GCSU Department of Music

# **GCSU Choral Ensembles**

# "Choral Billboard Top Hits"

Jennifer Flory and Dana Gorzelany-Mostak, directors Hue Jang and Lev Ryabinin, pianists

Savannah Greene, Tyler Harris, Addie Resh, and Hallie Thompson, student directors

## Saturday, April 6, 2024, 7:30 p.m. First Baptist Church 330 S. Liberty St. And Live Streamed on facebook.com/GCMusicDepartment



**Combined Choirs** 

Zadok the Priest, HWV 258 (1727)

George Frideric Handel (1685-1759)

#### Women's Ensemble

Dana Gorzelany-Mostak, director Lev Ryabinin, pianist Savannah Greene, assistant

Sing Me to Heaven (1991)

The Clover from Three Flower Songs (1896)

Savannah Greene, conductor

O magnum mysterium

Translation: O great mystery and wonderful sacrament, that animals should see the new-born Lord lying in a manger. Blessed is the Virgin whose womb was worthy to bear Jesus Christ the Lord. Lord, I heard your voice and was afraid; I considered your works and I trembled: between two animals.

Ev'ry Time I Feel the Spirit (2007)

Amy Marcy Cheney Beach (1867-1944)

Daniel E. Gawthrop

(b. 1949)

Cristóbal de Morales (c. 1500-1553)

Rosephanye Powell (b. 1962)

Addie Resh, soprano

#### **Max Noah Singers**

Jennifer Flory, director Hue Jang, pianist Tyler Harris and Hallie Thompson, assistants

Ave Verum Corpus (1605)

William Byrd (1539/40-1623)

Franz Joseph Haydn

(1732 - 1809)

Translation: Hail the true body, born of the Virgin Mary: You who truly suffered and were sacrificed on the cross for the sake of man. From whose pierced flank flowed water and blood: Be a foretaste for us in the trial of death. O sweet, O merciful, O Jesus, Son of Mary. Have mercy on me. Amen.

The Heavens Are Telling from The Creation (1797)

Anna Ogletree and Hallie Thompson, sopranos MacK Arrington and Tyler Harris, tenors Aidan Fortenberry and Richard Guyton, basses A Boy and a Girl (2002)

Intermission

Eric Whitacre (b. 1970)

Tyler Harris, conductor

#### **Max Noah Singers and University Chorus**

Ezekiel (2015)

arr. Stacey V. Gibbs b. 1962

#### **University Chorus**

Jennifer Flory, director Lev Ryabinin, pianist Tyler Harris and Hallie Thompson, assistants

Lacrimosa from *Requiem*, K. 626 (1791)

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756 - 1791)

Translation: That day of tears and mourning, when from the ashes shall arise, all humanity to be judged. Spare us by your mercy, Lord, gentle Lord Jesus, grant them eternal rest. Amen.

Addie Resh, conductor

Im Wald, No. 6 from *Gartenlieder*, Op. 3 (1847)

Translation: When woods are glowing sunny bright, And buds to bloom are springing; O then I would my joy proclaim by singing. And what I feel of woe and weal While waking or in slumbers, With lightsome heart I'd chant it forth in numbers. Woods understand my meaning well, And first they mark the measure, Then they come in at proper time, with pleasure. Then further goes the joyful sound, O'er mountain, rock and heather, Chimes in the tuneful nightingale together. The heart then finds sweet sympathy, It hears its echoes ringing, It hears its joy resound afar, while singing. The joyful sound afar is borne, When hearts with joy are singing. O joyful sound, when Nature all is singing.

The Road Home (2005)

Hallie Thompson, conductor

#### **Combined Choirs with Lakeside Academy Choir and Midway Academy Choir**

Dona Nobis Pacem (2013)

**David Hamilton** (b. 1955)

**Stephen Paulus** (1949-2014)

Translation: Grant us peace.

"Dona nobis pacem" was commissioned by and for the GCSU Choral Ensembles and conductor Dr Jennifer Morgan Flory. It is dedicated to the victims of the Sandy Hook Elementary School shooting and the community of Newtown, Connecticut.

Fanny Mendelssohn Hensel

(1805 - 1847)

### Personnel

#### Women's Ensemble

Dana Gorzelany-Mostak, director Lev Ryabinin, pianist Savannah Greene, assistant

Gabrielle Godfrey Shelby Gowen Savannah Greene Sarah Griffith Ana Nieves Concepción Savannah Pruett Addie Resh Elizabeth Seidita Bethany Tapee

#### **Max Noah Singers**

Jennifer Flory, director Hue Jang, pianist Tyler Harris and Hallie Thompson, assistants

#### Sopranos

Savannah Greene Alyx Humayra Ana María Nieves Concepción Anna Ogletree \*Addie Resh Savannah Young Altos MacK Arrington Macy Beddow Riley Greer Campbell Ransom Sophia Tritto Charlie Rachel \*Hallie Thompson

#### Tenors

Ethan Chase Jaiden Connel Peyton Curry \*Tyler Harris Preston Raburn Gabriel Wade

#### Basses

Conner Dickey \*Aidan Fortenberry Richard Guyton Jacob Hall Joey Johnson Ian Purdy

\*Section Leaders

#### **University Chorus**

Jennifer Flory, director Lev Ryabinin, pianist Tyler Harris and Hallie Thompson, assistants

#### Sopranos Meghan Bennett Rori Blackwell Amber Donahue \*Riley Greer Alyx Humayra Makiya Marks Anna Ogletree Addie Resh Julianna Valcheff Gabrielle Van Patten Sally Waits Hannah Weekley Savannah Young

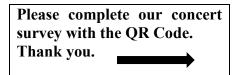
Altos \*MacK Arrington Lauren Broadnax Hailey Byers Kat Carrouth Kelsey Foster Akayla Miller Soyun Park Charlie Rachel Sophia Ricketts Kaylah Sherow Hallie Thompson Shani Thompson

#### Tenors Calum Beckmann Peyton Curry Christopher Dolan \*Tyler Harris +William Humphrey Joey Johnson Liam Mueller Gabriel Wade

#### Basses

Austin Butts Aidan Fortenberry Jacob Gaddy \*Richard Guyton Joshua Jenkins Ian Purdy Bradley Smith

\*Section Leaders +Alumnus





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"Revolutions"	The Life Enrichment Center	Dana Gorzelany-Mostak,
Dana Gorzelany-Mostak,	and The GCSU Music Therapy	director
director	Program	Saturday, April 20, 6 pm
Hue Jan, piano	"Old Time Rock and Roll"	Lawn of Old Governor's
Cast: Student Performers	Thursday, April 18, 6 pm	Mansion and
Thursday, April 11, 7:30 p.m.	New City Church at the Mill	Live Streamed on FB
Russell Auditorium and	224 E Walton St.	
Live Streamed on FB		

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