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Ministry Arts Thriving at Bethany College!

Ministry Arts has always been an important component of the program at Bethany College! From the foundation-building ministry of Jacob K. Schroeder in the 60's and the enthusiasm of Henry Peters in the 70's, to Phil Siebert's long tenure in the 80's, 90's and 2000's, and most recently, the vision of Paul Woodburn – the Arts have always been and continue to remain a vital part of the heart of Bethany.

Students in today's world need to know how to communicate appropriately within a variety of contexts. Through our Ministry Arts program, students learn the art of communication in various forms. Training in the arts changes the way students view life and interactions within our world. As we look forward to the arrival of our 2012-13 student body, we are eager to see the skills and strengths that they will bring to the area of the arts this year!



Susan J Schmidt Goerz

We are pleased to announce that **Susan J Schmidt Goerz** will be leading the Ministry Arts Department this year as our **Interim Ministry Arts Director**. Susan has been at Bethany for twenty years, serving in various areas of music and drama, mentoring and inspiring young adults for excellence in all areas of life! We are thrilled that she is taking on this role, and we look forward to her continued input into many students' lives! Her passion for this important ministry will continue to bring quality and inspiration to the Ministry Arts at Bethany College.

The new school year is already ramping up with auditions beginning as students arrive on campus this long weekend! They will be vying for positions on our various Ministry Teams and for a role in our Fall Theatre production, "The Hiding Place." We are thrilled to announce that, due to having sold out two of our three performances, we have opened up another evening performance on Thursday, November 1st. If you haven't already purchased tickets for this event, do not wait, as they are going fast!



Susan with last year's Ministry Arts Team – The Bethany Players

Bethany College staff and faculty are excited to see what the 2012-13 school year will hold! For a list of events and activities, from Ministry Arts to Athletics, please check our website at www.bethany.sk.ca!

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