Austin, Texas 78729
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WHY A SINGING SCHOOL?

There is no over-estimating the importance of good congregational singing. Not only should Christians strive to improve the quality of their worship, but good singing is a vital tool in the evangelistic purpose of the church. We are commanded to teach and admonish by song (Col. 3:16). **By training your song leaders, future leaders, or those who are simply interested in bettering themselves as singers, we will help your congregation have better singing.**

PURPOSE

The Foundation School of Church Music has been contributing to better singing in the churches of Christ for more than 45 years. The objectives of the first session are still before the teachers today:

- ◇ Have better singing in our assemblies, and provide good singing for weddings, funerals, and special occasions.
- ◇ Train experienced and inexperienced song leaders.
- ◇ Enable church leaders and potential teachers so that they can equip their home congregations (including music theory, voice, special groups, and song leading).
- ◇ Provide training in music theory for beginners through experienced song writers, encouraging them to write spiritual music.
- ◇ Have a lot of fun practicing, learning, and singing praises to our Lord

Time is provided for practice, learning how to select songs for all occasions, and how to use the voice, face, and hands effectively when leading and directing singing.

STAFF

We are blessed to have an excellent teaching staff, including: *John Connel, Cecil Price, Cheryl Price, Laura Price Miller, Wade Price, Nathan Wight and Caleb Blakeney.* Each of these instructors love to sing and love to teach!!

WHO MAY ATTEND?

All students 11 years and older (under 11 must have special permission) that are genuinely interested in music and song leading. Adults are especially encouraged to attend. This may well be **the best week of your life!**

WHAT IS TAUGHT?

Sight Reading, Song Leading, Fundamentals of Music, Voice, Harmony, Composition, How To Teach Singing, Finale and other things relating to these subjects are taught. Students also enjoy chorus work, and special groups such as trios, quartets, etc.

WHAT ABOUT MEALS AND LODGING?

We are blessed to have great cooks that are willing to work with our school. The meals taste great, and are good for you, also. You will change your idea about “camp food” forever!

Students will lodge in air-conditioned dorms and will need to bring bedding, etc. Married couples who want to room together must bring their motor home or trailer, or commute from a nearby town. Please notify us in advance if you will need R.V. space.

WHAT SHOULD YOU BRING?

Students need to bring a love for singing and a desire to learn. Also, please bring Bible, bedding, including pillow, personal toiletries, flashlight, towels for bathing and swimming, modest clothing (including swimsuit) for the week, plus a nicer outfit for the program on Friday. (**NOTE:** No clothing with suggestive phrases. No tank tops. Closed-toe shoes for recreation periods.)

WILL YOU FIT IN?

YES! There are classes for everyone, from beginners through advanced students. FSCM is attended by all ages—boys, girls, men and women. Friendships are made that will last a lifetime.

We do reserve the right to dismiss, without refund, any student who will not conform to school policies.

ATTENDANCE

Parents: Please do not remove students from the camp for the day. They miss the instruction and lessons given in the classes and in the assemblies. It is very difficult to catch up when our time is so short.

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Application

(Minimum age for students not accompanied by parent is 11)

July 2—July 7th, 2017

Please Enroll:

Home Church:

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State/zip _____
Phone _____
E-Mail _____

Name _____
Address _____
City _____ State/zip _____
E-Mail _____

_____ Enclosed please find \$50 deposit. _____ Enclosed please find \$250 (\$275 after May 1)
_____ FSCM has my permission to use pictures of my child to be shared in print and on the website.
Camp T-Shirt Pre-Order! Add \$10.00/shirt. Circle Size - Youth: M L XL Adult: S M L XL 2X 3X

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MEDICAL INFORMATION FORM - Foundation School of Church Music

Please Print. All information is requested to assist FSCM in using appropriate care for participants and is confidential.

Name _____ Date of Birth _____ Age _____
Parent or Guardian: _____ Phone: Home (____) _____
Cell (____) _____
Emergency Contact: _____ Phone (____) _____
Family Doctor: _____ Phone (____) _____
Insurance Information:
Carrier: _____ Policy/Group # _____

Medical History:

Medical conditions or restrictions: _____
Medical Allergies: _____
Food/Other Allergies: _____
Glasses/Contacts: _____ Date of last Tetanus Shot: _____
Any other information needed for medical care: _____
Medications: List all currently being taken 1 _____ 3 _____
2 _____ 4 _____

**All medicines must be in original containers and checked with the nurse.
Please do not bring 'over-the-counter' medicines. The nurse will have most any type needed for common ailments.**

Please check which OTC medications can be given if needed: _____ Acetaminophen _____ Ibuprofen _____ Calamine Lotion _____ Benadryl
_____ Neosporin _____ Antacids _____ Isopropyl Alcohol or Hydrogen Peroxide (for cleaning wounds)

While school directors and staff may be expected to provide reasonable care, I hereby agree not to hold them or the school or campground liable for any injuries or accidents or medical expenses that may be incurred during or on the way to and from FSCM. I/we will never bring legal action against Twin Oaks Ranch or the Foundation School of Church Music. Permission is hereby given for _____ to receive emergency medical treatment at the most readily available licensed medical facility with the advice of competent medical authority.

Parent or guardian _____ Address _____

I give _____ permission to swim while at camp.

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WHAT IS THE DAILY SCHEDULE?

School begins each morning with breakfast at 7:30. At 8:30 we meet for a devotional and begin learning. Instruction continues throughout the morning. Afternoon session begins at 1:00 (after a one hour break for lunch) and continues until 4:00. Supper is at 6:00. Students return at 7:00 p.m. for sight reading and general singing practice (the public is invited). The school closes with a **special program on Friday evening July 7th at 7:00 p.m. with the students, staff, and guests.** This is a longstanding tradition of our school, and is a great time of singing together.

WHEN SHOULD YOU ARRIVE?

You should arrive between 3:00 and 6:00 PM on Sunday, June 28. The first camp meal is served at 6:00 PM. Transportation from the Austin-Bergstrom Airport can be provided with advance notice.

WHERE?

Our school will meet at Twin Oaks Ranch, just outside of Buda, Texas. This is only twenty minutes south of Austin. Please call for directions or check our website www.foundmusic.org for information.

WHAT IS THE COST?

The cost for this week is small, both in comparison to other music schools, and in comparison to what the student will receive. Lessons learned here can and do have an impact on the good the student can do for the cause of Christ. The cost of tuition, room, board, and supplies is **\$250 (\$275 after May 1)**. Pitch pipes will be available at additional cost.

HOPE TO SEE YOU THERE!!

