

1. We begin rehearsals this Tuesday for CONSIDERING MATTHEW SHEPARD, which will be two collaborative performances with Park Church Grand Rapids. The Grand Rapids performance will be on Saturday afternoon, February 25 at Park Church. The Holland performance will be Sunday afternoon, February 26 at Holland Armory. Both performances will be at 3:30 PM.
2. Winter Conference will be Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, January 15-17.
3. Because of circumstances beyond our control, we've had to alter the rehearsal schedule somewhat. Specifically, here's our production week schedule:
 - a. Instrumental Rehearsal (no choirs, but singers are welcome to sit in if desired) on Saturday, February 18, 9:30 AM – 12:00 noon at Park Church
 - b. Bonus Rehearsal on Sunday, February 19, 2:00-5:00 PM at Park Church
 - c. Holland Dress Rehearsal on Tuesday, February 21, 6:30-9:30 PM at Holland Armory.
 - d. Grand Rapids Dress Rehearsal on Thursday, February 23, 6:30-9:30 PM at Park Church
 - e. Grand Rapids performance Saturday February 25: 2:30 call / 3:00 doors open / 3:30 performance
 - f. Holland performance Sunday, February 26 (same schedule as GR)
4. We will welcome two new singers: Kim Tyler, a very gifted soprano, and her son Bryce, a young baritone. Both study privately with Nicholas Loren. Returning to the Chorale is Isabel Bos, previously a high school scholar and taking a semester off from Peabody Conservatory of Music. Both Bryce and Isabel will be on student scholarships.
5. Artistic Committee will meet at my house on Sunday, February 5 at 6:30 PM.