Holiday Celebration: Star of Wonder

Chamber Singers
University Singers
Treble Choir
Concert Choir
Symphony Orchestra
Student Solos & Small Ensembles

Saturday, December 2, 2023
2:00 pm

Bryan Hall Theatre
Program

Chamber Singers
Eit Barn er født i Betlehem
  Christiano Rodrigues, violin; Ruth Boden, cello; Corey Gardner, guitar
  arr. Ørjan Matre
Childhood Christmas Favorites
  arr. Jamey Ray

Guitar Ensemble
Six Bells
  Lou Warde

University Singers
Out of the Orient Crystal Skies
  Richard Zgodava
Hanerot Halalu
  arr. Neil Ginsberg
  Aaron Hill, soprano saxophone

Kayla Mommsen
Please Come Home for Christmas
  Charles Brown
  Elena Panchenko, piano

Treble Choir
Do You Hear What I Hear?
  Noel Regney & Gloria Shayne
  arr. Harry Simeone
We Toast the Days
  Linda Kachelmeier
  Rebekah Straka and Bridget Murphy, soloists
  César Haas, guitar

Evan Short
Grown-Up Christmas List
  David Foster
  arr. Evan Short
  Elena Panchenko, piano
Concert Choir
Lux Aurumque            Eric Whitacre
Candlelight Carol       John Rutter

The Crimson Quintet
We Wish You a Merry Christmas  arr. Robert Elkjer

intermission

Crimson Ties
Pamoja                    Crimson Ties

Ivy Quartet
Blessing and Honor        George Frideric Handel
                          arr. Lowell E. Shaw

Festive Flussoonzz
A Christmas Jazz Suite    arr. Bill Holcombe

Graduate Brass Quintet
The Chipmunk Song         Ross Bagdasarian
                          arr. Jayan Nandagopan

Horn Ensemble
A Christmas Festival       Leroy Anderson,
                          arr. John Lynsdale-Nock

Combined Choirs & Symphony Orchestra
The Shepherds’ Farewell    Hector Berlioz
                          arr. Craig Courtney

We Three Kings

Translations

Eit Barn er født i Betlehem
Sung in Norwegian; English Translation:

A child is born in Bethlehem, and so rejoice, Jerusalem. Hallelujah.
Here he lies in a manger but rules with eternal dominion. Hallelujah.
There the ox and ass stood and saw that he was God. Hallelujah.
Three kings came from Austerland and gave him gold and myrrh. Hallelujah.
One day we will meet our Lord, and he will lead us to Heaven. Hallelujah.
Endless thanks and praise to the God of all! Hallelujah!

Hanerot Halalu
Sung in Hebrew and English; English Translation:

These candles that we light.

Lux Aurumque
Sung in Latin; English Translation:
Light, warm and heavy as pure gold, and the angels sing softly to the newborn babe.

Personnel

Chamber Singers
Dr. Dean Luethi, conductor

Soprano
Rowan Dunn
Emma Haeberle
Kayla Mommsen

Alto
Chloe Bagley
Darya Baker
Kendal Clifton

Tenor
Bryan Finley-James
Corey Gardner
Parker Smith

Bass
Tsering Jordhen
Miles Robertson
Francisco Ruiz
Evan Short

Guitar Ensemble
Dr. César Haas, director

Jake Carlon
Sophia Craig
Jessica Hawkes
Brian Nelson
Naoki Tsuruta
University Singers  
Dr. Matthew Myers, conductor  
Elena Panchenko, pianist

**Soprano**  Alyssa Bledsoe  Mikiah Harper  Cheyanne Hutchins  Sophia Jimenez  Amy Moore  Renee Roulo  Ellah Sundell  Emery Yates
**Alto**  Lindsey Coffman  Aurelia Cromwell  Alainn Fitzgerald  Sidney Gillaspie  Samantha Klein  Kailey Lingo  Elizabeth Marsh  Savannah Orand
**Tenor**  Ryan Brady  Sophia Craig  Ed Dungo  Andon Merrick  Brian Kai Nelson  Habib Wajid  Mark Wood
**Bass**  Aiden Bunn  Landon Carter  Steve Davis  Dylan Ellsworth  Logan Jacobs  Trace LiVecchi  Kaleb Mynhier  Noah Tyler

**Treble Choir**  Dr. Matthew Myers, conductor  Elena Panchenko, pianist

**Soprano I**  Faith Franks  Hazel Gomez  Bridget Murphy  Clare Riley  Elakkiya Saravanam  Rebekah Straka
**Soprano II**  Nora Hayden  Maya Jeske  Hayoung Kwon  Grace Lemmon  Kayla Mommsen  Shelby Torzewski  Ava Whalon  Sophia Wilson
**Alto I**  Daniela Alpire  Chloe Bagley  Clara Brown  Ally Fraser-Robinson  Karmen Johnson  Willo Kessler  Carly Ostrem  Sabrina Radford
**Alto II**  Hannah Chalom  Aurelia Cromwell  Sidney Gillaspie  Madison Holdway  Sarra Jones  Maddie LaRochelle  Ashley Myers  Francesca Poledrelli  Amabel Zucker

**Concert Choir**  Dr. Dean Luethi, conductor  Elena Panchenko, pianist

**Soprano**  Emily Berry  Kiana Burt  Emma Haeberle  Maya Marshall  Kayla Mommsen  Hannah Prisco
**Alto**  Fatima Cadena Garcia  Hannah Chalom  Rowena Gonzalez  Mackenzie Jacobs  Ashley Myers  Zoe Steiner
**Tenor**  Jacob Clement  Bryan Finley-James  Corey Gardner  James Heer  Samuel Loomis  Michael Turner  Ian Wright
**Bass**  Bryson Barsaloux  Tsering Jordhen  Daniel Mielke  Miles Robertson  Francisco Ruiz  Evan Short  Parker Smith
The Crimson Quintet
Dr. Martin King, director

Carl Reese, trumpet
Ben Findley, trumpet
Steven Randall, horn
Harper Keihl, trombone
Elijah Padilla, tuba

Ivy Quartet
Dr. Martin King, director

Kathy Nguyen, horn
Steven Randall, horn
Orion Stankus, horn
Nicholas Yoon, horn

Graduate Brass Quintet
Dr. David Turnbull, director

Ashley Swanson, trumpet
Dean Johnson, trumpet
Cassidy Fairchild, horn
Bailey Kopp, euphonium
Jordan George, tuba

Crimson Ties
Dr. Darryl Singleton, leader

Emily Wessel
Lex Howard
Melanie Richardson
Noah Tyler
Rogan Tinsley
Zoe Zanke

Festive Flussoonzz
Dr. Sophia Tegart, director

Anthony Kandilaroff, flute
Anna Somerville, flute
Grace Wierenga, flute
Brenna Torgesen, flute
Evan Short, bassoon

Horn Ensemble
Dr. Martin King, conductor

Steven Randall, horn
Allison Harlow-Tarwater, horn
Nicholas Yoon, horn
Patrick Vigus, horn
Cassidy Fairchild, horn
Christian Batcher, horn
Abbee Krager, horn
Michael Brecht, horn
Zoe Smith, horn
Mackenzie Jacobs, horn
Walter Pittson, horn
Sean Andre, horn
Kathy Nguyen, horn
Orion Stankus, horn
Jeran Jordan, horn
Kendal Clifton, percussion
Daria Manzer, percussion
Dustyn Geigle, percussion
Symphony Orchestra
Dr. Danh T. Pham, conductor
Dr. Christiano Rodrigues, guest conductor

**Violin 1**
Emily Andriano, concertmaster
Alexander Johnson
Samuel Song
Emma Lo
Ji Hye Kim
Neal Wang

**Flute**
Anthony Kandilaroff
Jordan Slaughter

**Oboe**
Lyndsey Woosley
Darya Baker

**Clarinet**
Ruben Flores
Weiyi Zhang

**Bassoon**
Karl Falskow
Evan Short

**Viola**
Zachary Klein
Erin Cammack
Christiano Rodrigues

**Horn**
Cassidy Fairchild
Steven Randall
Nicholas Yoon
Sean Andre

**Cello**
Jake Russell
Shanna Lee

**Trumpet**
Halley Ortuño
Carl Reese

**Bass**
Maxwell Brayton-Smith
Kennedy Fast
Hazel Bagley

**Trombone**
Daniel Mielke
Dylan Sutton
Charlie Holmes

**Tuba**
Jordan George

**Timpani**
Dustyn Geigle
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