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CEDARVILLE, OHIO – The Village Radio Theater at Cedarville University will be performing and recording a live radio script of Charles Dickens’ “A Christmas Carol” at the Cedarville Opera House on December 5 at 7:30 p.m. and December 6 at 8:30 p.m.

The production will be performed for a live audience and many members of the audience will have the opportunity to participate with the cast. The show will have live underscore music, and sound effects will be recorded with audience members.

The cast list includes Cedarville University faculty, staff and students. “Scrooge” will be played by Mark Spencer, associate professor of music, the “Spirit of Christmas Past” will be played by Rebecca Baker, associate professor of theatre and the narration will be provided by 2014 Cedarville graduate, Doug Malcolm.

“This production is unique because it is a radio script that will be performed for a live audience,” said James Leightonheimer, associate professor of communications. “We will be casting some roles the night of from the audience, the show will have live underscore music, and we will be recording sound effects with the audience before the show.”

Cedarville’s student radio station, Resound Radio will air the performance on December 24 and 25. Tickets for the show at the Opera House are $4 for students, $6 for adults and there is a $20 family maximum.
Located in southwest Ohio, Cedarville University is an accredited, Christ-centered, Baptist institution with an enrollment of 3,620 undergraduate, graduate and online students in more than 100 areas of study. Founded in 1887, Cedarville is recognized nationally for its authentic Christian community, rigorous academic programs, strong graduation and retention rates, accredited professional and health science offerings and leading student satisfaction ratings.