



MTVA
Middle Tennessee Vocal Association

2024-2025 MTVA Freshman Honor Choir

When: Thursday, January 23, 2025

Snow Date: Thursday, January 30, 2025

Where: Belle Aire Baptist Church
1307 N Rutherford Blvd.
Murfreesboro, TN 37130

Event Chairperson: Rose Hellmers | rose.hellmers@wcs.edu | rose.hellmers@gmail.com

Conductors/Accompanists:

SATB - Dr. G. Preston Wilson, Fisk University

Mrs. Brenda Williams, Accompanist

SSA - Dr. Lauren Ramey, ETSU

Mrs. Mary Braschler, Accompanist

Tentative Event Schedule:

8:30 – 9:00 a.m. **Registration**

9:15 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. **Rehearsal 1**

Freshman SATB Choir – Sanctuary

Freshman SSA Choir – Choir Room (2nd Floor)

12:15 p.m. – 1:30 p.m. **Lunch (On own)**

1:30 p.m. – 5 p.m. **Rehearsal 2**

Freshman SSA Choir – Sanctuary

Freshman SATB Choir – Choir Room (2nd Floor)

Sound Checks during Rehearsal 2:

3:30 p.m. – 4:15 p.m. – Freshman SSA on stage/SATB in Choir Room

4:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. – Freshman SATB on stage/SSA in Choir Room

5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. **Dinner (On own)**

6:00 p.m. **Call Time in Concert Dress**

6:30 p.m. **Freshman SSA Concert**

7:00 p.m. **Freshman SATB Concert**

7:30 p.m. **All Clear**

Audition Repertoire: *Ave Maria* (Arcadelt). All Freshmen will sing this entire piece and will be required to sight-read using the same process as the 10-12th Grade Students.

*Audio files for audition selection, sight-reading samples, and a PDF of the audition piece can be found at: <https://www.mtva.org/midstate-allstate>

**To audition, students must be enrolled in a high school choral program or equivalent.

Audition Dates: October 18-19

Registration and fees due September 13 (postmarked by Sep 20). \$10 audition fee per student.