Religious 🎸 Affections

HOW WE CAN HELP YOUR CHURCH



As the executive director of Religious Affections Ministries, **SCOTT ANIOL** speaks regularly around the country on the topics of worship, music, culture, and aesthetics. Scott has degrees in church music and musicology and is pursuing a master's degree in theology.

Scott is the author of many articles and several books, including *Worship in Song* (BMH, 2009) and *Sound Worship* (RAM, 2010). You can read some of his articles at www.religiousaffections.org.

SEVERAL SPEAKING OPTIONS

Scott is available to speak in your church or direct a choir clinic. Here are a few of the ways churches have used Scott's ministry:

SUNDAY

Scott can sepak in Sunday School and both services. He typically presents the following messages (or pastors can choose any sessions from the list on back): SS: "Does Music Matter?"

AM: "Is the Bible Enough?" PM: "Why Do We Sing in Church?"

WEEKEND

Scott is available for a full weekend. He can hold a choir clinic or teach sessions for your church musicians, including the following:

"What is Congregational Worship?"

"Qualifications for Church Musicians"

"Preparation and Participation in the Worship Service"

SOUND WORSHIP CONFERENCE

Scott can present 6 sessions to your congregation, either over a weekend or for part of the week (Sunday -Wednesday). He preaches the three messages listed under "Sunday" above plus the following 3 sessions:

"How Should We Evaluate Musical Communication?"

"Is Beauty in the Eye of the Beholder?"

"How Should We Think About Sunday Morning?"

sound worship

a guide to making musical choices in a noisy world



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SACRED CONCERT

Scott and his wife Becky regularly present sacred concerts, introducing hymns in church services and conferences. They are currently presenting the gospel



through the concert, "God Himself Is With Us."

The hymn service consists simply of Scott and Becky singing arrangements of hymns accompanied by piano and string quartet

(depending upon availability). Each hymn, with transitions of Scripture readings, progressively proclaims the gospel of Jesus Christ to save sinners. On several occasions, Scott leads the congregation on the final stanza of the hymn.

AVAILABLE SESSIONS

In addition to the messages listed on front, pastors may choose alternate sessions from the following list (other topics/issues available upon request):

"Who Regulates Worship?"

"How to Think About Associations" "Contextualizing the Gospel" "What is Conservative Worship?" "Thinking About Culture" "What is Worldly Music?"

ENDORSEMENTS

"I appreciate Scott's willingness to be God-centered in both his philosophy and practice of corporate worship. His emphasis will challenge you as a pastor as well as your people to be actively engaged in worship, rather than merely being spectators. I highly recommend him to you." Pastor Taigen Joos, Heritage Baptist Church, Dover, NH

"Scott ministered to our church for all three services on a Sunday. His presentation was clear and biblical. Scott is theologically informed, an excellent musician, and familiar with the aesthetic debate that surrounds the music issue. What I most appreciated was that Scott's presentation was based on principles, not primarily applications. His ministry helped our people to understand that worship is about God and not us. Several of our members told me personally that Scott helped them to understand the issue of worship." Pastor T. J. Klapperich, Calvary Baptist Church, Winter Garden, FL

"Scott does a great job of clearly and simply presenting what the Bible teaches about music. His messages were some of the most beneficial I have ever heard. I also appreciated the humble spirit in which the material was presented. You will benefit greatly from his ministry in your church." Pastor Del Ward, First Baptist Church, Sterling Heights, MI

"Scott's sessions were thorough, Biblical, and practical. Having him with us Sunday through Wednesday, speaking six times, allowed him to address issues with a breadth and depth that was much appreciated by our people. I am so glad we had him come and highly recommend you have him speak at your place of ministry." Pastor Scott Estell, Faithway Baptist Church, Ypsilanti, MI

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