



S.C.S. Players' Newsletter

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WELCOME TO THE SCS PLAYERS 56th SEASON

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Hello and welcome to our 56th Season. This season we are going to bring to the stage the comedy “**The Charitable Sisterhood of the Second Trinity Victory Church**” for our Winter production, and the Agatha Christie murder mystery “**The Mysterious Affair at Styles**” for our Spring production. The St. Clair Shores Players will continue the tradition of producing a variety of plays, from serious to comedy, realistic life to fantasy, with the intention of entertaining the public and giving them a glimpse of another life for a little while.

The St. Clair Shores Players have a Facebook and Twitter account. We are gaining more

followers wanting updates on play productions.

If you know someone who would like to become a member of the St. Clair Shores Players contact Matthew Sheehy at mattsheehy@yahoo.com. You can also go to our website to view past plays , and learn about our theater group at WWW.SCSPLAYERS.ORG

There are a variety of ways you can help to bring a play to the stage. Besides acting, there's the props person who is in charge of the gathering and placing the props for the play on stage, Lights who is responsible for operating the lighting board, Sound get the

music for the play together, and if you're interested in reading plays to be produced you could become a part of the play reading committee.



Make them laugh, make them cry, and back to laughter. What do people go to the theatre for? An emotional exercise. I am a servant of the people. I have never forgotten that.
 — Mary Pickford

You are Invited

To the performance of

The Charitable Sisterhood of the Second Trinity Victory Church

Friday and Saturday, January 22nd & 23rd

And January 29th & 30th

Doors open at 7:30 pm

Curtain 8:00 pm

Good Shepherd United Methodist Church

Harper Ave. between 13 Mile and Masonic, SCS



From the Director - Mario Razo

Hello Everyone,

The Sisterhood is chugging along. A great big thank you to **Pat and Matt Sheehy** for getting the needed flats out of storage. We now just need to arrange to get them painted.

December was a great but abbreviated month. The Women of the Sisterhood have done an **AMAZING** job with the blocking and learning their lines. We are even starting to work with props almost 4 weeks before opening!

We still need more "Donations" for the junk pile, so please bring your bags of stuff to the Church on either Monday or Wednesday (between 7:30 and 9:00pm) and we can add to our already substantial pile of things.

The year 2016 is here and with it comes our Winter production of "The Charitable Sisterhood of the Second Victory Trinity Church." I hope to see you all there and remember, your membership in the SCSP entitles you to see this production free of charge!

Thank you,
Mario I. Razo (Director)

Renew Your Membership

Now is the time to show your continued support for the SCS Players and renew your membership for the 2015 - 2016 season. Single memberships are only \$20.00 and families are \$30.00. Make your checks payable to "SCS Players" and mail it in care of Mario Razo, Membership Committee Chairperson. You can also pay your dues at any General Membership Meeting.

Here are a few things to remember

about memberships. Single members are for anyone 18 years of age and up. Family Memberships include you, your spouse (husband or wife) and your children. Family memberships **DO NOT** include grandparents, aunts, uncles, cousins and/or boyfriends/girlfriends. Rollover membership are only available to **NEW** members (those who have **never** belong to the group in the past) who join after the Winter show has

ended. Rollover memberships are not available to current or returning SCS Players.

[Mail your 2015 - 2016 membership dues check to:](#)

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The SCS Players Annual Holiday Party



Everyone enjoyed themselves at the St. Clair Shores Players Christmas Gala on Saturday December 12th. This year we decided to have a potluck dinner at the church and it was a great success! We had a variety of tasty side dishes to go with the turkey and ham. There were potatoes, Mac & cheese, different kinds of salads, vegetables, appetizers, refreshments, and desserts. The exchanging of gifts was fun and mysterious as each person that brought a gift had to choose a wrapped gift not knowing what was inside. Everyone had a great time sharing food and conversations in a relaxed atmosphere. Watch for information about the St. Clair Shores Players Annual Red Party in February. We hope to see everyone there. (Please see the **Photo Play** section of this newsletter for photos from the event.)

Scott Smith (Social Chair)

A Few Words from the President

Hello Everyone!

Welcome to 2016!

Speaking of 2016... this is going to be a BIG year for the SCSP. Why? Well, we are planning to stage **three** productions between January and November... 3 shows in 11 months... if that's not a BIG year for the SCSP, I surely don't know what is. The three show, in case you forgot, are **The**

Charitable Sisterhood of the Second Trinity Victory Church (January 2016), **The Mysterious Affair at Styles** (May 2016) and (*assuming we can finally make it happen*) **Godspell** (November 2016). If we can pull this off, it be the first time in more than 10 years that the SCSP Players have had 3 productions up in a single year (for about the first 40 years of the group, we did a Winter,

Spring and Fall show all in the same calendar year). So this going to be a big year and a big challenge. But I think we can do it. What we need is for everyone to get involved and we can certainly get there. Please tell your friends and family what we have planned and invite them to get involved too! Get the word out! Thanks!

Matthew Sheehy (President)

UPCOMING AUDITIONS


**AGATHA CHRISTIE'S
THE
MYSTERIOUS
AFFAIR
AT
STYLES**

A MYSTERY ADAPTED BY
DAVID HANSEN

MAY 13,14,&20, 21, 2016

GOOD SHEPHERD UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
31601 HARPER AVENUE
ST CLAIR SHORES, MI 48082-1403

DOORS AT 7:30PM
CURTAIN AT 8:00PM



Agatha Christie's

The Mysterious Affair at Styles

Adapted by David Hansen

Directed by Pat Sheehy

Audition Dates:

- Wednesday, February 17, 2016
- Thursday, February 18, 2016

Audition Time:

- 7:00 - 9:00 pm

Audition Location:

Good Shepherd United Methodist Church
Harper Avenue between 13 Mile and Masonic,
SCS

Open Audition! All Are welcome!
Hope to see you all there!



The Charitable Sisterhood of the Second Trinity Victory Church

Comedy
by
Bo Wilson

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Join us for our Winter 2016 Production...

January 22, 23, 29 & 30, 2016

Doors open at 7:30 pm

Curtain 8:00 pm

Good Shepherd United Methodist Church

Harper Ave. between 13 Mile and Masonic, SCS



Photo Play

Christmas Gala Dinner

Saturday, December 12, 2015

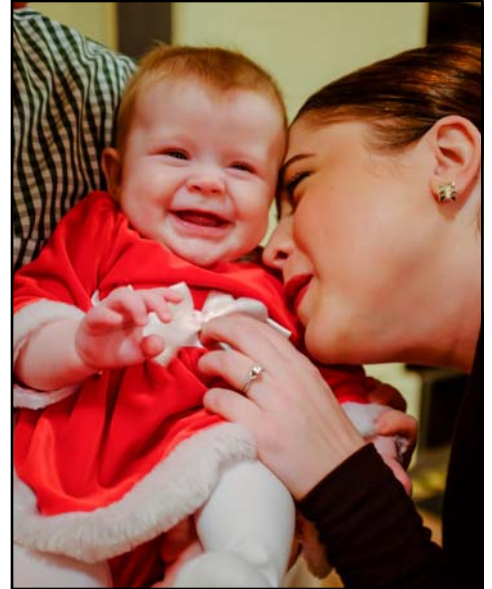




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Thank you Scott & Kathy Smith!



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The St. Clair Shores Players

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Since 1959*

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Mission Statement

The St. Clair Shores Players is a non-profit community theater group serving the city of St. Clair Shores and the surrounding environs. The SCS Players seek to provide a quality live theater experience to the community and also to provide an outlet for local talent in the production of these plays.

Membership to this group is open to anyone interested in furthering the purpose of the group (you do not need to be a citizen of the city of St. Clair Shores).

The SCS Players have, since the group formed in 1959, always held open casting calls for its productions. If you've got talent and the desire to be in a play or helping in some other capacity we are interested in having you as a member of our group.

Upcoming Events—MARK YOUR CALENDAR!

01/05/2016—Board of Directors Meeting—7:30pm at the Church

01/12/2016—General Membership Meeting—7:30pm at the Church

1/22-23/16 Opening Weekend for The Charitable Sisterhood of the Second Trinity Victory Church—curtain 8:00 pm.

1/29-30/16 The Charitable Sisterhood of the Second Trinity Victory Church—curtain 8:00 pm

02/02/2016—Board of Directors Meeting—7:30pm at the Church

02/13/2016—Social Event— Details

02/17/2016—Auditions for The

Mysterious Affair at Styles-7:00 to 9:00pm at the Church

02/18/2016—Auditions for The Mysterious Affair at Styles-7:00 to 9:00pm at the Church

03/01/2016—Board of Directors Meeting—7:30pm at the Church

04/05/2016—Board of Directors Meeting—7:30pm at the Church

05/03/2016—Board of Directors Meeting—7:30pm at the Church

05/13—05/21-The Mysterious Affair At Styles—Curtain 8:00 pm

06/12/2016—End of Season Picnic

