



*antemus
Women's Choir*

*Spring Concert
A Garden of Song*

**Sunday, May 3, 2015, 7:00 p.m.
Waverly Road Presbyterian Church
Kingsport, Tennessee**

**Patricia Denmark, Director
Erin Elizabeth Raines, Accompanist**

Program

<i>Cantemus!</i>	Lajos Bardos
<i>Create in Me a Clean Heart</i>	Thomas Keesecker
<i>Crucifixus</i> Susan Whipple - Organ Bryant Denmark, Sarah Tanner, Emily Smith - String Trio	Jan Dismas Zelenka
<i>Cantate Domino</i>	Giuseppe Pitoni
<i>Song of Ruth</i>	David N. Childs
<i>Lux Aeterna from Missa</i> Susan Whipple - Organ	Z. Randall Stroope
<i>At the River</i> <i>Arise My Love</i>	Aaron Copland Joan Szymko
<i>The Lord is My Shepherd</i>	Randall Thompson

Intermission

<i>Bloom</i>	Philip E. Silvey
<i>Van gli effluvi de le rose</i>	Francesco Paolo Tosti
<i>Down By the Salley Gardens</i>	arr. Amy Pummill Stewart
<i>Reel a' Bouche</i> Rae Goines, Lee Whitson, Anne Osborne, Deb Harpster - Soloists Bill Donoho - Hammered Dulcimer	Malcolm Dalglish
<i>She's Like the Swallow</i> Kari Roueche, Lucy George - Soloists	arr. Eleanor Daley
<i>A Girl's Garden from Frostiana</i>	Randall Thompson
<i>Lilacs and Rain</i>	Neil Pfeifer
<i>When I Sing to Make You Dance</i> Jill Jones - Soloist Eileen Butler - Flute	Michael John Trotta



TRANSLATIONS

Cantemus!

Let us sing because it is good to sing, let us sing because it is delightful to sing, let us sing because it is lovely to sing.

Crucifixus

He was crucified for us, suffered under Pontius Pilate, and was buried.

Cantate Domino

O sing unto the Lord a new song: let the congregation of saints praise him.

Let Israel rejoice in him that made him: and let the children of Sion be joyful in their King.

Lux Aeterna

May light eternal shine upon them, O Lord, in the company of thy saints forever and ever; for thou art merciful. Rest eternal grant to them, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them.

Van gli effluvi de la rose

The scent of roses wafts from the gardens and lovely notes from the strings cast an enchantment upon the night. The fierce wine of youth burns brilliant and ardent in human veins; from time to time, on the air comes a breath of warm voluptuousness and a whisper of femininity. The waters touch the solitary shores; the scent of roses drifts from the gardens, and into the distance go the notes of love, like shooting stars.



Soprano 1

Abi Bell
Lucy George
Rae Goines
Deborah Harpster
Jill Jones
Katie Vanover
Lee Whitson

Soprano 2

Bonny Gable
Melinda Haynes
Druanne Hogstrom
Laura O'Bryan
Anne Osborne
Lisa Summar
Patricia Taylor
Victoria Wheeler
Kirsty Zahnke

Alto 1

Eileen Butler
Elisabeth Dooley
Laurel Flaccavento
Beth Geno
Jenny Rogers
Kari Roueche
Margery Wilson
Maggie Zeller

Alto 2

Charlotte Anderson
Anne Davis
Nancy Jane Earnest
Rose Marie Dunn
Myrth Mills
Sharon Upchurch
Deborah Weddington



CANTEMUS WOMEN'S CHOIR WOULD LIKE TO THANK:

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About Cantemus Women's Choir

Cantemus (Latin for "Let us sing") was founded in summer 2014 and is open to experienced female singers of all ages. We are dedicated to exploring the beauty and versatility of music written and arranged for women's voices. Our goal is to provide talented women in our area with exceptional musical and interpersonal experiences.

Erin Elizabeth Raines, Accompanist

Erin Elizabeth Raines is thrilled to accompany the voices of Cantemus Women's Choir in their debut performance! In 2013, she graduated Magna Cum Laude from Milligan College, where she studied piano under the direction of Anne B. Elliott; accompanied the Milligan College Concert Choir under the direction of Noah DeLong, Douglas Grove-DeJarnett, and Dr. David Hendricksen; and studied vocal technique with Dr. Charlotte Anderson. Erin holds a Bachelor of Arts in Music from Milligan, and she is currently working towards a Master of Divinity at Emmanuel Christian Seminary to prepare for a life of using music to encourage and strengthen the Church. You can often find Erin in a local music classroom, playing for a school choir or musical, or at Oak Grove Christian Church at the piano on Sundays. Thanks to Patty for inspiring, Joshua for being awesome, and Family for loving.

Patricia Denmark, Director

Patricia is the Director of Music at St. Christopher's Episcopal Church in Kingsport, Tennessee. She has taught Kindergarten through 12th Grade music in both Texas and Tennessee. An avid lover of choral music, Patricia is a member of The Civic Chorale in Johnson City, and has performed in a variety of other community, church, school, and professional choruses and ensembles throughout her career. Patricia was honored to have twice been selected to sing in the Robert Shaw Professional Choral Workshop in New York City. She has also participated in two additional Carnegie Hall Professional Choral Workshops, under the direction of Andre Previn and Helmuth Rilling. In the fall of 2013, Patricia was selected to be a part of the inaugural Disney Virtual Honor Choir, which premiered a new composition by Eric Whitacre. Patricia is grateful to her husband Ken for his technical assistance and overall support, and to the ladies of Cantemus for sharing her vision, and making this dream a reality.



2015-2016 SEASON DATES

August 11- Auditions

August 18 - First Rehearsal

October 24, 7:00 p.m. - Fall Concert - Expressions of Love

December 18, 7:30 p.m. - Christmas in the Air (with AMEn)

February 28, 3:00 p.m. - Quatro Cori (with AMEn, ETSU Belles, and Bucsworth Men)

May 1, 7:00 p.m. - Spring Concert - Untraveled Worlds

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All donations will go towards operations of the choir.*