



**MESSIAH
COLLEGE**

DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

Messiah College Christmas Concert



Featuring:

Brass Quintet
Women's Ensemble
Men's Ensemble
Handbell Choir
Chamber Singers
Concert Choir

Sunday, December 3, 2017 at 7:00 p.m.
PARMER HALL

Brass Quintet

Seasonal FavoritesVarious

Dan Stokes, organ
&
Messiah College Brass Quintet

Women's Ensemble

Rachel Cornacchio, Conductor
Eugene Ilin and Meghan Williams, Piano

He Came Down..... Traditional Cameroon Song
arr. Nancy Grundahl

Emily Brocht, Joy Hammond, Kiana Pieters, Micah Ohlhausen; soloists

Canticle of MaryJeffery L. Ames and S. Scott Leaman

Katie Phykitt, soloist
Samantha Adams, flute

O Magnum Mysterium.....Jakob Handl
ed. Jonathan Hirsh

Samantha Duhe, Hannah Leposa, Ciara Sacco, Maddy Sinan; brass

How Great Our JoyTraditional German Carol
arr. Craig Courtney

Brianna Carnathan and Vera Solomin, violin;
Priscilla Paino, viola; Alex Sredenschek, cello

There is No Rose of Such Virtue.....Paul Carey

Joy Shrader, soloist



* Carol: Hark! the Herald Angels Sing

Audience Please Stand

Hark! The herald angels sing: "Glory to the newborn King:
Peace on earth and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled!"
Joyful all ye nations rise, join the triumph of the skies,
With th'angelic host proclaim: "Christ is born in Bethlehem!"
Hark! The herald angels sing: "Glory to the newborn King!"

Christ, by highest heav'n adored, Christ the everlasting Lord;
Late in time behold Him come, offspring of the virgin's womb!
Veiled in flesh the Godhead see, hail th'incarnate deity!
Pleased as man with man to dwell, Jesus, our Emmanuel.
Hark, the herald angels sing: "Glory to the newborn king!"

Men's Ensemble

Eric Dundore, Conductor
Jacob Stanaford and Frank Heberlig, Piano

Riu, Riu, Chiu..... Renaissance Spanish Carol
arr. Jim Leininger

T.J. Malanga, Andrew Roof, and Joey Carmona, soloists

Some Children See Him Alfred Burt and Wihla Hutson

Andrew Hernandez and Jeffrey Gao, soloists

We'll Dress the House..... Alfred Burt and Wihla Hutson

Yule-tide Fires..... Diane Loomer

Ding, Dong! Merrily on High Traditional French Carol
arr. Howard Helvey



* Carol: The First Nowell

Audience Please Stand

The first nowell the angel did say
Was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay:
In fields where they lay keeping their sheep
On a cold winter's night that was so deep:
Nowell, nowell, nowell, nowell, born is the King of Israel.

They looked up and saw a star,
Shining in the east, beyond them far;
And to the earth it gave great light,
And so it continued both day and night.
Nowell, nowell, nowell, nowell, born is the King of Israel.

Handbell Choir

Shawn Gingrich, Conductor

Bring a Torch, Jeanette, Isabellaarr. Cathy Moglebust

Will Labossiere and Zach Thompson, percussion

Sleep in Heavenly Peacearr. Jason W. Krug

Repeat the Sounding Joy..... arr. Susan T. Nelson



Variations on "Sussex Carol".....Raymond Haan

- I. Playfully
II. Joyfully

Dan Stockes, organ
Messiah College Alumni - Class of 1980



Chamber Singers

Linda L. Tedford, Conductor

Puer Natus Estarr. Ralph R. Prime

Lindsey Horner, Amelia Markey, Rebekah McClelland, Kelsey Nichols, bells

A Child is born to us, a Son is given to us,
Upon His shoulder power will rest forever.
And His name shall be called Mighty Counsellor,
Angel of great wisdom.

Benedicamus Domine.....Peter Warlock

Hail to the promised Son! This is our time!
Conceived in the Virgin's womb, God has become man.
Glory! Honor! Praise! How blessed are we.
The immortal God has become man.

Thou Shalt Know Him When He Comes Mark Sirett

I Saw Three Ships.....arr. Carolyn Jennings

We Wish You a Merry Christmasarr. Alice Parker/Robert Shaw



* Carol: O Come All Ye Faithful

Audience Please Stand

O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant,
O come ye, o come ye to Bethlehem;
Come and behold Him born the King of angels:
O come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.

Sing choirs of angels, sing in exultation,
Sing, all ye citizens of heav'n above:
'Glory to God in the highest:'
O come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.



Concert Choir

Linda L. Tedford, Conductor

Eugene Ilin and Michal Foursevitch, Piano

Holy, Lord of Hosts Maxcine W. Posegate

The Word Was God..... Rosephanye Powell

A Hymn to the Mother of God Joseph Ohrt

Megan Louder, soloist

Ave Maria, Mater Dei, you who gave birth to the light.
River of peace and of grace.
In you has bloomed the flower of immortality.
Ave Maria, Mater Dei, you have carried in your arms a son,
The God of all. Blessed.

His Light in Us Kim Andre Arnesen

Sally Graham, soloist

Sussex Carolarr. Mack Wilberg



Silent Night..... Franz Gruber

Combined Choirs

CD's and Poinsettias are for sale and are available in the lobby.



Brass Quintet

Michael Harcrow, Coordinator

Austin Funkhouser (trumpet) – Millerstown, PA
Mitch Weaver (trumpet) – Cranberry Twp, PA
Ciara Sacco (horn) – Northfield, NJ
Aaron Keister (trombone) – Mechanicsburg, PA
Michael VanScoyoc (tuba) – New Oxford, PA

Women's Ensemble

Rachel Cornacchio, Conductor

Soprano

Samantha Adams – North East, PA
Emily Brocht – Mechanicsburg, PA
Amelia Budd – Frederick, MD
Christine Bye – Lancaster, PA
Brianna Carnathan – Selinsgrove, PA
Alexandra Chea – Nassau, Bahamas
Joy Hammond – Wallkill, NY
Anna Henderson – PA Furnace, PA
Lindsey Horner – Johnstown, PA
Amanda Maye Kirk – Jackson, NJ
Melissa Moffett – Malvern, PA
Haley Mong – Lansdale, PA
Joanna Moxley – Portland, OR
Grace Nale – Stewartstown, PA
Heather Nase – Perkasie, PA
Micah Ohlhausen – Albuquerque, NM
Kalee Oravec – Waynesboro, PA
Katherine Phykitt – Athens, PA
Kiana Pieters – Mexico
Rachel Rochet – Mayfield, NY
Mary Roberts – Milford, NJ
Ellen Shockey – Marathon, NY
Grace Weiser – Dillsburg, PA
Abigail Wright – South Williamsport, PA
Abigail Young – Cuyler, NY

Alto

Amanda Adams – Cinnaminson, NJ
Lyla Bowser – Hanover, PA
Sarah Becker – Garners, PA
Lauren Cruzan – Great Meadows, NJ
Lauren Dukehart – Mercersburg, PA
Abigail Estes – Dover, DE
Caroline Everett – North Granby, CT
Carrie Gallagher – Newark, DE
Kelley Hertzler – Carlisle, PA
Olivia Joseph – Havre De Grace, MD
Madison Moyer – Lebanon, PA
JoHannah Newman – Ocean View, NJ
Becca Roberts – Manheim, PA
Katie Rose – Hilton, NY
Hannah Schwartz – Pittsburgh, PA
Joy Shrader – Westminster, MD
Emma Spronk – Plattsburgh, NY
Meghan Williams – Boiling Springs, PA
Shayuna Williams – Gettysburg, PA

Men's Ensemble

Eric Dundore, Conductor

Tenor

Joey Carmona – Coopersburg, PA
Randall Frey – Washington Boro, PA
Jeffrey Gao – Athens, PA
Charles George – Fruitland, MD
Andrew Hernandez – Hanover, PA
Aaron Keister – Mechanicsburg, PA
T.J. Malanga – Harleysville, PA
Mark Musselman – Oaks, PA
Andrew Roof – Dillsburg, PA
Jacob Stanaford – Tyngsboro, MA
Eric Tashji – Oakland, NJ

Bass

Josh Burgess – Union City, PA
Micah Crandall – Milton, WI
Karl Dietz – Mechanicsburg, PA
Bryce Eckenrode – Pittsburgh, PA
Jack Houser – Athens, PA
Werner Jonas – Dillsburg, PA
Dan Labrie – Glenville, NY
Spencer Linton – Lititz, PA
Noah Perrin – Camp Hill, PA
Tanner Stern – Cattaraugus, NY
Craig Terrell, Jr. – Salisbury, MD
Robert Titus – Factoryville, PA
Aaron Weber – Newark, DE

Handbell Choir

Shawn Gingrich, Conductor

Rebecca Barows – Jersey Shore, PA
Jacqueline Blasko – Clementon, NJ
Jake Haser – Valencia, PA
Lindsey Horner – Johnstown PA
Faith Kerlen – Hawthorne, NJ
Brooke LaNasa – York, PA
Amelia Markey – Scotch Plains, NJ
Rebekah McClelland – Pottsville, PA
Kelsey Nichols – East Northport, NY
Christy Sackett – East Setauket, NY
Madison Sinan – Cranberry, PA
Rachel Steckbeck – Lancaster, PA
Katherine Vasquez – Allentown, PA
Caroline Zugell – Cranberry, PA

Chamber Singers

Linda L. Tedford, Conductor

Tenor

Matthew Brenneman – Lewisberry, PA
James Isley – Grantham, PA
Wyatt Sattazahn – Morris, CT
Nathan Smith – Concord, NH

Bass

Ian Bethmann – Bethlehem, PA
Matt Blaylock – Clarence, PA
Michal Foursevitch – Red Lion, PA
John Morrone – Northern Cambria, PA
Matthew O'Donnell – Carlisle, PA

Concert Choir

Linda L. Tedford, Conductor

Soprano

Kate Glidewell – Clarks Summit, PA
Sally Graham – Yardley, PA
Erin Hoffacker – Greenville, PA
Keely McCune – Indiana, PA
Ashlan McMichael – Silverdale, PA

Alto

Natalie Brooks – Dunkirk, MD
Autumn Deck – Lemoyne, PA
Megan Louder – Mercersburg, PA
Paige Waldron – Livonia, NY

Soprano

Amanda Albright – Bellwood, PA
Autumn Deck – Lemoyne, PA
Kate Glidewell – Clarks Summit, PA
Sally Graham – Yardley, PA
Erin Hoffacker – Greenville, PA
Keely McCune – Indiana, PA
Ashlan McMichael – Silverdale, PA
Allison Morris – Port Deposit, MD
Alyssa Nichols – Tunkhannock, PA
Gabrielle Quandel – Hegins, PA
Mary Roberts – Princeton, NJ
Abigail Wright – South Williamsport, PA
Britney Yauger – Pittsburgh, PA

Alto

Laura Bigelow – Collegetown, PA
Grace Boscolo – Greencastle, PA
Natalie Brooks – Dunkirk, MD
Emily Fulton – Middletown, MD
Megan Louder – Mercersburg, PA
Emily Moore – Elkton, MD
Lisa Rittenhouse – Laurel, MD
Natasha Sautter – Quincy, MA
Paige Waldron – Livonia, NY
McKensie Wear – Akron, OH
Abby Young – Cuyler, NY

Tenor

Matthew Brenneman – Lewisberry, PA
Curran Fischer – Doylestown, PA
James Isley – Grantham, PA
Ira Miller – Harrisonburg, VA
Chalmers Port – Huntingdon, PA
Wyatt Sattazahn – Morris, CT
Nathan Smith – Concord, NH

Bass

Ian Bethmann – Bethlehem, PA
Matt Blaylock – Clarence, PA
Bryce Eckenrode – Pittsburgh, PA
Frank Heberlig – Newburg, PA
Michael Jenkins – Lancaster, PA
Jonathan Morrone – Northern Cambria, PA
Matthew O'Donnell – Carlisle, PA
Isaiah Snyder – Shade Gap, PA
Robert Titus – Factoryville, PA
David Wertz – Hollidaysburg, PA
Daniel Wright – Upper Darby, PA

