



## New Member News

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### 2014 – 2015 Season

#### Important Dates

- **Open Rehearsals**  
Aug. 24, 31, Sep. 7  
Westminster  
5:45pm
- **CROP WALK**  
2:00pm kick-off  
Oct. 19, 2014  
(early rehearsal 5:45)
- **Fall Concert 3:00pm**  
November 16, 2014  
Westminster  
(Dress Rehearsal \_\_\_)
- **Spring Concert**  
Time: \_\_\_\_\_  
April 26, 2015  
Westminster  
(Dress Rehearsal \_\_\_)
- **Annual Meeting**  
Time: TBA  
Sunday, June 7, 2015  
Westminster

#### Find us online

[Breadandroseschorus.org](http://Breadandroseschorus.org)



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# Is Your Voice Being Heard?

Together, we can make a difference . . .

## Welcome to Bread & Roses

### Our Mission

The members of Bread & Roses are devoted to developing and enjoying musical skills, sharing them with each other and the community, and providing a community of women who deliver messages of peace and justice, protection of our fragile environment, and diversity and acceptance for all.

### Our Group

Bread & Roses is a diverse group of fun-loving women with varying ages and backgrounds. We are based in DeKalb, but members travel from several surrounding areas. We're a collection of very different individuals, who come together every Sunday night because we share a love of music and singing, and we love to share our talents with anyone who will listen (even if it's only each other). We also make a point of giving back to the community through annual or semi-annual benefit concerts.

### What We Sing

Our songs' themes range from peace, love, equality and women's empowerment to songs about coffee, cats and chocolate. Our singing styles include folk, jazz, rock, vocal orchestra, gospel and chants. We also love to support female musicians and composers.



Going over notes at rehearsal.

## Rehearsal Info

### Our Policy

- \*Rehearsals are open to women who love to sing and share this love with others.
- \*Some sight-reading ability is highly desirable.
- \*No auditions are required.

### We Commit To . . .

- \*Abide by our Mission Statement.
- \*Adhere to rehearsal and performance schedules.
- \*Pay annual dues of \$30. (can be paid \$15/semester)
- \*Value everyone's opinions.
- \*Practice at home as needed.

### When and Where

- \*Sunday nights, 5:45-8pm, Westminster Presbyterian Church, DeKalb, IL
- \*Our season is August - May
- \*1-2 major performances a year.
- \*Upon request, may perform at smaller venues.

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