

WALLA WALLA CHORAL SOCIETY

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MAKING A POSITIVE SOUND IN OUR COMMUNITY

As part of their desire to give to the community more than the gift of song, the members of the Choral Society have been donating personal care and hygiene items during their "Bring One Thing" campaign, which benefits those who are being aided by the Walla

Walla Rescue Mission and other local organizations helping the homeless.

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PRESENTS
CHRISTMAS: THEN AND NOW

Jackson Maberry, Conductor and Artistic Director
Cheney Doane, Accompanist

Prelude
Kraig Scott, organ

Ave Maria
Franz Biebl
Directed by Eric Aeschliman

Hymn 192 — Angels We Have Heard On High
Kraig Scott, organ

Silent Night
Franz Gruber, Arr. Russell Robinson

Bring a Torch, Jeanette, Isabella
French Traditional Carol, Arr. Ruth Artman.
Grace Notes handbell choir; Anna Burgess, violin

Hymn 169 — O Come, O Come Emmanuel
Kraig Scott, organ

Hark the Herald Angels Sing
Felix Mendelssohn, Arr. Patrick Liebergen
Brass Ensemble

Riu Riu Chiu
Anonymous Spanish carol
Jeremy Irland, baritone

Pavane for A Silent Night
Maurice Ravel, Arr. Patrick Liebergen
Text by Jean Anne Schafferman
Anna Burgess, violin

Hymn 180 — What Child Is This?

Virga Jesse Floruit
Anton Bruckner
Anna Burgess, violin; Soobin Dokko, cello

Fantasia on Christmas Carols
Ralph Vaughan Williams
Jeremy Irland, baritone; Soobin Dokko, cello

TEXT TRANSLATIONS

Ave Maria

The angel of The Lord visited Mary
and she conceived of the Holy Spirit.
Hail Mary, Full of grace, the Lord is with you.
Blessed are you among women,
and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus, Jesus.
Mary said: See the servant of the Lord.
May it happen to me according to your word.
Hail Mary, Full of grace, the Lord is with you.
Blessed are you among women,
and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus, Jesus.
And the Word became flesh
and lived among us.
Hail Mary, Full of grace, the Lord is with you.
Blessed are you among women,
and blessed is the fruit of your womb, Jesus, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners,
Holy Mary, pray for us now and in the hour of our death.
Amen. Amen. Amen.

Riu Riu Chiu

“Riu, riu, chiu”
Cries the Kingfisher
God has kept the wolf
From our lamb
God has kept the wolf
From our lamb
The rabid wolf
Wanted to bite her
But Almighty God
Knew how to defend her
He willed to make her
Unable to sin
Even original sin
This virgin did not have
Riu, riu, chiu...
The one who is born
Is the Great Monarch
Christ the Patriarch
Clothed in flesh
He has redeemed us
By making himself small
Though he was infinite
He became finite

Virga Jesse Floruit

The Rod of Jesse hath blossomed: a virgin hath brought
forth One who was both God and man: God hath given
back peace to man, reconciling the lowest with the highest
to Himself.

GUEST ARTISTS

Jeremy Irland *Baritone*

Jeremy Irland, whose voice has been praised as having “a beautifully rich consistency and clarity,” is rapidly establishing his career as a young Dramatic Bass-Baritone.

An avid performer and recitalist, Mr. Irland recently performed Liederkreis and Wagner excerpts in recital in the Walla Walla Valley. Successful in competitions, Mr. Irland took first place in the Spokane Music Festival Young Artists Competition, and was a regional finalist in the Metropolitan Opera Young Artists Competition.

In addition to his performing schedule, Mr. Irland is a passionate educator. He is currently an adjunct professor at Walla Walla University.

Brass Quartet

Trumpets: David Reiff, Glen Mitchell

Trombone: Paul Vandervort, Rebecca Heisman

Handbell Players

Grace Notes handbell choir from the College Place Village Church

Anna Okada Burgess *Violin*

A Walla Walla native, Anna Okada Burgess is a student of Susan Pickett at Whitman College. Excelling in a variety of styles, Ms. Okada Burgess has recorded as a Celtic fiddler and folk-rock violinist, and is an avid enthusiast of historically informed performance practice, especially relating to the violin music of J.S. Bach.

Soobin Dokko *Cello*

Hailing from western Washington State, Soobin Dokko is a student of Sally Singer Tuttle at Whitman College. Ms. Dokko, along with Anna Okada Burgess and pianist Gabe Merrill-Steskal, comprise Ensemble Adastral, a piano trio focused on performances of Romantic repertoire.

Dr. Kraig Scott *Special guest organist*

A native of British Columbia, Kraig Scott has made recital appearances throughout North America, Europe and the Far East. As a member of the Walla Walla University music faculty Dr. Scott conducts the University choirs, teaches organ and harpsichord, serves as church organist, and oversees all music at the University Church.

As a guest conductor, Dr. Scott's appearances include leading the festival chorus of Central Lutheran Church (Eugene, Oregon), and conducting the 500-voice choir of the Seventh-day Adventist International Choral Congress in Bucha, Ukraine.

Dr. Scott holds a degrees from the Royal Conservatory of Toronto and from Walla Walla University. His advanced degrees include a M.Mus. from the University of Oregon, an M.A. and D.M.A. from the Eastman School of Music, and post-graduate choral conducting training at Michigan State University.

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