



# 2024 FALL & WINTER NEWSLETTER

LET'S RECAP



# THE JOB STORY

CHM Bible Theatre's Dinner Theatre brought together talented youth and adults to present the Job Story. It was an emotional, captivating, and heartfelt light dinner theatre event centred around Job's question, 'God, why all this suffering?' with a powerful display of God's restoration. The dinner turned out to be a complete success with 30% more attendees than expected.

## Rehearsal Pictures



## Event Pictures



# TURKEY GIVEAWAY

Collaborated with the The Heart Strong Food Pantry to host a Turkey Giveaway



## FALL TREATS



Made a stand at our location where we gave away treats and encouraged sign ups for our youth programs to help our community to grow!

# "THE *Christmas* STORY"

"For Unto Us a Child is Born." - *Isaiah 9: 6*

## **CHM Bible Theatre Dinner Theatre**

CHM Bible Theatre's elegant Dinner Theater, a 'Black-Tie Event' Christmas Gala, gave attendees the chance to dress up and enjoy good food, fellowship, a live band, Christmas carols, guest speakers, video presentations, gifts, and a play about the true Christmas story. This annual fundraiser helps support our youth programs, cover operational costs, and maintain our new space.

The event was such a huge success that an additional performance was offered free for the community to attend.



# OUR PARTNERS

The Heart Strong Grocery Store  
Stevie Jay Broadcasting  
Neighborhood Connections  
University of Illinois  
Windsor Road Christian Church  
Great News Radio  
WBGL  
ACTSO  
Midwest Believers  
Illinois Soul  
First Christian Church  
CU Church  
Urbana First UMC  
Church of the Living God  
Meadow Brook Community Church  
Private Schools, and Corporations

More partnerships under development

If you would like to partner or sponsor  
please reach out to us!

# UPCOMING EVENTS

**Free Community Event for Black History Month**  
Open House, Painting, Music, Black Activist Readings  
February 22, 1pm

**He's Alive! - Easter Play**  
Saturday, April 12th, 5pm  
Sunday, April 13th, 3pm  
Good Friday, April 18th, 7pm

**Youth Talent Show Fundraiser: We've Got Talent!**  
Saturday, May 31st, 3pm

If you are looking to participate in our upcoming events or would like to register your youth for our programs, please sign-up online or contact us. We are always recruiting and always have programs and events available!

CHM Bible Theatre  
PRESENTS...

*The Resurrection*

**HE'S ALIVE!**

*"If you are looking for Jesus, He is not here, for He has risen, just like He said He would. Come, see the place where He lay." - Matthew 28:6*

**CASTING CALL!**

Actors/Actresses needed for our April performances!

Auditions will be held on, Friday, February 7th, 4-6pm Saturday, February 8th & 15th, 1-4pm, Monday, February 10th, 4-6pm and Wednesday, February 12th, 4-6pm. All ages are welcome to audition.

For more information please contact us at 217-407-3022 or email us at [chmbibletheater@outlook.com](mailto:chmbibletheater@outlook.com) or visit our website at [chmbibletheatre.org](http://chmbibletheatre.org)

# HOW CAN YOU HELP?

Your donations will help us purchase a van to provide transportation for youth to attend our afterschool programs and summer art camps, operational expenses, purchase professional costumes, lighting, sound and stage equipment, software, props, hire additional staff to assist with all programs and events as well as maintain our theater space and community events. Our goal is to raise \$150,000 by the end of 2025.

Please consider donating your time, treasure and talents. We need your help to meet our goals. Will you join our community?



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Thank you for your ongoing support  
and generosity.

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