



UNIVERSITY *of*
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**MEN'S GLEE
CLUB &
GOSPEL
CHOIR**

featuring special guests,
The

**East High School
Choir**

Sunday, December 3, 2017

8:00 PM

Strong Auditorium

East High School Choir

Jodi Zajkowski, conductor

John Palocy, accompanist

Ain't that Good News

Traditional Spiritual

Arr. Moses Hogan

Somewhere in my Memory

(from the film

Home Alone)

Words by Leslie Bricusse

Music by John Williams

Arr. Mark Hayes

Breath of Heaven

(Mary's Song)

Chris Eaton & Amy Grant

Arr. Craig Courtney

Holiday Road

(from the film

National Lampoon's Vacation)

Lindsey Buckingham

Arr. Roger Emerson

University of Rochester Men's Glee Club

Harold F. McAulliffe, Conductor

Seth Dalton, Accompanist

Do You Fear The Wind

Leland B. Sateren

Cantate Hodie (Sing Today)

Mary Lynn Lightfoot

Though Much Is Taken,

Much Abides

Victor C. Johnson

Alfred, Lord Tennyson

Fascinating Rhythm

George & Ira Gershwin

Arr. Mark Hayes

Stars I Shall Find

Victor C. Johnson

Festival Sanctus **John Leavitt**

Give Me A Choral Medley
(A Singer's Spoof) **Andy Beck**

Brothers, Sing On **Edvard Grieg**
Arr. Howard McKinney

University of Rochester Gospel Choir
Thomas Green, Conductor

Say the Word **Arr. Rodnie Bryant**

You Deserve It **Arr. JJ Hairston**
& Youthful Praise
Soloist: Jesca Chengula

Total Praise **Arr. Richard Smallwood**

Lord of All **Arr. JJ Hairston**
& Youthful Praise
Soloist: Junghwan Shim

Combined Choirs

Hallelujah **Arr. Mervyn Warren,**
(from Handel's *Messiah*: **Michael O. Jackson**
A Soulful Celebration) **& Mark Kibble**
Choral arr. Teena Chinn

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East High School Choir

Jaenid Ayala*	Miracle Hill
Jada Barnes	Danielle Jenkins
Elaisa Burke	Elisha Jenkins
Daniel Collazo	Jalon McCloud Wilson
Jordan Comer*	Clairissa Moore*
Aidaliz Cruz Herrera	Keishawn Ponder
Sylvana De-Souza*	MaKarrah Ramsey
Armani Fagan	Saracelys Rodriguez
Chasity Gagner	Moises Saavedra
Anielys Garcia	Phoenix Session
Deziree Garrick*	Jasmine Thoma
Brianna Grate*	Adaysha Washington
Talayza Hilarski*	Ron-nasia Williams

* Featured on "Breath of Heaven (Mary's Song)"

Gospel Choir

Charles Aldrich	David Marshall
Kapambwe Chalwe	George Muiruri
Chen Chen	Vilakazi Mxolisi
Jesca Chengula	Brandon Nguyen
Alfredo Cumbana	Halimah Ouedraogo
Benard Duah	Noelle Peluso
Christian Hurdle	Kaiwa Saffie
Mercy Salome Jemutai	Victoria Scott
Yicheng Jiang	Yiran Shan
Christina Krewson	Junghwan Shim
Milagros Luna	Aiyana Smith
Barry Magenya	Yahan Xie

Men's Glee Club

Ken Anderson

George Bastedo IV

Seth Dalton

James Fienup

Adrian Go

Leif Johansen

Kern Harrison

Colin Pronovost

Robert Schor

James Nelson Scott

William Sturdevant

Harold McAulliffe's commitment to excellence has permeated every moment of his 50 year career as a professional educator, performer and conductor.

Mr. McAulliffe has organized and conducted multiple choral and instrumental ensembles, area festivals and musical theater productions. His choral expertise is requested each holiday season when he trains and conducts the Holiday Pops Festival choir for Rochester Philharmonic Pops conductor Jeff Tyzik. Equally successful as a tenor soloist, Mr. McAulliffe has appeared with major symphonies and choral societies around the United States and performed as a soloist in a number of European countries. He also appeared in a series of concerts across America promoting the Summer Olympics in Barcelona.

For the majority of his career, Mr. McAulliffe has been a leader in the Rochester music community, promoting the arts on a variety of corporate and county boards. He has served, or is serving, on the boards of Young Audiences of Rochester, the Rochester Philharmonic Youth Orchestra, Rotary Club of Pittsford, Vice President of the Pittsford District Retired Teacher's Association, and KEEP, the Pittsford Central Schools Foundation. The Rochester Philharmonic Orchestra has also honored him as the Vocal Music Educator of the year. He has served for over 48 years as Musical Director for Pittsford Musicals, Inc., a community theater organization of which he was a co-founder and that has given over a quarter million dollars in scholarships to local students pursuing careers in the arts. He retired after 40 years of service in June 2007 from the Pittsford Central School District, having served as teacher, District Instructional Leader for Music, and Director of the Pittsford Summer Enrichment Institute.

Harold now teaches at the University of Rochester as conductor of the Men's Glee Club. He continues to travel the country, adjudicating choral festivals and appearing as a guest soloist.

The **GOSPEL CHOIR** was established under the aegis of Campus Ministries in September 1976, in an attempt to offer a musical outlet for the school's African-American students. From 1977-1979, the choir was sponsored by the Student Activities Committee and in 1979 became an ensemble under the Music Department. The Choir was the featured guest artist at Cornell University's 1st Annual Festival of Gospel in 1977. In April 1977, the UR Gospel Choir presented Langston Hughes's, "Tambourines To Glory", under the dramatic

and musical direction of Rev. Alvin Parris III. In 1978, the choir, in cooperation with the Association of Black Drama and the Arts (ABDA), performed the Broadway musical, *Purlie!* in the Interfaith Chapel.

Over these 40 years, the choir has presented concerts in Providence University (Rhode Island), SUNY Binghamton, Brockport State, and in many local churches and colleges in the greater-Rochester area. In the years 1981–1983, the choir performed frequently in the Rochester City Schools as a part of the Young Audiences Program of Arts for Greater Rochester. The choir has also performed with such featured greats as Fred Hammond and Commissioned, the Donnie McClurken Singers, Chronicles, and many others.

Starting out with 8 students in 1976, the choir has maintained a consistent membership of 30–45 students and is currently under the direction of Mr. Thomas Green. A native of Rochester, New York, Mr. Green serves as the Minister of Music at the Mt. Vernon Baptist Church and Musical Director for the Voices of Thunder City-Wide Male Chorus. He is also the Vice President for the William Warfield scholarship fund.



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