

PARADE

Auditions at St Johns UCC Church
1934 Bridge St NW, Grand Rapids, MI 49504
September 13 and 14 from 6:30 to 9:30

Sign up at:

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C084DA9A62CA7FBC34-64434541-parade>

What to bring:

Sheet music for your audition song

Comfortable clothes and shoes you can dance in.

List of known conflicts between September 24 and December 13.

Optional: Head shot and theater resume.



Leo Frank Our story's tragic protagonist accused of murder. As National Pencil Factory Superintendent, Leo is neurotic and a serial pessimist. Though married to Lucille, he is physically and emotionally displaced. A White Jew from the North. Gender: male. Age: 25 to 35. Vocal range top: F4 Vocal range bottom: Gb2

Lucille Frank - Gentle and mousy, but resourceful and resilient. Despite her husband's feelings, she is a true Southerner through and through but can see through the deception. A White Jew from Georgia. Gender: female. Age: 21 to 28. Vocal range top: G3 Vocal range bottom: E5

Jim Conley (also plays Riley) A cleaning supervisor at the National Pencil Factory. Secretly, he is a convict on the run. Pompous but impressive song and dance man with a strong build. Black Georgian. Playing Age: 30 to 40 Vocal range top: Bb4 Vocal range bottom: D3

Newt Lee (also plays Mr. Peavy) He is the night watchman at National Pencil Factory. A bit too old to possess the job. Physically intimidating, but gentle. Black Georgian. Playing Age: 50+ Vocal range top: Db4 Vocal range bottom: Bb2

Judge Roan (also plays Old Soldier) Serves as the Judge on the infamous trial. Motivated by bigotry and racism, he is dangerously committed to the ideals of the Confederacy. Playing Age: 50+ Vocal range top: D4 Vocal range bottom: B2

Gov. John Slaton (also plays Britt Craig) As the Governor of Georgia, he is highly concerned with public perception. Fun at times. Strives to maintain his values. Playing Age: 35 to 45 Vocal range top: F4 Vocal range bottom: Bb2

Frankie Epps (also plays Young Soldier) A charming and impressive teenager, he is Mary's devoted friend. Playful and flirtatious with an incredible voice. Playing Age: 14+ Vocal range top: Bb4 Vocal range bottom: Bb2

Mary Phagan A factory worker at the National Pencil Factory who is murdered. She is very innocent but has moments of sassiness and playfulness. Playing Age: 13+ Vocal range top: D5 Vocal range bottom: Eb4

Minola (Minnie) Mcknight (also plays Angela) The Franks' devoted and innocent housemaid. She becomes entangled with the trial and commits perjury. Incredible actor and singer required. Black Georgian. Playing Age: 20+ Vocal range top: G5 Vocal range bottom: Eb3

Mrs. Phagan (also plays Sally Slaton) Mary Phagan's devoted and loving mother. She is a single mom struggling to keep afloat financially and emotionally. Playing Age: 25+ Vocal range top: Eb5 Vocal range bottom: G3

Luther Rosser (also plays Officer Ivey/Guard) Leo Frank's lawyer; the best money can buy. He is virtuoso at cross examination, breaking down and discrediting witnesses. Jewish Georgian. Playing Age: 35-55 Vocal range top: Db4 Vocal range bottom: G2

Tom Watson (also plays Detective Starnes) Conservative & racist politician/publisher, who helps to spur on the witch-hunt for Leo Frank. Playing Age: 40 to 60 Vocal range top: Db4 Vocal range bottom: Bb2

Factory Girls (Essie, Iola, Monteen) Mary Phagan's friends and beloved members of the town. They are misled into lying on the stand, against Leo Frank. Playing Age: 13+ Vocal range: Various

Mr. Peavy -- 35-60