

The Department of Music

of

The University of Alberta

presents

THE CONCERT CHOIR

and

THE MADRIGAL SINGERS

with

MARNIE GIESBRECHT-SEGGER, ORGANIST

in

## THE CHRISTMAS CONCERT

LEONARD RATZLAFF, CONDUCTOR

Friday, December 2, 1983 at 8:00 PM  
Convocation Hall, Old Arts Building

Heilig (Die deutsche Liturgie, 1846)

Felix Mendelssohn  
(1809-1847)

Psalm 98, SWV 35 (PSALMEN DAVIDS, 1619)

Heinrich Schütz  
(1585-1672)

A Choral Sequence

J.S. Bach  
(1685-1750)

(from Christmas Oratorio, 1734)

Ah! dearest Jesu, holy child  
With all thy hosts, O Lord, we sing  
Break forth, O beauteous heavenly light

(from Cantata 140, 1731)

Zion hears the watchmens' voices (tenors)  
Glory now to God we render

The Concert Choir

Noël sur les jeux d'anches (Nouveau livre  
de noëls, Op.2, 1740)

Louis-Claude Daquin  
(1694-1772)

Marnie Giesbrecht-Segger

Also hat Gott die Welt geliebt, SWV 380  
Ein Kind ist uns geboren, SWV 384  
(Geistliche Chormusik, 1648)

Schütz

Es ist das Heil uns kommen her, Op.29, No.1 (1864)

Johannes Brahms  
(1833-1897)

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Psalm 121

Gerhard Krapf  
(b. 1924)

Trent Worthington, tenor  
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INTERMISSION

Toccata in F, BWV 540 (ca. 1710)

J.S. Bach

Marnie Giesbrecht-Segger

Pater Noster (1972)

James Kent

O Sacrum Convivium (1937)

Olivier Messiaen  
(b. 1908)

A Spotless Rose (Three Carol-Anthems, 1919)

Herbert Howells  
(1892-1983)

Ardelle Ries, Conductor

Ding dong! merrily on high

trad. carol  
arr. Malcolm Williamson

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Torches, Op. 7a (1952)

John Joubert  
(b. 1927)

Gloria

Dominick Argento  
(b. 1927)

Sanctus (The Masque of Angels, 1964)

Douglas Schalin, Piano

Fantasia on Christmas Carols (1912)

Ralph Vaughan Williams  
(1872-1958)

Scott Hafso, Baritone

The Concert Choir

## TEXTS AND TRANSLATIONS

### Heilig

Heilig, heilig, heilig, ist Gott  
der Herr Zebaoth! Alle Lände sind  
seiner Ehre voll. Hosanna in der  
Höh! Gelobt sei der da kommt im  
Namen des Herrn! Hosanna in der Höh!

Holy, holy, holy is God  
the Lord of hosts! The whole earth  
is full of his glory. Hosanna in  
the highest! Blessed is he that cometh  
in the name of the Lord! Hosanna....

### Psalm 98

Singet dem Herrn ein neues Lied,  
denn er tut Wunder.  
Er sieget mit seiner Rechten  
und mit seinem heilgen Arm.  
Der Herr lässt sein Heil verkündigen,  
vor den Völkern lässt er seine  
Gerechtigkeit offenbaren.  
Er gedenket an seine Gnade und Wahr-  
heit dem Hause Israel; aller Welt Ende  
sehen das Heil unsers Gottes.  
Jauchzet dem Herren alle Welt,  
singet, rühmet und lobet, lobet den  
Herren mit Harfen und Psalmen, mit  
Drommeten und Posaunen,  
jauchzet vor dem Herrn, dem König.  
Das Meer brause und was drinnen ist;  
der Erdboden und die drauf wohnen.  
Die Wasserströme frohlocken und alle  
Berge sind fröhlich vor dem Herrn,  
denn er kommt, das Erdreich zu richten.  
Er wird den Erdboden richten mit  
Gerechtigkeit, und die Völker mit  
Recht.  
Ehre sei dem Vater und dem Sohn,  
und auch dem heilgen Geiste, wie es  
war im Anfang, jetzt und immerdar  
und von Ewigkeit zu Ewigkeit, Amen.

O sing to the Lord a new song,  
for he has done marvellous things!  
His right hand and holy arm  
have won him victory.  
The Lord has made his victory known;  
he has displayed his righteousness  
to all nations.  
He has remembered his constancy,  
his love for the house of Israel. All the  
ends of the earth have seen our God's victory.  
Make a joyful noise to the Lord, all the  
earth; break into songs of joy, sing praises.  
Sing praises to the Lord with the lyre and  
with psalms, with trumpets and horns, make  
a joyful noise before the Lord, the king.  
Let the sea roar and all its creatures,  
the world and those who dwell in it.  
Let the rivers clap their hands, let the  
hills sing aloud together before the Lord;  
for he comes to judge the earth.  
He will judge the world with righteousness,  
and the peoples with equity.

Glory be to the Father and to the Son,  
and to the Holy Spirit, as it was in the  
beginning, is now and ever shall be;  
world without end, Amen.

### Also hat Gott die Welt geliebt

Also hat Gott die Welt geliebt,  
dass er seinen eingeborenen Sohn gab,  
auf dass alle die an ihn glauben nicht  
verloren werden, sondern das ewige  
Leben haben.

For God so loved the world that he  
gave his only Son,  
that whoever believes in him should  
not perish but have eternal life.  
(John 3:16)

Ein Kind ist uns geboren

Ein Kind ist uns geboren, ein Sohn  
ist uns gegeben, welches Herrschaft  
ist auf seiner Schulter; und er  
heisst Wunderbar, Rat, Kraft, Held,  
Ewig Vater, Friedfürst; auf dass  
seine Herrschaft gross werde und  
des Friedens kein Ende, auf dem  
Stuhle David und seinem Königreiche,  
dass er's zurichte und stärke mit  
Gericht und Gerechtigkeit, von nun  
an bis in Ewigkeit. Solches wird  
tun der Eifer des Herren Zebaoth.

Es ist das Heil uns kommen her

Es ist das Heil uns kommen her  
von Gnad und lauter Güten:  
Die Werke helfen nimmermehr,  
sie mögen nicht behüten!  
Der Glaub sieht Jesum Christum an:  
der hat g'nug für uns all getan,  
er ist der Mittler worden.

- Paul Speratus, 16th C.

Pater noster

Pater noster, qui es in caelis:  
Sanctificetur nomen tuum: adveniat  
regnum tuum: fiat voluntas tua,  
sicut in caelo, et in terra.  
Panem nostrum quotidianum da nobis  
hodie: et dimitte nobis debita nostra,  
sicut et nos dimittimus debitoribus  
nostris. Et ne nos inducas in tenta-  
tionem. Sed libera nos a malo. Amen.

O sacrum convivium

O sacrum convivium! in quo Christus  
sumitur: recolitur memoria passionis  
ejus: mens impletur gratia: et  
futurae gloriae nobis pignus datur,  
alleluia. O sacrum convivium!

Gloria

Gloria in excelsis Deo. Et in terra  
pax hominibus bonae voluntatis.  
Laudamus te. Benedicimus te.  
Adoramus te. Glorificamus te.

Sanctus (see "Heilig")

For to us a child is born, to us a son  
is given; and the government will be  
upon his shoulder, and his name will be  
called "Wonderful, Counselor, Mighty God,  
Everlasting Father, Prince of Peace."  
Of the increase of his government and of  
peace there will be no end, upon the  
throne of David, and over his kingdom,  
to establish it, and to uphold it with  
justice and righteousness from this time  
forth and forevermore. The zeal of the  
Lord of hosts will do this. (Isaiah 9:6-7)

The Son of God is come to earth,  
Adorned with gifts and graces.  
Our works and actions have no worth;  
Our deeds are vain devices.  
By faith we see God's very Son  
And all the works that He has done;  
He is the intercessor.

(tr. Jean Lunn)

Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be Thy name; Thy kingdom  
come; Thy will be done on earth,  
as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread;  
and forgive us our trespasses, as we  
forgive those who trespass against us;  
and lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil. Amen.

O sacred banquet, in which Christ is  
received: the memory of His passion  
renewed: the mind filled with grace:  
and a promise of future glory given to  
us. Alleluia. O sacred banquet!

Glory to God in the highest. And on  
earth peace to men of goodwill.  
We praise Thee. We bless Thee.  
We adore Thee. We glorify Thee.

The University of Alberta Concert Choir

Soprano I

Sandra Butner  
Carmen Corbett  
Elaine Dunbar  
Jane Hartling  
Patti Irwin  
Sheryl Janzen  
Elizabeth Laich  
Denise Lemke  
Joyce Mah  
Kathleen Neudorf  
Nancy Paranchych  
Joanne Parenteau  
Jennifer Pfeiffer  
Linda Purves  
Shauna Still  
Mary-Jean Uszy  
Nancy Zemrau

Soprano II

Kaye Allen  
Margo Brault  
Virginia Gale  
Anne Geddes  
Carmela Haykowsky  
Michelle Henderson  
Julie Heroux  
Nancy Johnson  
Loretta McCormick  
Eileen O'Dwyer  
Natalie Onyschuk  
Ida Pederson  
Barbara Raleigh  
Marnie Rempel  
Patricia Richer  
Ardelle Ries  
Darlene Schubert  
Maria Thompson  
Alice Weitzel

Alto I

Jan Arnison  
Cheryl Balay  
Louise Cournoyer  
Kate Fawcett  
Alison Grant  
Debbie Hills  
June Hryciw  
Colleen Irwin  
Heather Kendrick  
Holly Malinowski  
Kathleen Pratt  
Roma Quapp  
Angela Schipper  
Nimmie Sequeira  
Shannon Wilkinson

Alto II

Caroline Bahry  
Jacqueline Dandeneau  
Cathy Grant  
Frances Jellard  
Binaifer Kapadia  
Carol MacKinnon  
Monica Mansell  
Judy Nakaska  
Lori Nowochin  
Gail Olmstead  
Patricia Reynolds  
Teresa Sadesky  
Cynthia Stratulat  
Marie Szaskiewicz  
Michelle Wiart  
Shauna Young

Tenor I

Kevin Biegel  
Richard Chung  
Richard Hurlbut  
Myles McIntosh  
Trent Worthington

Tenor II

Warren Albers  
Glen Halls  
Collin Hauch  
Doug McKibbon  
Michael Otto  
Douglas Schalin  
James Scheuerman

Baritone

Graham Brockley  
Jon Christenson  
Quinton Hackman  
Scott Hafso  
Jay Halls  
Damian Hayden  
Robert Jaffray  
Pierre Lorieau  
Lorne Schmidt  
Gerry Schubert  
Dwayne Sedgwick  
Mark Sloboda  
Fred Talen

Bass

Dwayne Barr  
Laurier Fagnan  
Brandon Konoval  
Chris Kubash  
Ron Kunz  
Gerhard Lotz  
Leo Parth  
Marcus Schwabe  
Harry Stamhuis  
David Zacharko  
Frank Zeritsch

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Soprano

Carol Dyck  
Janet Halsall  
Jane Hartling  
Sheryl Janzen  
Denise Lemke  
Ardelle Ries

Alto

Frances Jellard  
Lori Nowochin  
Elizabeth Raycroft  
Lisa Trofymow  
Beth Turnbull

Tenor

David Bacon  
Neal Evans  
Sanders Whiting  
Trent Worthington

Bass

Laurier Fagnan  
Peter Gaucher  
Paul Mitchinson  
David Zacharko