

## **RECITAL DETAILS -- PLEASE READ ALL VERY CAREFULLY**

### **Beautiful Feet Academy of the Dance Arts Spring Recital 2017 "Sonshine" "[Jesus] face shone like the sun..." Matthew 17:2**

Our dress rehearsal will be held at Highland Park Community Church on Thursday, May 18th (schedule attached). The actual recital will be Sunday, May 21st at 2PM.

Advance tickets to the Recital are available. Please see Miss Mary to purchase advance tickets, or call her at 237-2880. There is a \$6 charge for tickets to the Recital, or a maximum \$24 charge per immediate family (children 4 and under are free). Everyone except the dancers themselves must have a ticket to the recital. You are responsible to bring or send your dancer to the platform five dances before their own. If your dancer is not there waiting when the time comes, there will not be a phone call or announcement to summon them (we will be certain you are aware of the platform's location at dress rehearsal so no one will get lost or confused). We cannot return and repeat dances because one of the performers was missing.

Please do not allow your young dancers backstage unless their dance is within five numbers! Also, please no unattended dancers hanging out in the church hallways or lobbies. All dancers must be seated in the auditorium or waiting in the dressing room unless they have a parent or teacher to accompany them. Please remember no food/drink is permitted in the sanctuary. Please turn off your cell phones out of courtesy for others. Please clean up after yourself in the dressing room. If your dancer needs help with attire, you are responsible to either help your dancer or arrange for someone else to help. SAME GENDER PARENTS, STAFF, AND DANCERS ONLY IN DRESSING ROOMS.

Please come thirty minutes early for all of your scheduled practice times and one full hour early for the performance. If we are running 30 minutes (or less) ahead of schedule and you have not arrived yet, we might not be able to wait for you. Videotaping and flash photography are prohibited.

Our recital is being videotaped and DVDs will be available. All proceeds from the DVDs will benefit "Our Own Home" Ministries International (a children's home for HIV positive orphans in Jinja, Uganda, founded by Director Julie Oliver's sister, Holly Pheni).

Please come to dress rehearsal in full costume, hair, and make-up. Please see your instructor to learn your hair/make-up requirements. Please do not leave your dancer backstage for the entire performance. Bring/send them to the platform five dances before their own. Then, meet them there after their dance(s) finish.

**IMPORTANT NOTE:** The dress rehearsal schedule is not identical to the recital schedule. Do not follow the dress rehearsal schedule at the recital or you will miss your dance!!!