Thirty-third Annual

Choir Festival

Ocean Grove Auditorium

Sunday, July 12, 1987 at 7:30 p.m.



featuring

The Great Ocean Grove Choir Festival Chorus
Ten Guest Conductors
Oboe Soloist
Jazz Trio



Ocean Grove Auditorium Music Staff

Lewis A. Daniels- Director of Music Gordon Turk- Organist Faith S. Daniels- Pianist

Mertine Johns- Mezzo Soprano Judith Pannill- Soprano

Ronald Naldi-Tenor Kevin Short, Bass Baritone

To the Glory of God

Ransomed, Healed, Restored, Forgiven; Evermore His Praises Sing!

Organ Prelude: Crown Imperial

Gordon Turk, Organist

William Walton

Choral Introit: Prayer for the Choir

Directed by Ross Hastings

Ross Hastings

Earthen vessels, Fashioned by a Master hand, To hold a treasure not its own: So I am, Lord, So I am! Holy Spirit, Dwelling in this fragile mold, Inspire me with your mighty Word. Make me bold, Lord, make me bold. Humble servant Honored by this sacred task; To sing and show the love of God... That I ask, Lord, that I ask.

Call to Worship

Let all the joys of the godly well up in praise to the Lord, For it is right to praise Him. Play joyous melodies of praise upon the lyre and on the harp. Compose new songs of praise to him, Accompanied skillfully on the harp. Sing joyfully! For all God's words are right, And everything he does is worthy of our trust.

He loves whatever is just and good; The earth is filled with his tender love.

He merely spoke and the heavens were formed, And all the galaxies of stars.

He made the oceans, pouring them into his vast reservoirs. Let everyone in all the world - men, women and children - Fear the Lord and stand in awe of Him.

*Hymn of Praise-Rejoice Ye Pure in Heart (Words and music printed on page 12)

Anthems-

Lauda Anima (Praise, My Soul the King of Heaven)

Mark Andrews (Ocean Grove's first organist - 1908)

MarkAndrews

Directed by Clayton White

Praise my soul, the King of heaven; To his feet thy tribute bring. Ransomed, healed, restored forgiven, Evermore His praises sing: Alleluia, Alleluia, Praise the everlasting King.

Father like He tends and spares us; Well our feeble frame He knows; In His hands He gently bears us, Rescues us from all our our foes. Alleluia, Alleluia, Widely yet His mercy flows.

Angels in the height adore Him! Ye behold Him face to face; Saints triumphant bow before Him! Gathered in from every race. Alleluia, Alleluia, Praise with us the God of Grace. Amen.

O How Amiable

Rafe Vaughn Williams

Directed by Richard Harley with John Harley at the Organ

O How amiable are they dwellings: thou Lord of hosts!

My soul hath a desire and longing to enter into the courts of the Lord.

My heart and my flesh rejoice in the living God.

And the swallow a nest where she may lay her young:

Even thy altars, O Lord of hosts, my King and my God,

Blessed are they that dwell in thy house:

They will be alway praising thee.

The Glorious Majesty of the Lord our God be upon us:

Prosper thou the work of our hands upon us. O prosper thou our handy work

O God our help in ages past, Our hope for years to come,

Our shelter from the stormy blast, And our eternal home.

Lift Thine Eyes to the Mountains (from Elijah)

Felix Mendelssohn Bartholdy

Directed by Mary Eichorn

Lift thine eyes, O lift thine eyes to the mountains, whence cometh help. Thy help cometh from the Lord, the Maker of heaven and earth. He hath said, thy foot shall not be moved. Thy Keeper will never slumber, Lift thine eyes, O lift thine eyes to the mountains, whence cometh help.

Evening Prayer: Anthems:

Beautiful Savior

Harold Schmul, Trustee, OGCMA Arr. F. Melius Christiansen

Soloist - Mertine Johns, Mezzo Soprano Directed by David Clyle Morse

Fair are the meadows, Fairer the woodlands, Robed in flowr's of blooming spring; Jesus is fairer, Jesus if purer, He makes our sorrowing spirit sing. Beautiful Savior! Lord of the nations! Son of God and Son of Man! Glory and honor, Praise, adoration, Now and forever more be Thine.

Here Yet Awhile Directed by Robert F. Davis

Johann Sebastian Bach

Here yet a while, Lord, Thou art sleeping, Hearts turn to Thee O Saviour blest: Rest Thou calmly, rest Thou calmly, calmly rest, O Saviour blest: Calmly rest, rest Thou calmly, calmly rest, here yet awhile. Lord thou art sleeping, hearts turn to Thee, O Saviour blest: Rest Thou Calmly, rest Thou calmly, calmly rest.

Death, that holds Thee in its keeping, death that holds Thee in its keeping, rest, Rest Thou calmly, calmly rest.

When its bonds are loosed by Thee, Shall become a rest, welcome portal, Leading man to life immortal, Where he shall Thy glory, he shall Thy glory see Rest Thou calmly, calmly rest. Saviour blest, Saviour blest, Slumber now and take Thy rest. Here yet a while, Lord Thou art sleeping, hearts turn to Thee, O Saviour blest: Rest Thou Calmly, rest Thou calmly, calmy rest.

Daybreak

Don Wyrtzen

Directed by Ralph Winters

It's daybreak - the Lamb lives again, It's daybreak - He's the Savior of men; It's daybreak - He's alive evermore: It's daybreak, glorious daybreak! It's daybreak - the whole world can sing, It's daybreak - sing that Jesus is King: It's daybreak, and the victry's been won; It's daybreak and the Lamb is alive.

The shadows flee and night fades away, The world gives birth to a brand new day;

The Son is living - He's alive and well, The Son is living - go quickly and tell;
The Son is living just as He said - And it's daybreak, glorious daybreak!
It's daybreak, the Lamb lives again, It's daybreak, He's the savior of men;
It's daybreak - He's alive evermore, It's daybreak, glorious daybreak!
It's daybreak, the whole world can sing, It's daybreak-sing that Jesus is King;
It's daybreak, and the victry's been won: It's daybreak, and the Lamb is alive! He's alive, He's alive.

Greeting:

Rev. John O'Neill, Chairman, Music Committee, OGCMA

Organ Offertory: "Siciliano"
The Ocean Grove Auditorium Ushers' March

Giovanni B. Pergolesi Clarence Kohlmann

*Doxology:

Praise God from whom all blessings flow; Praise Him, all creatures here below; Praise him above, ye heavenly host; Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost. Amen.

Anthems:

Pilgrim's Chorus from Tannhauser Directed by Harry Eichorn

Richard Wagner

Once more with joy, O my home, I may meet; Once more ye fair flow'ry meadows, I greet ye; My pilgrim staff hence forth may rest, Since Heav'n's sweet peace is with-in my breast. The sinner's plaint on high was heard, Accepted by a gracious Lord, The tears I laid before his shrine, Are turned to hope and joy divine. O Lord, eternal praise be Thine! The blessed source of Thy mercy o'erflowing, On souls repentant who seek Thee bestowing; Of hell and death I have no fear, My gracious Lord is ever near, Hallelujah, eternally eternally.

The Shepherds' Farewell to the Holy Family

Hector Berlios

Thou Must Leave Thy Lowly Dwelling from the Childhood of Christ

Soloist - Lloyd Shorter, Oboe Directed by Cindy Bell

Thou must leave Thy lowly dwelling, The humble crib, the stable bare, Babe, all mortal babes excelling, Content our earthly lot to share, Loving father, loving mother, Shelter Thee with tender care!

Blessed Jesus we implore Thee, With humble love and holy fear, In the land that lies before Thee, Forget not us who linger here! May the shepherd's lowly calling Ever to Thy heart be dear!

Blest are ye beyond all measure, Thou happy father, mother, mild! Guard ye well your Heav'nly Treasure, The Prince of Peace, the Holy Child! God go with you, God protect you, Guide you safely through the wild.

Heavenly Sunlight
Accompaniment by Jazz Trio
Directed by Arthur W. Crouthamel

Arr. Buryl Red

Walking in sunlight, all of my journey, Over the mountains, thro the deep vale; Jesus has said - "I'll never forsake you;" Promise divine that never can fail.

Heavenly sunlight, heavenly sunlight, Flooding my soul with glory divine. Hallelujah, I am rejoicing, Singing His praises, Jesus is mine.

In the bright sunlight, ever rejoicing, pressing my way to mansions above; Singing His praises gladly I'm walking, Walking in sunlight, sunlight of love.

Ho, Everyone that Thirsteth Soloist - Jeremy Slavin Directed by Lewis Daniels

Will C. Macfarlane

Ho, Ho, ev'ry one that thirsteth, come ye to the waters, and he that hath no money; Come ye buy, and eat. Wherefore do ye spend money for that which is not bread? And your labor for that which satisfieth not? Harken diligently unto me, and eat ye that which is good, And let your soul, your soul delight itself in fatness.

Incline your ear, and come unto me: hear, hear, and your soul shall live; and I will make an everlasting covenant with you, even the sure mercies of David. Incline your ear.

I heard the voice of Jesus say, Behold, I freely give The living water thirsty one; Stoop down and drink, and live. I came to Jesus and I drank of that lifegiving stream. My thirst was quenched, my soul revived, And now I live in Him.

Benediction:

Rev. John O'Neill

DIRECTORS



Ross Hastings, a native of Los Angeles, grew up in musical surroundings. His father was organist of the Los Angeles Philharmonic Orcherstra and Temple Baptist Church. After attending the University of Southern California, Mr Hastings became choral conductor and orchestrator for the San Diego Symphony under Favien Sevitzky and staff arranger for the Hollywood Bowl Pops. He moved to New York to take the position of Editor-in-Chief for Warner Brothers Publications and Bourne Co., music publishers. He now devotes full time to composition.



Clayton White earned undergraduate and graduate degrees in music and music education from the College of Music at Temple University. He completed post-graduate work at Temple and Westeminister Choir College. He serves as Associate Professor of Music at Community College of Phila., Minister of Music of Zion Baptist Church in Philadelphia, Music Director and Conductor of his professional chorus—The Clayton White Singers, Chorus Master and Conductor for Opera Ebony and Opera North, vocal coach and accompaniest. Prof. White has performed in numerous recitals, concerts and operas. His credits also include recordings, radio and TV performances, and motion picture sound traks.



Richard Harley, a life-long summer resident of Ocean Grove holds a B.S. in Music Education from William Paterson College where he studied with John Rodland, Julia Anderson and Hugh Aitken. Since 1980 he has been organist and choir director at Pascack Reformed Church. He is director of the Teaneck Chorus, and a partner in the Harley Tool and Machine Inc. with his father John Harley who has been Minister of Music at Park UMC** in Bloomfield NJ since 1953, and is the organist for the anthem directed by his son this evening. He is past Dean and State Chairman of the AGO*. He has been a guest conductor at previous choir festivals, and an Ocean Grove tent dweller and Auditorium usher for over 30 years.



Mary R. Eichorn is organist and Director of Choirs at St. Andrews United Methodist Church, Spring Lake, NJ. She received her B.A. degree from Davis and Elkins College in W. VA and pursued graduate studies at Oregon State University, Monmouth College, and Kean College. Mrs. Eichorn directed more than 40 Broadway musicals and operettas for local audiences. She is founder and director of the "Canaries" - a pops chorus. She is also an euphonium player and an avid golfer. St. Andrews' Church Choir participated in the First Annual Choir Festival in 1955.



David Clyle Morse began his career as a church organist at age 12 and was piano soloist with the Vermont Philharmonic Orchestra while in high school. While earning two degrees from the famed Hartt School of Music, he was soloist with the Hartt Chamber Singers. He made his debut and 14 subsequent apprarances at Carnegie Hall in NY. He is organist and director of music for South UMC**, Manchester, Conn., choral director of the Manchester Symphony Chorale, Dean of the AGO, VP of the New England Chapter of the Fellowship of United Methodists in Worship, Music, and Other arts. He is conference organist and chairperson of the worship division of the Southern New England Conference of the UMC.**



Robert F. Davis, recently appointed Musical Director of the Historic Collegiate Church of NYC, is well known as conductor of choruses and orchestras in the New York area. He has appeared with such luminaries as Robert Elmore, Philip Smith, Dave Brubeck, George Merritt, and David Britton in concert appearances which have taken him to halls in NY, Boston, Philadelphia, and Pittsburgh. As conductor of the American Chamber Orchestra, Mr. Davis continues to persue a specialty in the Viennese Classics. He is an exponent of the Aspen Musical Festival where his conducting came under the influence of John Nelson.



Ralph Winters has enjoyed making music for the Lord for many years. As the result of teaching by several prominent musicians, he became a proficient vocalist and choral conductor. Mr. Winters was director of music at Epworth UMC** in Paterson, NJ for 12 years. He is an evangelistic song leader, a director of conference choirs, a licensed local preacher in the UMC** and a member of Hawthorne Gospel Church. He is employed by the Bloomfield, NJ Board of Education.



Harry D. Eichorn earned his B.A. in Music Education at Montclair State College and his M.A. in conducting from Trenton State College. He pursued further work at Rutgers University. For 34 years he has been director of instrumental music for ManasquanPublic Schools. Mr. Eichorn resides in Sea Girt, NJ, and is an Ocean Grove Auditorium Usher. He is the founder and director of the Ocean Grove Summer Band which is in its thirty-fifth season.



Cindy L. Bell is a fifth generation native of this famous Christian seaside resort, Ocean Grove, New Jersey. She is choral director at Sayville High School on Long Island, and in the fall will be choir director at the Sayville UMC.* Miss Bell is a graduate of Lycoming College, PA and earned the Master of Music degree in Choral Conducting at the Eastman School of Music, Rochester, where she was a student of Donald Neuen. She has worked in advertising and sales for Shawnee Press, and acted as clinician for choral workshops. Presently, Miss Bell is a member of the Long Island Symphonic Choral Ass'n., directed by Gregg Smith, and this summer will attend the Robert Shaw Choral Workshop at Westminster Choir College.



Arthur W. Crowthamel, founder and musical director of the Abington Oratorio Choir, is also music director and organist at the Heidelberg United Church of Christ in Hatfield, PA. He has studied organ with the late Dr. Harry C. Banks at Girard College and Dr. Keith Chapman, head organist at Wanamaker's store in Philadelphia. He received his master's degree in music conducting with Dr. Elaine Brown of Singing City Choir fame. On June 30 he retired from public school education, and now looks forward to more time for choral and organ composition.



Lewis A. Daniels is in his twenty-second year as Director of Music for the Ocean Grove Camp Meeting Association. He is a businessman involved in manufacturing and hospitality enterprises. He studied at Drexel University, Philidelphia Musical Academy, and Philadelphia College of the Bible. and Military Intelligence School. He served as Minister of Music at Twelfth United Presbyterian Church; Johnson Memorial Methodist Church, Frank-ford Memorial Methodist Church, Community United Methodist Church, Addisville Reformed Church and St. John's United Methodist Church. He is engaged as music resource person for convocations and workshops and songleader for inspirational singing.

The Jazz Trio is composed of Valerie Hopkins, traps; Paul Daniels, electronic piano, and Kris Rogers, bass. They are educators in the Pennridge area of Pennsylvania.

Participating Choirs

Abington Oratorio Choir-Abington, PA Mus. Dir.- Arthur Crouthamel Pianist-Kathryn Peterson; Organist-Kenneth McConnell Addisville Reformed Church Richboro, PA Rev. Robert J. Hoeksema Mus. Dir.-Susan G. Johnson; Organist-Edith Wilson Aldersgate United Methodist Church-Wilmington, DE Rev. Thomas C. Short Mus. Dir.- Evelyn Swensson; Organist-Bradford T. Winters Aldersgate United Methodist Church-York, PA Dr. J. Paul Taylor Mus. Dir.- Mildred Beck; Arch Street United Methodist Church-Phila., PA Dr. William T. Cherry Mus. Dir./Organist-Kenneth L. Landis Ardena Baptist Church-Freehold,NJ Rev. Harvey Kelley Mus. Dir./Organist-Fran McCormick

Asbury United Methodist Church York, PA Dr. Paul Stambach Mus. Dir.-Ralph C. Woolley; Organist-Gloria Stambach Augustus Luthern Church-Trappe, PA Rev. Herbert Michel Mus. Dir./Organist-Donald Eby Baptist Church of Phoenixville PA Rev. Gary Whittington Mus. Dir.- David T. Nicol; Organist-Mary Mugridge Nicol Baptist Church of the Redeemer Brooklyn, NY Rev.Ruth Davis Mus. Dir.- Robert L. Hasselle; Orgnist; Donald Worthington Morton Bensalem United Methodist Church-Bensalem, PA Rev. Blake Nicholson Mus. Dir./Organist-Glen T. Van Dyke Bethany United Church of Christ-York, PA Rev. Thomas D. Bellis Mus. Dir./Organist-Jqln. L. Linsey

Bloomfield Presbyterian Church on the Green Bloomfeld, NJ Rev. Dr. Paul O. Borger, Sr. Mus. Dir./Organist-Faith Wiesner Brick Presbyterian Church-Brick Town, NJ Rev. Walter R. Evans Mus. Dir./Organist- Allen Hudson Brookdale Reformed Church Bloomfield, NI Rev. Charles Lee Crandall Mus. Dir./Organist Glenn Tiedeman Butler United Methodist Church Butler, NJ Rev. Alf O. Olsen Mus. Dir.- A. Eugene Barton Caldwell United Methodist Church Caldwell, NJ Rev. John Pfahler Mus. Dir./Organist-John V. Baratta Calvary Assembly of God-West Long Branch, NJ Rev. Calvin Miller Mus. Dir.- Marion Cornman; Organist- Mrs. Valerie Miller

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