

Sharing Christ through Outreaches, Resources, and Encouragement
Summer, 2020

HOME PLATE 2020
(A Virtual Event)

Since its inception in 1987, at least one **HOME PLATE** event has been annually held. This year, due to the COVID-19 virus, **HOME PLATE 2020** was held in a virtual format.

The hour-long program features eight current Detroit Tigers speaking about their careers in professional baseball and faith in Jesus Christ. The participating players were **Matt Boyd, Daniel Norris, Michael Fulmer, Spencer Turnbull, Christin Stewart, Grayson Greiner, Jeimer Candelario, and Brandon Dixon**. Former Detroit Tiger pitcher **Frank Tanana** shares a clear and concise Gospel presentation at the conclusion of the program.

Christian recording artist **Matt Hammitt** (formerly of Sanctus Real), sings two songs as part of the program. One of the songs features Matt singing the song **Heart Strong** with his son, **Bowen**. 10-year old Bowen has undergone 3 major heart surgeries.

We hope you will view our virtual **HOME PLATE 2020**. Please feel free to post the following link on your social media and any web sites.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pKnP9XTBPXU&feature=youtu.be>

We welcome hearing any feedback and impact from you regarding this program. You can email us at the email address on this letterhead. Also, please visit the **HOME PLATE** web site for information regarding past and futures events.

www.HomePlateDetroit.Org

Here are some of the comments we have received to date regarding **HOME PLATE 2020**.

"Just got a call and 2 friends of his trusted Christ tonight. Married couple. Praise the Lord!"
Farmington Hills, MI

"Praise Him! So great!"
Current Detroit Tiger

"I just want to thank you for the virtual Home Plate today. I was just so disappointed when we couldn't go in June, but this was awesome. I loved all the testimonies of the players and "WOW" what a salvation message Frank gave. I prayed all through the message that people were listening and will become saved.

This little old lady who LOVES the Tigers and prays for them and the Christians on the team, that they will be an awesome testimony, every single day. Please tell them that the love of Christ is shining through. To keep up their testimony. You never know who is watching."
Wyoming, MI

"Thank you for doing this. God willing, we will be at Comerica Park for this next year!!!!"
Detroit, MI

"Thanks so much for doing this, so many people who have never been able to attend, are being able to access this!"

Grand Rapids, MI

"Thank you for your testimonies! My 15-year-old, baseball-playing son looks forward to this every year. It really keeps him rooted in faith and baseball! Again, THANK YOU!! Looking forward to Comerica Park: Home Plate 2021."

Milford, MI