1 25 A TRADITION OF INNOVATION

Afternoon Concert Series

2011-2012 Season

Sunday, April 22 Helen M. Hosmer Hall 3:00 PM

Potsdam Community Chorus Jeffrey Francom, Conductor Guest Organist, Gail Archer

Sonata in Eb Minor, Op. 65 (1908)

Horatio Parker (1863-1919)

Variations on America (1892)

Charles Ives (1874-1954)

Gail Archer, Organ

Requiem, Op. 9 (1947)

Maurice Duruflé (1902-1986)

I. Introït

Requiem aeternam
dona eis, Domine,
et lux perpetua luceat eis.
Te decet hymnus, Deus in Sion,
et tibi reddetur
votum in Jerusalem;
exaudi orationem meam,
ad te omnis caro veniet.
Requiem aeternam
dona eis, Domine,
et lux perpetua luceat eis.

Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. A hymn, O God, becometh Thee in Zion, and to thee a vow shall be fulfilled in Jerusalem; Hear my prayer, for all flesh shall come unto Thee. Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

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II. Kyrie

Kyrie eleison, Christe eleison. Kyrie eleison. Lord have mercy on us, Christ have mercy on us. Lord have mercy on us.

III. Domine Jesu Christe

Domine Jesu Christe, rex gloriae, libera animas omnium fidelium defunctorum de poenis inferni et de profundo lacu.
Libera eas de ore leonis, ne absorbeat eas tartarus, ne cadant in obscurum.

Sed signifer sanctus Michael repraesentet eas in lucem sanctam, quam olim Abrahae promisisti et semini ejus.
Hostias et preces tibi, Domine, laudis offerimus.
Tu suscipe pro animabus illis, quarum hodie memoriam facimus, fac eas, Domine, de morte transire ad vitam quam olim Abrahae promisisti et semini ejus.

Lord Jesus Christ, King of glory, free the souls of all the faithful departed from the pains of hell and from the deep pit; Deliver them from the lion's mouth that hell engulf them not, that they fall not into darkness.

But let Michael,
the holy standard-bearer,
bring them into the holy light,
which once thou promised
to Abraham and to his seed.
We offer Thee, O Lord,
sacrifices and prayers of praise;
Receive them, Lord,
on behalf of those souls
whom we commemorate this day;
grant them, O Lord,
to pass from death unto life
which once thou promised
to Abraham and to his seed.

IV. Sanctus

Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth, pleni sunt coeli et terra gloria tua. Hosanna in excelsis! Benedictus, qui venit in nomine Domini. Hosanna in excelsis!

Holy, Lord God of hosts. The heavens and the earth are full of Thy glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

V. Pie Jesu

Katherina Marshall, Mezzo-Soprano

Pie Jesu Domine, dona eis requiem sempiternam. Gentle Lord Jesus, grant them eternal rest.

VI. Agnus Dei

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, dona eis requiem sempiternam.

Lamb of God, Who takest away the sins of the world: grant them eternal rest.

VII. Lux aeterna

Lux aeterna luceat eis, Domine, cum sanctis tuis in aeternum, quia pius es. Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine, et lux perpetua luceat eis. May light eternal shine upon them, O Lord, with thy saints forever and ever, for Thou art kind.

Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.

VIII. Libera me

Libera me, Domine, de morte aeterna. in die illa tremenda, quando coeli movendi sunt et terra, dum veneris judicare saeculum per ignem. Tremens factus sum ego et timeo dum discussio venerit atque ventura ira, auando coeli movendi sunt et terra. Dies illa, dies irae, calamitatis et miseriae. dies magna et amara valde. Requiem aeternam dona eis, Domine, et lux perpetua luceat eis. Libera me. Domine. de morte aeterna. in die illa tremenda, auando coeli movendi sunt et terra. dum veneris judicare saeculum per ignem.

Deliver me, O Lord, from eternal death on that dreadful day when the heavens and the earth shall be moved. and Thou shalt come to judge the world by fire. I tremble with fear as I await the day of judgment and the wrath to come, when the heavens and the earth shall be moved. Day of mourning, day of wrath, of calamity, and of misery; that great, and bitter day. Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. Deliver me, O Lord, from eternal death on that dreadful day when the heavens and the earth shall be moved, and Thou shalt come to judge the world by fire.

IX. In Pardisum

In Paradisum deducant Angeli in tuo adventu suscipiant te Martyres et perducant te in civitatem sanctam Jerusalem. May the angels lead you to Paradise, at thy coming may the martyrs receive you, and lead you into the holy city of Jerusalem.

Chorus Angelorum te suscipit et cum Lazaro quondam paupere aeternam habeas requiem.

There may a choir of angels welcome you, and with poor Lazarus, once a beggar, may you have eternal rest.

Wondrous Love (1959)

Samuel Barber (1910-1981)

Gospel Preludes: Book 4 (1984) Sometimes I Feel Sweet Hour of Prayer William Bolcum (b. 1938)

Free Fantasia on O Zion, Haste and How firm a Foundation Gail Archer, Organ

Gail Archer is an international concert organist, recording artist, choral conductor and lecturer who has specialized in drawing attention to composer anniversaries with her annual recital series in New York City: Liszt, Bach, Mendelssohn and Messiaen; in spring, 2012 she is celebrating American organ music in five concerts in New York City. Ms. Archer was the first American woman to play the complete works of Olivier Messiaen for the centennial of the composer's birth in 2008; Time-Out New York recognized the Messiaen cycle as "Best of 2008" in Classical music and opera. Her recordings include Franz Liszt: A Hungarian Rhapsody, Bach, the Transcendent Genius, An American Idyll, A Mystic In the Making on Meyer-Media LLC and The Orpheus of Amsterdam: Sweelinck and his Pupils on CALA Records, London. Ms. Archer is college organist at Vassar College, and director of the music program at Barnard College, Columbia University where she conducts the Barnard-Columbia Chorus. She serves as director of the artist and young organ artist recitals at historic Central Synagogue, New York City.

Potsdam Community Chorus Personnel

Soprano Alto Betsy Baker Susan Barkle Donna Lee Behnke Sue Bonnell Mary Betz Laura Brohm Elisabeth Brandt Enzu Chang Olivia Breen Lois Cutter Lindsay Burress Carlene Daly Danielle Christ Cora DeSantis Kerry Clancy Brittney Donovan Cynthia Coleman Danielle Edwards Shalvi D'Arcangelo Ann Fullerton Elizabeth Giffune-Martha Grow Ekland Hannah Harvester Desiree Farrell Deirdre Hennessey Becky Fulton Jenna Hulton Stephanie Giannico Rosalie Jadlos Allison Giguere Sharon Jones Stacy Heller Kaitlyn Leahy Alexandra Jacobs Nicole Mihalek Amy Krempl Ashley Ockner Ashley Lovejoy Christine Pando Lora Lunt Lan Riisnes Katherina Marshall Ann Shaw Amber McLaughlin Kaylie Streit Cynde Morin Maria Stromberg Devon Rockhill Laura Toland Hollye Schiff Sandy Tomalty Joanne Swift Alex Tubbs

Clare Ursillo

Stephanie Vitkun

Carolyn Watters

Ashley Tomei

Marissa Young

Melanie Zehner

Potsdam Community Chorus Personnel Cont'd

Tenor

Matthew Beckstead Christopher Brow John Cross

Christopher Dwyer

Brandon Griffin Brett Hayes Mike Janover

Richard Lunt Brendan Meier

Kevin Toomey Michael Zupan Bass

James Barton Ogden Brandt

Nathaniel Brown James Butner

Cody Chamberlain Kyle Chamberlain

Timothy Chan

Steve Damon

Michael Fulton Kevin Gorman

Jesse Grathwohl

Corey Robert Hopkins

Andrew Maroni

Bill Melchior

Michael Murphy

Justin Pestuglicci Anthony Pike

Corey Reichhart

Jonathan Somer

Brian Sweeney

Walter Thiem

David Thornhill Ray Toland

Brett Wunsch

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