

## CIRCLE THEATRE HAS MAGIC TO DO: PIPPIN COMES TO THE MAIN STAGE IN 2023

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Twitter Ready Quote: Circle Theatre has magic to do: Pippin comes to the Main Stage in 2023. Directed by Kathy Gibson and Nicholas Gray, Pippin runs at Circle Theatre from July 13-29. Tickets and information available at circletheatre.org.

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., June 18, 2023 - Circle Theatre, West Michigan's go-to destination for exceptional theatrical arts in an intimate setting, has magic to do with *Pippin* coming to the Main Stage in 2023.

Pippin is the story of one young man's journey to be extraordinary. Heir to the Frankish throne, the young prince Pippin is in search of the secret to true happiness and fulfillment. He seeks it in the glories of the battlefield, the temptations of the flesh and the intrigues of political power (after disposing of his father, King Charlemagne the Great). In the end, though, Pippin finds that happiness lies not in extraordinary endeavors, but rather in the unextraordinary moments that happen every day.

*Pippin*, directed by Katy Gibson and Nicholas Gray, will be performed at the Performing Arts Center, located on the campus of Aquinas College. The show runs July 13-15 | 19-23 | 26-29, with July 23 being a matinee showing. Tickets are available for \$30 - \$34 at circletheatre.org!

This season, Circle Theatre will present *The 25th Annual Putnam County Spelling Bee, Blithe Spirit, Pippin, Ma Rainey's Black Bottom* and *Sweeney Todd: The Demon Barber of Fleet Street.* For more information on Circle Theatre's 2023 season, to purchase tickets, or to find more ways to support Circle Theatre please call the box office at 616.456.6656 or visit circletheatre.org.

## About Circle Theatre

For 70 years and counting, Circle Theatre has enriched, entertained and educated the community through exceptional theatrical arts in an intimate setting. Located in the Performing Arts Center on the campus of Aquinas College, Circle Theatre presents innovative and entertaining theatre while fostering an enthusiastic and hard-working corps of individuals who serve as staff, volunteers, and board members. Through the Main Stage season, unique Summer Concert Series, and Magic Circle family productions, Circle Theatre engages close to 30,000 people each season. Circle Theatre also values and creates effective collaborations with various community organizations in and around Grand Rapids.

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