



Evening Concert Series

2013–2014 Season

Helen M. Hosmer Hall

Tuesday, March 18, 7:30 PM

Phoenix Club Crane Concert Choir

Phoenix Club
Rebecca Reames, conductor
Angela Bove, student conductor
Andrew Duffer, student conductor

Vivos Voco (2005)

Joan Szymko
(b. 1957)

Kaitlyn Leahy, piano
Amelia O'Hara, director
Katelynn Donahue, Andrew Duffer, Meghan Gallagher,
Justin Green, Kaila Harrienger, handbells

*I call the living
I cry for the dying
I wail for the dead
I console the living
I disperse the winds*

I drive away the overcast of the sky
(Medieval virtues inscribed on church tower bells)

All shall be well, and all manner of things shall be well.
Julian of Norwich (c. 1342-1413)

Songbird (2013)

Sarah Quartel

Ave Maria (1865)

Camille Saint-Saëns
(1835-1921)

Daniel Soucy, organ

*Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with thee,
Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death.
Amen.*

Koudjay (2010)

Sydney Guillaume
(b. 1982)

*A time to sow
and a time to reap.
A time for work
and a time for leisure.
Today we rest.
Today we celebrate.
Drum major, lead on,
Musicians, play on!*

*Beat the drums, blow the trumpet,
Play the violin and clarinet.
Musicians, singers, let's show them what we got.
Let's sing, dance merengue and kalinda,
Today is the big feast!
We will party like there's no tomorrow
With no fear, nor danger
We'll sing and dance
As life requires it.
All day long we've been at work
Laboring, making a difference.
We sowed and planted,
We scattered and watered.*

*Now it's time to relax,
We must take a break and dance merengue.
Now it's time to let go,
Time to kalinda and zouk
While we await the harvest.*

*"A time for everything,
and everything in its time."
That is a sacred quote that we must observe!*

*Musicians, play on, it's party time!
Dance and zouk like there's no tomorrow,
Today is "Koudjay"!*

Bumble Bee (2012)

Anders Enderroth

Noelle Flynt, piano

*From flower to flower,
Hour after hour,
Be humble, be humble bumble bee.*

*They all say you can't fly,
Tiny wings still take you high,
Be humble, be humble bumble bee.*

*And I've heard you can't die,
Heaven knows if that's a lie,
Be humble, be humble bumble bee.*

*From flower to flower,
Hour after hour,
They all say you can't fly,
And I've heard you can't die,
Be humble, be humble bumble bee.*

*From flower to flower.
Hour after hour.*

Concert Choir
Rebecca Reames, conductor
Matthew Abernathy, student conductor

Peze Kafé

Traditional Haitian
Arr. by Sten Källman
(b. 1952)

Brandon Bromsey, Percussion

*Manman m voye m peze kafe o
An arivan mwen sou potay
Men youn jandam arete m
Woy sa ma di lakay lè m arive mezanmi
Sa ma di lakay lè m arive*

*Mother sends me to the market to sell coffee.
The police stop me, they take my coffee.
Oh, what shall I say when I get home?*

O Magnum Mysterium

Ivo Antognini
(b. 1963)

*O great mystery, and wondrous sacrament,
that animals should see the newborn Lord lying in their manger!
Blessed is the Virgin whose womb was worthy to bear the Lord Jesus Christ,
Alleluia!*

Cave

David Heinick
(b. 1954)

Premiere
Lillia Wooschlager, oboe
Brandon Bromsey, marimba and tomtoms

Text by Richard Lewis (attached)
Photographs by George Hirose of sculpture by Elizabeth Crawford

Penny Lane (1967/2012)

John Lennon and Paul McCartney
Arr. by Paris Rutherford

*Penny Lane is performed tonight in celebration of the Beatles'
first tour to America 50 years ago.*

Cave
An Evocation of the Beginnings of Art
by Richard Lewis

In this cave,
earth began.

We heard the dark
moving between our eyes.

And deep inside,
we saw night and the stars
coming towards us.

We were alone
until a star fell
and became the sun.

The blood in our hands
began to flow
and from our heart's
breathing
there was light.

Animals gathered around us,
and wildly
as if to be the moving sky,
they sprung into the
branches of air,
running and galloping
through the wind.

When the day grew dark,
we and the animals
took a part of the earth
back into our sleep

and in our dreams
we were afraid.

Awakened by our hunger
we whispered to each other:

“You shall be my food.
You shall live inside me.
We will become one
another.”

Waiting in the shadows of
hills
we spoke to each other:

“Slowly, slowly walk to me.
Slowly, let me close your
eyes.
Slowly, let me sing to you.
Slowly, let me hear your
song.”

Listening, each of us closed
our eyes.

Listening, each of us turned
away.

Once more we were alone.

Through snow and rain
cold and warmth

we called
we called to each other,

our callings
echoing
far into the silences
of dark caves.

And there,
there in cave darkness

we took our hands
and on the rock bones
we made you breathe,

we took our hands
and on the rock bones
we made you see.

There, in cave darkness
we took our hands,
and on the rock bones
we made you move.

Singing we asked:

“Are you here?
Are you here?”

Singing you answered:

“We are here.
We are here.”

In this cave,
earth began.

We heard the dark moving
between our eyes.

In this skull,
sky bent over us.
Mountains and valleys were
in our breath.

And deep inside,
we saw night and the stars
and the voices of our singing
coming towards us.

Phoenix Club Personnel

Brittney Banks	Kaitlin McNulty
Kendra Barton	Elizabeth Mirandi
Brianne Bennett	Moira Montgomery
Angela Bove	Lisa Morabito
Rebecca Breen	Jennifer Morawski
Sarah Burns	Sarah Murphy
Kala Bush	Sara Myers
Autumn Capocci	Elissa Newhart
Zoe Carpentieri	Kathryn Oppido
Katherine Danforth	Khaya Palada
Sara DiFiore	Hannah Pawluk
Noelle Flynt	Virginia Reed
Rebecca Hamel	Kellian Ribaldo
Bria Hemphill	Georgianna Rickard
Kate-Nicole Hoffman	Samantha Schick
Jessica James	Samantha Sheats
Kathleen Kane	Tiffany Smalls
Nora Kazemieh	Victoria Smith
Nicole Kohlweiss	Michaela Trackey
Danielle LaMere	Helena Waterous
Kaitlyn Leahy	Kristen Willman
Lisa Lyman	

Concert Choir Personnel

Matthew Abernathy
Juliana Alfano
Angela Bove
Cameron Brownell
Julie Chaves
Samantha Claps
Nicholas Converso
Amanda Cossette
Andrew Duffer
Joshua Eichhorn
Heather Ferlo
Meghan Gallagher
Kaila Harrienger
Kayla Kesner
Daniel Kurtz
Derrick Lacasse
Ryan Lockwood
Nicholas Mariani
Michelle Mesch
Amelia O'Hara
Robert Orbach
Josephine Perraglia
Nicholas Roehler
Gregory Shilling
Timothy Sininger
Anissa Tazari

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- Bringing food or drink into the concert hall.
- Taking flash photographs.
- Using electronic devices (please completely turn off any devices that make sounds or have glowing screens).

Children who are able to sit quietly during the performance are welcome to our concerts.

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