









A MCKENDREE CHRISTMAS

The Hettenhausen Center for the Arts Friday, December 2, 2022 7:30pm



Program

Welcome

President Dan Dobbins, '81

Gesu Bambino

Pietro A. Yon

Nancy S. Ypma, piano Chair of the Divisions of Humanities and Visual and Performing Arts

Chamber Choir

John McDonald, conductor Melissa Ray, piano

Merrily Sing Noel!

Linda Spevacek-Avery

Midwinter Song

Susan LaBarr

Deck the Halls

Traditional Welsh Carol Arranged by Alice Parker

Luke 2:1-14

Douglas Magnussen, reader

Concert Choir

John McDonald, conductor Melissa Ray, piano

Hodie Fanfare

Sally K. Albrecht

Elizabeth Durbin, student conductor

Veni, Veni Emmanuel

18th Century Latin Hymn

Arranged by Michael John Trotta

Have Yourself a Merry Little

Hugh Martin/Ralph Blane

Christmas

Arranged by Mark Hayes

Rose Marinucci, soloist

- Intermission -

Please join us in the lobby for a silent auction benefitting the music student organization

Wind Ensemble

John Bell, conductor

Russian Christmas Music

Alfred Reed

Audience Carol

Hark the Herald Angels Sing Please join us in singing:

'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 hosts proclaim,
"Christ is born in Bethlehem!"
Refrain:
Hark! the herald angels sing,

"Glory to the newborn King"

²Hail the heaven-born
Prince of Peace!
Hail the Sun of
Righteousness!
Light and life to all he
brings, risen with healing in
his wings.
Mild he lays his glory by,
born that we no more may
die,
born to raise us from the
earth,
born to give us second
birth. [Refrain]

Concert Band

Jennifer A. Moder-Bell, conductor

Symphonic Prelude on Adeste Fidelis

Claude T. Smith

Silent Night

Traditional Carol Arranged by James Swearingen

Sleigh Ride

Leroy Anderson

A Christmas Wish

Madison Rohn, reader

Combined Choirs and Bands

John McDonald, conductor

A Christmas Festival

Leroy Anderson

Texts and Translations

Hodie Fanfare

Gloria! Today Christ is born.
Today the Savior has appeared.
Today the angels sing.
The archangels rejoice.
Today the righteous rejoice saying: Gloria!

Veni. Veni Emmanuel

O Come, O Come, the "I Am" that is with us Break the bond of the captive people! Who mourn in exile, derived of the incarnation of the Father.

Rejoice! Rejoice! The great "I Am" will be born for you.

O Come, gatherer of all nations, Come to make all whole. TO save your servants from their separateness.

O Come, thou light of life
To shine on us by your coming,
Dispel the clouds of night, drive away the shadows of death.

Choir Personnel – Directed by Dr. John McDonald

Soprano

Felicity Crowell

*Gabriella Cuba

*Elizabeth Durbin

*Samantha Elling

*Anna Leitner Jessi Riley

Zoey Slack Luna Tsuzuki

Alto

Caitlin Asbury Brianna Burke Mekaela DeGuire *Laura Dismer AaNyla Edwards Sonia Halabi Jade Heuer Lea Hoock Olivia Lebert Abby Mackin Rose Marinucci Mallory Moyers Isabelle Norwood

Zara Thompson

Madeline Trinity

Bass

Garrett Brunner Griffin Brunner Julian Castillo Tim Downen *Lars Gindler Sean Harper Brendan Harter David Justice Rodrick Love *Caleb Marriott Elijah Wheaton

Khaleo Price

Riley Wuebbels

Tenor

Anthony Butler
*Kyle Dailor
Christopher Durbin
*Bradley Eston

* Chamber Choir

Band Personnel – Directed by Dr. Jennifer A. Moder-Bell and Dr. John Bell

Flutes

*^Emily Goff
*Brianna Johnson
*Olivia Oswald
Cheyenne Pride
Opal Scott
Charlee Taylor

Oboes

*Kyle Dailor Mary Kelly

Bb Clarinets

*Elizabeth Durbin *Grace Gross Shelby Holzinger Faith McInerney *Andrew Rist *^Harmony Schallenberg

Claire Wilke Bass Clarinet

*Jonathan Zarr

Alto Saxophones

*Jessi Riley

*^Riley Wuebbels

Tenor Saxophones

*Tristen Dame Joel Jessup Ethan Rock

Bari Saxophone

*Grant Smith

Bassoon

*Ella Lehman

Trumpets

Mekaela Deguire
Hayley Gentry
*Lea Hoock
Karina Modesto
*Taylor Seibert
*Shanyn Simmerman
*^Rachel Tucker
*Jacob Vossekuil

French Horns

*Samantha Elling *Hayley Gentry *Dagon Murray *Drake Murray *^Peyton Osgood Gloria Ozorio

Trombones

*Alec Blaydes Timothy Downen *^Kyle Huntley De'Shawn Ware

Bass Trombone

*Sean Harper

Euphoniums

Alex Brandenburger *^Bradley Eston Caleb Leonard *Elana Melzer Michael Tindall

Tubas

Sean Harper
*^David Justice

Percussionists

*^Julian Castillo Gabi Cuba *Jade Heuer *Vlad Puskovitch Jacob Rounds

* Wind Ensemble

^ Section Leader

Special Thanks

Michelle Magnussen – for curating tonight's readings and arranging the readers

The Staff of the Hettenhausen Center for the Arts –
Liz Crabtree, Julia Hunt, and Douglas Magnussen
Mr. Daniel Dobbins – President of the University
Dr. Tami Eggleston – Provost
The William McKendree Society
Student Chapter of the Illinois Music Educators
Association

Upcoming Events

*all events at the Hettenhausen Center for the Arts unless otherwise indicated

Saturday, February 4 – 7:30pm

Blessed Assurance: The Evolution of the Negro Spiritual –
Visit TheHett.com for ticket information

Thursday, March 2 – 7:30pm

McKendree Bands at Wesclin High School

Friday, March 24 – 7:00pm Chamber Choir – Location TBA

Friday - Sunday, March 31- April 2

McKendree Theatre Presents: Silent Sky by Lauren Gunderson

Thursday, April 27 – 7:30pm

Percussion Ensemble, Concert Band and Wind Ensemble

Wednesday, May 3 – 7:30pm

Jazz Festival Concert

Friday, May 5 – 7:30pm

Requiem for the Living by Dan Forrest – McKendree Choirs with Belleville West High School - St. Clare of Assisi Catholic Church

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