



Music

Choir Concert



Monday, May 1, 2023

7:00 pm

Performing Arts Center

Anoka-Ramsey Community College

Coon Rapids, Minnesota

Concert Choir

Melissa Bergstrom+, director | Mitsuyo Baumer^, accompanist

Geographical Fugue *for speaking chorus*

Ernst Toch (1887-1964)

Allegro from *A Little Night Music*, K. 525

W. A. Mozart (1756-1791)

Earth Song

Frank Ticheli (b. 1958)

Sing, Be, Live, See...

This dark stormy hour, the wind it stirs. The scorched earth cries out in vain:

O war and power, you blind and blur. The torn heart cries out in pain.

But music and singing have been my refuge, And music and singing shall be my light.

A light of song shining strong: Alleluia! Through darkness and pain and strife,

I'll sing, I'll Be, Live, See...

Peace.

– *Frank Ticheli*

Look Out Above

Dessa & Jocelyn Hagen

We can't be stopped they can't catch us just like midnight on the clock:

it's all hands up - - before tick goes tock, it's just the dust we kick up, so

look out, look out, look out, look out above cause we're coming up

look out above there's no stopping us We can't be stopped...

–*Dessa*

We Found Love

Rihanna
arr. Chris Rishel

Chamber Ensemble Vocal Quartet

Melissa Bergstrom+, director

The New World from *Songs for a New World*

Jason Robert Brown

Chamber Singers

Richard Joseph+, director | Mitsuyo Baumer^, accompanist

Light in the Hallway

Pentatonix

A Light of Hope

Mark Burrows

Carry the Light

Andy Beck

Run to You

Pentatonix

Call Me Friend

Ruth Morris Gray (b.1961)

On the Sunny Side of the Street

Jimmy McHugh (1894-1969)

arr. Neil A. Johnson

Concert Choir

Soprano

Lily Born
Mariah Campos*
Sophia Collova
Alexis Johnson*
Janet Kot*
Lillian Mohr
Sara Potter*
Deborah Smead
Eli Takkunen

Alto

Nisa Becer
Anna Hutton*
Olivia Klimisch
Carmen Martinez
Tia Mitchell
Luca Panelli
Emma Perry
Meg Spicher
Daisy Wawers

Tenor

Matthew Neeser*
Nathan Pahan*
Jacob Polnaszek
Blair Richards*
Elmert Robert*
Rex Wheeler

Bass

Alonso Alley*
Brian Botz*
Cyril Dela Cruz*
Andrew Green*
Austin Helseth
Leopold Kisrow
Stanley Renty
Benjamin Swanson

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Altos

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Tenors

David Carlson

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Upcoming Performances

Concerts at 7pm in the Performing Arts Center

Concert Band and String Orchestra—May 2, 2023

Guitar and World Drumming Ensembles—May 4, 2023

AFA Recital—May 8, 2023

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