2023/24 SEASON

# CWRU MUSIC

# CONCERT SERIES

# University Chorale Case Glee Club Embers

7:30 p.m. Wednesday November 29 2023

Florence Harkness Memorial Chapel
11200 Bellflower Road Cleveland, OH

MRS. JESSICA L. G. STEUVER
CONDUCTOR
UNIVERSITY CHORALE

JOANNA HUANG ACCOMPANIST

**DR. CHRISTOPHER CLARK**DIRECTOR OF CHOIRS

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# CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY College of Arts and Sciences

Department of Music

10900 Euclid Avenue Cleveland, OH case.edu/artsci/music

#### Welcome to the

#### Florence Harkness Memorial Chapel

HARKNESS CHAPEL (est. 1902), features neo-Gothic architecture, antique oak and Georgia pine woodwork, and Tiffany windows. It is a warm, intimate, and acoustically resonant space for the performance of vocal and instrumental chamber music. The building provides space for concerts, music classes, and department recitals. It was built to honor Florence Harkness Severance (Louis Henry Severance), the only daughter of Stephen V. Harkness, and his second wife, Anna M. Richardson Harkness.

#### **RESTROOMS**

Restrooms are located at the back of the lobby near the main entrance.

#### PAGERS, CELL PHONES, COMPUTERS, TABLETS, AND LISTENING DEVICES

As a courtesy to the performers and audience members, please power off all electronic and mechanical devices, including pagers, cellular telephones, computers, tablets, wristwatch alarms, etc., prior to the concert.

#### PHOTOGRAPHY, VIDEO, AND RECORDING DEVICES

Photography and videography are prohibited during the performance.

#### **FACILITY GUIDELINES**

In order to preserve the beauty and cleanliness of the hall, food or beverage, including water, are prohibited. A drinking fountain is located near the restrooms.

#### IN THE EVENT OF AN EMERGENCY

Contact a member of the house staff if you require medical assistance. Exits are clearly marked throughout the building. House staff will provide instruction in the event of an emergency.

#### COVID-19

University Health and Counseling Services (UH&CS) is committed to protecting the health and well-being of our campus community. Masking is not required on campus, but those who wish to wear masks may do so. Individuals with symptoms of COVID, who have recently completed isolation for COVID, or who have been exposed to COVID should wear a well-fitting mask, as per CDC guidelines.



# Florence Harkness Memorial Chapel @harknesschapel

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#### **Program**

#### Case Glee Club

Betlehemu Nigerian Christmas Song Via Olatunji, arr. Wendell Whalum (1931-1987)

Quinn Bartsch, djembe

Sing Out, My Soul! Marques L. A. Garrett (b. 1984)

Ave Maria Franz Biebl (1906-2001)

Joshua Eagle, Ryan Gilmore, Adam Hutchings, Adaeze Izuegbunam, Daniel Popp, and Alex Siegel, vocal trio

Blue Christmas Billy Hayes and J. W. Johnson

arr. Clarke Bean

Brothers, Sing On! Edvard Grieg

arr. Howard McKinney

Hello Mary Lou! Gene Pitney and Cayet Mangiaracina

arr. David Wright

**Briefcase** 

I Will Go Sailing No More arr. Richard Hasty

Suitcase

Crying arr. David Wright

**Pencil Case** 

How Could I Ever Know arr. Theodore Hicks

#### **Program**

#### **University Chorale**

Wild Embers Melissa Dunphy (b. 1980)

Oh, Be Swift to Love Nancy Grundahl (b. 1946)

Courage to Be Who We Are Ruth Huber (b. 1949)

Zoe Fagerhaug, conductor

Mouth Music Dolores Keane (b. 1953) & John Faulkner

Winter Wonderland Felix Bernard (1897-1944)

#### **Combined Ensembles**

Deck the Hall Traditional Welsh Carol

Shine On, Case Western Reserve

Scott R. Miller
ed. Zheng Tang



#### **Biographies**

#### DR. CHRISTOPHER CLARK

LECTURER, DIRECTOR OF CHOIRS

Dr. Christopher L. Clark, PhD, is the Director of Choirs at Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland Heights, Ohio. He received his PhD from The University of Hartford's Hartt School of Music, and a double Masters in Music Education and Choral Conducting from Bowling Green State University. Dr. Clark has taught for 15 years in public school systems in Ohio and Massachusetts, most recently as Director of Vocal Music at the Southern Berkshire Regional School District in Sheffield, Massachusetts, teaching grades 3-12. Dr. Clark's research interests include the intersection of choral music educators and their religiosity, group choral improvisation, and social justice. A 2013 Yale "Distinguished Music Educator", Dr. Clark performs with Boston-based social justice choir, Voices 21C, and is a frequent guest clinician, soloist, and presenter.

#### MRS. JESSICA L. G. STEUVER

CONDUCTOR, UNIVERSITY CHORALE

Jessica L. G. Steuver [STY-ver], she/her, is proud to serve as the Instructor of Record of University Chorale. Originally from South Euclid, OH, Jessica is a full-time PhD Student in Music Education at Case Western Reserve University and also serves as the Instructor of Record of Voice Skills & Pedagogy. Her research interests include intersectional feminism in music, theater, musical catharsis, and mental health and choral participation post-pandemic. Jessica holds degrees from Bowling Green State University (BM) and University of Cincinnati, College-Conservatory of Music (MM). In addition to her graduate work at CWRU, Jessica serves as the Artistic Director of Windsong, Cleveland's Feminist Chorus, a community treble ensemble rooted in social justice, activism, and the empowerment that comes from finding one's own voice.



#### **University Chorale Ensemble Members**

Soprano I Hanraj, Alyssa King, Jill Sanz-Rios, Emilia Sebastian, Kathleen Wang, Yikun Zhu, Carolyn

Soprano II Davis, MG Diesch. Alicia Faircloth, Annabel Guo, Yibo Lyngdoh, Ariana McLaren, Ella Waltrip, Sybilla

Program/Plan Neuroscience Nursing Biology, Sociology, Pre-Health Nutrition Physics (PhD) Psychology, Biology, Pre-Health

Community Member

**Physics** Community Member Alto II Economics and Sociology Computing, Info Science (PhD) **Psychology** Music and Systems Biology Smith, CJ

Alto I Program/Plan Fitzsimons, Deirdre Engineering Graeff, Hannah Exchange Student Lin, Dolsev Nursing Newman, Lindsay Pre-Med Quan, Haley Music Education **Psychology** Rameshbabu, Srinidhi Vincent, Zoie Pre-Med Wurm, Amanda Community Member

Music Education & Licensure Fagerhaug, Zoe Horwitz, James Engineering Huang, Joanna **Accompanist** Community Member

#### **Case Glee Club Ensemble Members**

Tenor I Popp, Daniel \$@ von Coelln, Sophie Faircloth.Annabel % Hsieh, Kelly Raby, Sydney Stark, Sarah %

Tenor II Gomez Faulk, James Hutchings, Adam & Bruch, Sophie Eagle, Josh #% Gentile, David % Gilmore, Ryan #@

Izuegbunam, Adaeze #%@ Lehman, Matthew Smith, Justice Tipton,Chris

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Program/Plan Computer Science Astronomy Economics, Sociology Pre-Health/Biology, Pre-Medicine Tucker, Owen Theater Arts Biology, Pre-Health

**Physics** Mathematics, Computer Science Theater Arts Civil Engineering **Psychology** Mathematics, Music, Economics, Physics Data Science & Analytics Classics Electrical Engineering

**Psychology** 

Bass I Program/Plan Kaplan, Charles Oakes, Brady Raman, Dhruv Yin, Alexander **Biology** Creiner, Benjamin Kahn, Charles Siegel, Alexander &

Bass II Noga, Christopher Bartsch, Quinn Jarc, Paul McIntosh, Martin Pitasky, Ryan #@ Yamagami,Kai Yarnot, Eric % Bliss-Carrascosa, Nicola Engineering Cranston, Jimmy & Li, Andrew Reilly, Jack

Zupfer, Tyler

**Applied Mathematics** Biomedical Engineering Aerospace Engineering Chemistry Chemical Engineering Computer Engineering Chemical Engineering

Alumni Mechanical Engineering Alumni Mechanical Engineering Computer Science, Mathematics **Physics** Engineering, Physics Nutrition **Mathematics Psychology** Polymer Science & Engineering



### ABOUT

The DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC, an academic department within the COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES, serves undergraduate and graduate students at CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY as well as all students at the CLEVELAND INSTITUTE OF MUSIC through our JOINT MUSIC PROGRAM.

A top-ranked private research university with programs spanning the arts and sciences, engineering, health sciences, law, management, and social work, CWRU excels in musicology, historical performance practice, and music education. CIM is one of just three independent conservatories in the United States devoted exclusively to classical music performance. For over half a century, these distinguished institutions have used the JMP to share collective resources, focusing on the strengths of each institution.

Our campus (located in the heart of University Circle) provides a thriving and holistic learning experience where students feel comfortable in a diverse and supportive setting. The Department of Music aspires to be an inclusive environment in which all members feel empowered to participate in the community, fostering creative energy and insights that result in a better institution.

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We would like to express our sincere gratitude for attending our event. Your presence and engagement are truly appreciated. We hope that you found our performance enjoyable and that you were able to connect with others in our community. We value your support and look forward to seeing you again soon!

# UPCOMING CONCERTS & EVENTS

4:00 p.m. | Saturday, December 2, 2023

CWRU Chamber Collective: Small Ensembles Florence Harkness Memorial Chapel

7:30 p.m. | Saturday, December 2, 2023 CASE CONCERT CHOIR

Florence Harkness Memorial Chapel

6:15 p.m. | Monday, December 4, 2023

Baroque Orchestra and Dance with pre-concert demonstration Florence Harkness Memorial Chapel

11:30 a.m. | Thursday, December 7, 2023

Keyboard Ensemble Florence Harkness Memorial Chapel

7:30 p.m. | Thursday, December 7, 2023

Klezmer Music Ensemble Florence Harkness Memorial Chapel

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