

# *Liturgical / Praise Dance* **SHOWCASE & COMPETITION**

## **“Dance In His Name”**

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Dear Liturgical/Praise Dance Team Ministry Leader:

Greetings in the name of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Ballet On Wheels Dance School & Company is proud to announce the regional Liturgical / Praise Dance Showcase & Competition. Your dance team is cordially invited to participate in the upcoming year's Praise Dance Showcase. Our hope is that this year's showcase will be even more exceptional.

The Grand Prize Church winner will receive a \$750.00 cash prize. Additional cash prizes include second and third placed teams and dance scholarships. This event will include a diverse panel of dance industry acclaimed adjudicators.

Due to the emerging popularity of liturgical and praise dancing, BALLET ON WHEELS continues to seek creative ways to celebrate this art of praise among area churches. “*Dance In His Name*” will allow liturgical dance teams to: 1) unite and praise God through dance; 2) promote fellowship among dance ministries; and 3) offer an alternative resource to support and promote praise dance in the same spirit as gospel choir competitions, church basketball leagues and other church-related forms of healthy competition.

BALLET ON WHEELS DANCE SCHOOL & COMPANY is a local, non-profit African-American dance school and company founded in 2002 by Chauniece Thompson. The organization is also committed to sponsoring innovative dance programs and projects that unite communities across the region.

Your dance ministry is encouraged to consider participating in this truly anointed dance showcase and competition. We are confident the exposure and performance experience will benefit you and your ministry considerably. If you have any questions or need further information, please call 901.870.4348 or visit the website @ [www.danceinhisname.org](http://www.danceinhisname.org)

We look forward to seeing you for “*Dance In His Name*”.



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## **FACT SHEET**

[www.danceinhisname.org](http://www.danceinhisname.org)

### **WHAT**

Eight Annual Liturgical Showcase & Praise Dance Competition honoring the spirit of dance worship.

### **WHEN**

Held each year in March.

### **TEAM INFORMATION**

- Gospel Music only must be submitted in CD (mp3) format only.
- Performance must be at least 2.5 minutes in length and no longer than 4.5 minutes.
- Decisions of the showcase judges are final.

### **GENERAL EVENT ADMISSION**

Tickets can be purchased on line.

### **GRANDPRIZE**

\$750 to the first place dance team; Additional cash prizes for the second place team plus team trophies!



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Please register online @[www.danceinhisname.org](http://www.danceinhisname.org)  
[#dihnusa](https://twitter.com/dihnusa) [#dihn](https://twitter.com/dihn) [#danceinhisname](https://twitter.com/danceinhisname)

## Full Church / Organization Name:

Church /Organization Address:

Church E-mail:

Dance Troupe Name, if applicable:

Minister's Name:

Praise Dance Contact Name/Leader:

Telephone #:

E-mail:

Cell phone #:

Church / Organizations Secretary's Name:

Phone Number:

Will you be using dance props? Y N Please list. \_\_\_\_\_

Has your team participated in DIHN before? Yes\_\_No\_\_  
Has your dance team had at least 6 months previous performance  
experience? Yes\_\_No\_\_

You are responsibly and intentionally  
representing the Church or other organization  
you are performing on behalf of?  
\_\_Yes \_\_No

How did you hear about "DIHN"?

Complete showcase details and criteria are located on the DIHN website: [www.danceinhisname.org](http://www.danceinhisname.org)

# of Dancers:  
(Minimum 5)

Area of dance concentration (circle one): Songs should be no longer than 4.5 minutes

Contemporary    Classical    Mime    Modern    Lyrical    African Mimes    Christian Steppers  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Performance Song & Artist:

## Registration Deadlines:

**Regular Entry Fee:** \$ 50.00 (Payments received after 5/16 - current year)

**Late Entry Fee:** \$ 65.00 (Payments received after 9 / 1 - current year)

**Very Late Entry Fee:** \$ 75.00 (All Registrations after 12/15 - current)

\*Online registration and payment processing preferred.

E-mail: [dance@danceinhisname.org](mailto:dance@danceinhisname.org) Fax: 901.278.0171

## SHOWCASE & COMPETITION AWARDS

**Grand Prize:** First place performance trophy & DIHN Award "Title" Designation  
\$750 Cash Prize – (Church / Organizational donation made in dance troupe's name)

**Second Place:** Second place performance trophy  
\$250 Cash Prize – (Church / Organizational donation made in dance troupe's name)

**Third Place:** Third place performance trophy