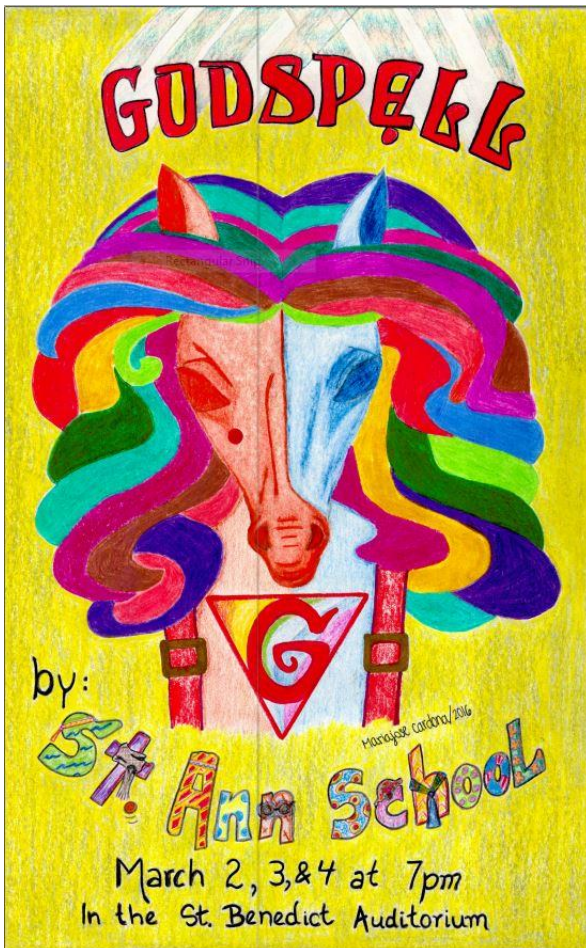


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ST BENEDICT THEATRE



March 2, 3, 4, 2016

ST BENEDICT HIGH SCHOOL THEATRE

8250 Varnavas Drive, Cordova, TN

St. Ann Bartlett's
Production of
Godspell

Originally Adapted and Produced for the New York Stage by
Edgar Lansbury, Stuart Duncan, Joseph Beruh

Originally Conceived and Directed by
John-Michael Tebelak

Music and New Lyrics by
Stephen Schwartz

A NOTE FROM THE DIRECTOR...

Godspell is a miracle. The show started out as John-Michael Tebelak's master's in fine arts thesis project at Carnegie Mellon University in 1970. It then chanced into a two-week run at an experimental theater in New York City. On closing night of that run, the man who would go on to write the music for *Pippin* and *Wicked*, Stephen Schwartz, saw the show and was inspired to write some new songs for it. He put those together in four weeks, and the show opened at the off-Broadway Cherry Lane Theater, and from there this unconventional, quirky little show would quickly go on to conquer Broadway and the world. (Please read *The Godspell Experience*, available on Kindle. It really is an amazing story.)

The miracle that is this show has recurred thousands of times in thousands of places over the 45 years of its existence. It is this simple, flexible, customizable package that you can adapt to your situation. The show can be performed by 10 people on a bare stage with costumes they find around the house, if necessary. We know from *Finding Neverland* that theater people "dream on a budget", and this show's budget-friendly appeal makes it ubiquitous. My daughter Mary Faith and my assistant director Michael Robinson were in it several years ago when Mrs. Paulson produced it at St. Ann. My husband was in it when he was my son's age. We are happy to be working with our Band Director, John Angotti. And he has been in it, as well as several other parents and teachers at St Ann. It is a box for every stage actor to check, because it is such a blast to perform. It is this vine that travels and spreads each year. The miraculous thing is, the seeds in this vine hold the good news of Jesus. Hiding in plain sight between the smiles and the laughs of the show are His teachings. When we were kids, years before we met each other, my husband and I both had our religious development inspired by this show, and now we are thrilled to find ourselves introducing it to a new generation of kids in the cast, the crew, and the audience.

St. Ann is a wonderful place for children's religious and academic development to take place. I am so grateful to the administration and the Home and School for supporting this project, and enabling the students to have an opportunity to perform. You hear a lot about STEM in child development, but with this Religious Art project, we are putting the "R" and the "A" in STREAM. St. Benedict High School also has our eternal gratitude for lending us their theater and support for several years now. The parents, as always, have been awesome in their willingness to volunteer their time, talents, and treasure, but the real treasure is the children, who have risen to this challenge in a way that I can't wait for you to see. Thank you so much for coming to see our show. You'll find, like we have, that it will keep coming back in to your life every now and then. (The movie version runs every Easter Sunday morning on AMC!) Let's go forth and let this show inspire our development. Day by day by day by day by day!

Stacey Peeney
Director

CAST

Jesus.....Alex Crews

John the Baptist/Judas.....Madeline Cummins

Apostles.....Tre Angotti
Judith Dixon
Camden Francavilla
Maria Githinji
Phoebe Jarvis
Katy Marquette
Gabby Pence
Penny Rosenberg
Grace Rye
Cheyenne Sanders
Luke Trouy
Colin Zazzara

Parable Players.....Abigail Adams, John-Robert Adams,
Ayo Adebiji, Brandon Bader,
Isabella Baker, Meghan Bayani,
Mariajose Cardona, Natalie Cardone,
Michaela Crews, Alyssa de Jong,
Brianna Duhart, Ryan Geiger,
Shawn Glasscock, William Harris,
Elise Horton, Raphael Jamias,
Marisa Mata, Ellie McGhee,
Juanita Perez, Aubrey Townsend



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Please silence all cellphones during the performance.

GODSPELL
SONG LISTING

Act One:

Prepare Ye.....*John the Baptist (soloist),
Apostles, Parable Players*

God Save the People.....*Jesus (soloist),
John the Baptist, Apostles*

Day by Day.....*Katy (soloist),
Jesus, John the Baptist, Apostles*

Learn Your Lessons Well..... *Gabby (soloist),
Jesus, John the Baptist, Apostles*

O Bless the Lord, my Soul.....*Camden (soloist),
Jesus, John the Baptist, Apostles, Parable Players*

All for the Best.....*Jesus, John the Baptist (soloists),
Apostles*

All Good Gifts..... *Tre (soloist),
Jesus, John the Baptist, Apostles*

Light of the World.....*Penny, Phoebe (soloists),
Jesus, John the Baptist, Apostles*

END OF ACT ONE – FIFTEEN MINUTE INTERMISSION

Act Two:

*Beautiful City.....Colin (soloist),
Jesus, John the Baptist, Apostles, Parable Players*

*Turn Back O Man.....Judith (soloist),
Jesus, John the Baptist, Apostles*

*We Beseech Thee.....Luke (soloist),
Jesus, John the Baptist, Apostles, Parable Players*

*By My Side.....Maria (soloist),
Jesus, John the Baptist, Apostles*

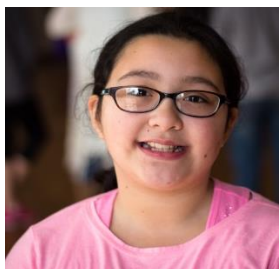
Day By Day Reprise..... Jesus, John the Baptist, Apostles

On the Willows.....John Angotti, Michael Robinson

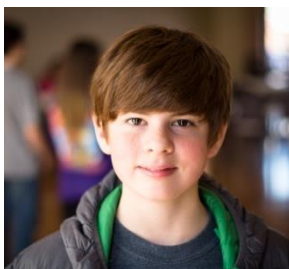
Day by Day (BOWS).....Ensemble

*Finale.....Jesus (soloist),
Jesus, John the Baptist, Apostles*

WHO'S WHO IN THE CAST



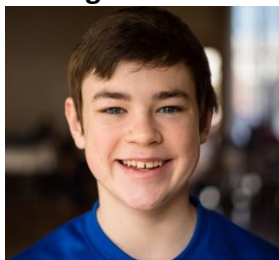
Abigail Adams



John-Robert Adams



Ayo Adebisi



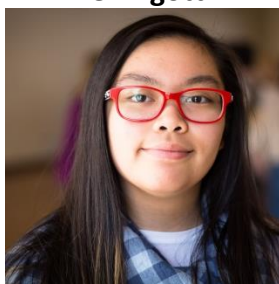
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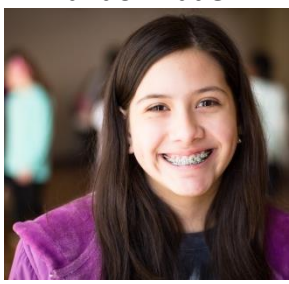
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Isabella Baker



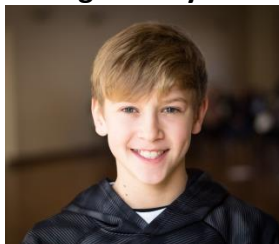
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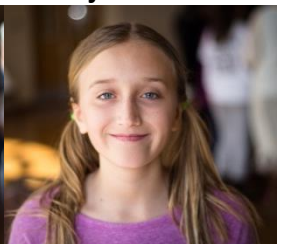
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Natalie Cardone



Alex Crews

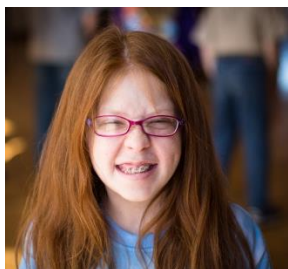


Michaela Crews

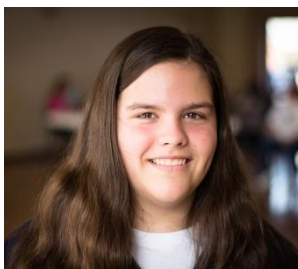


Madeline Cummins

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Alyssa de Jong



Judith Dixon



Brianna Duhart



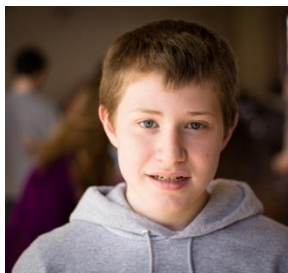
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Ryan Geiger



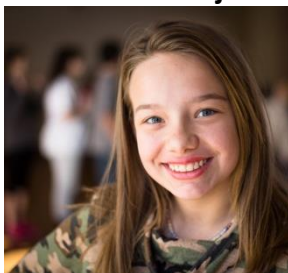
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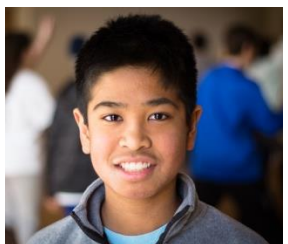
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William Harris



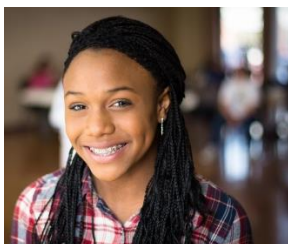
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Raphael Jamias



Phoebe Jarvis



Katy Marquette

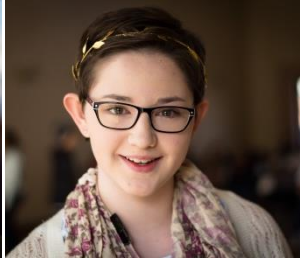
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Marisa Mata



Ellie McGhee



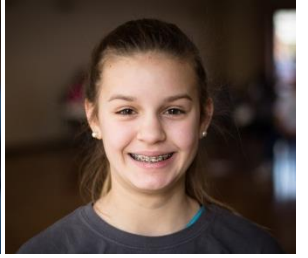
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Grace Rye



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Aubrey Townsend

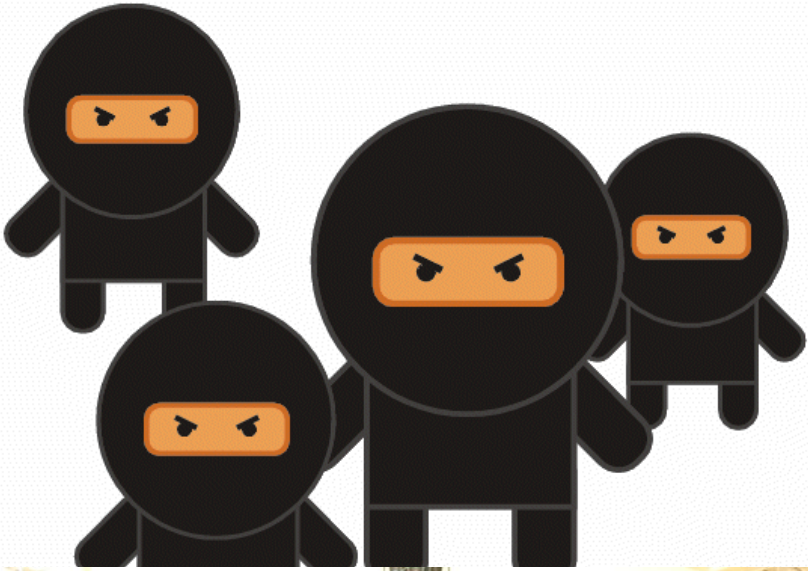


Luke Trouy



Colin Zazzara

BACKSTAGE NINJAS



Top Row: Philip Speering, Ashlyn Cook, Brandon Stevens

Bottom Row: Jason Lewis, Natalia Gomez (Head Ninja), Joseph Gibson

Production

Director.....Stacey Peeney

Assistant Directors.....Mike Peeney, Michael Robinson

Band Director.....John Angotti

Set Construction.....Sam Trouy

Audio.....Jacob Massie

Volunteer Coordinator.....Teresa Massie

Ticket Sales.....Jamie Sanders, Selina Trouy, Wanda Sexton

Program Coordinator.....Angela de Jong

Costuming Seamstress.....Linda Liddell

Show Week Catering Coordinator.....Jamie Sanders

Program and Shirt Art..... Mariajose Cardona

Godspell Band.....John Angotti-keyboards, Jason Dyer-drums,
Jonathon Neal-bass, Grady Gambrell-guitar, Joseph Ferrante-guitar

Head Backstage Ninja.....Natalia Gomez

Backstage Ninjas..... Philip Speering, Brandon Stevens, Jason Lewis,
Joseph Gibson, Ashlyn Cook

Stage Manager.....Jonathan Baker

There are also many parents and teachers, too numerous to mention, who volunteered their time to sell tickets, move sets, maintain order at rehearsals, and perform many other tasks to bring this show to the stage. We thank them all.

We wish to thank Ryan Kathman and the teachers and students of St. Benedict High School for their ongoing support and assistance with our productions.

**Mariajose,
Congratulations!! You always do the best
you can and we are so proud of you!**

**Love,
Papi, Mami, Lala, Cucu and Bocce**

Congratulations Grace Rye!

Let your light shine!

We love you very much!

Mom, Dad, Gabriel, & MaryKate!

**"Break a leg, Judy! We are so
proud of you! Play it, Honey!**

**Love Always - Mom, Dad,
Phoebe and Floyd"**

**Alyssa, you are amazing! Remember that
the greatest pleasure in life is doing what
others say you cannot do! Keep it up!**

Love you tons!

Mom, Dad and Luca

**Buena Suerte, Marisa!
Looking forward to another fabulous
performance.
Keep shooting for the stars, on and
off stage.
Break a leg! We love you!**

La familia Mata

**Congratulations William!
We are so proud of you!**

Love,

Mom, Dad, & Robert

Be Salt and Light!

Matthew 5:13-16

**Way to go Raphael. We are so
proud of you.**

Love,

Mom, Dad & Lance

**Let's hear it for JESUS! Yes,
it's all for the BEST!**

Love, Mom, Dad, Sophia & Michaela

We're so proud of you, Ellie!

Love, Mom, Dad, and LC

Bravo to the cast, crew and director's for all your time and talents to entertain us and sing this message of hope.

We are so proud of you Tre and have enjoyed your theater performances at St Ann since the 5th grade. We love you and look forward to how you will entertain us the next 4 years.

Dad, Mom, and Dominica

SHAWN GLASSCOCK

We are so proud of you! And we love our sweet thespian! Good luck at CBHS!

Love Mom, Dad, and Liam

MICHAELA CREWS- we are so proud of you in your St Ann production debut! Come sing about Love! You're fabulous!

Love, Mom, Dad, Sophia & Alex

Congratulations Phoebe!

We are so proud of the young lady you've become and we love you to the moon and back times infinity!

Mama, Daddy, Gabriel, Coco, and Mouse

Way to go Luke! You never cease to entertain and amaze us!! We are so proud of you!

Love Mom, Dad, Sam and Thomas

Good luck Brandon Bader, Now don't break the other leg!!

Love Dad, Mom, and Sis.

**Let your light so shine before
men: Congratulations to Jesus, JTB, the
Apostles and Parable Players!**

Break a leg, ALEX and MICHAELA!

-The Crews Family

Congratulations Gabby!

**"All the world's a stage, And all the men and women
merely players; They have their exits and their
entrances, And one man in his time plays many parts"**

**- William Shakespeare
From "As You Like It"**

Meghan

**You are a star and we are all proud of
you!!**

Love

Dad, Mom, Kaya and Coal

Camden Francavilla

Break a leg, kiddo!

We love you!

Mom, Dad & Alex

Natalie, you are our STAR!

**We love you and are proud
of you.**

Mom, Dad and Joey

Penny Lane,

**Another spectacular performance in the books! You are our
beautiful shining star. We are so very proud of you! Have fun
out there and break a leg!**

Love,

**Mom, Dad x 2, Rosie, Love Asteroid, Cheese, Chainsaw Bits and
Berlioz**

Aubrey,

Break a leg baby! Just not another foot

We love you!

Mom and Chris, Dad and Erin, and all the
grandparents!

Cheyenne

**No words can express how proud of you we all are.
Everything you do continues to surprise and amaze us.**

Have a wonderful show.

We love you

Mom, Dad
Paula, Billy
Becky, Robert

**Congratulations on a fabulous performance,
Colin! We are so proud of all your work and
dedication! Thank you for using your God given
talent to praise HIM.**

We love you,

Dad, Mom, Andrew, Keke, Kyle, Joey & Nana. 

**Dear Ayo, We are proud of
you. Congratulations!**

-Dr. & Mrs. Adebisi

Katy Marquette



**I'm so proud of you are my shining
star!**

Love Mom

**Mom and Dad are so proud of you
Elise!**

**We love you. Best Wishes & Have
Fun.**

Love, Mom, Dad, and Luke

**We are so proud of you John-Robert,
have FUN!**

Love-

**Mama, Dad, Emma-Rae, Grandma, &
David**

**I love you Izzy! Have a great
show.**

Love,

Mom & Jonathan

Maria,

I love you sweetie! Break a leg.

Love,

Mom, Dad, Becky & Bee

**Abigail Adams,
Enjoy!
Love Mom and Dad**

**Brianna, we are so proud of you.
We LOVE you Anna Bear...
Mommy, Daddy, Benise, Granny &
Gramps, MeMaw & PePaw!!!!**

**Ryan,
Our rising star ! Shine brightly!
Love,
Mom, Dad, Dominic, Ellen, Coco, Sam,
Granma, Popi, Jake, Caitlin, and Emma.**

Madeline Cummins

We are so proud of you!

Good luck, have fun and shine bright!

Love,

Mom, Dad, Dylan and Sadie

"Good luck Juanita!

Congrats!"

- Mom & Dad

***Godspell* cast, crew and directors!**

**You have all done a wonderful job and I'm so
excited for everyone to see you all shine!**

Principal Borkowski

GODSPELL

Rectangular Snip

To the Cast & Crew...

Congratulations on all of your hard work!

You make me proud
to be part of the St. Ann Family.



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2059 S. Houston Levee Rd. – Collierville. Traditional location!

From the cast and crew ...

BRAVO and BRAVA!

We give a standing ovation and deep thanks to Stacey Peeney, Mike Peeney, and Michael Robinson for your dedication to the production of our show **GODSPELL.**

