Fortieth Annual

### Choir Festival

To the Glory of God



Ocean Grove Great Auditorium Sunday, July 10, 1994 7:30 PM

featuring

The Great Festival Chorus &

The Festive Brass

The Glory of the Lord Filled the House of God

Melissa Locher, Soprano Melora Love, Mezzo -Soprano Ronald Naldi, Tenor Kevin Short, Bass-Baritone

Dr. Gordon Turk, Organist Faith S. Daniels, Pianist

Lewis A. Daniels, Director of Music

#### Program

Prelude

Canzon Primi Tonai

Sinfonia (Cantata 145)

Giovanni Gabrieli J.S. Bach

Call to Worship

Praise the Lord with Drums and Cymbals

S. Karg-Elert Philip C. Herr, II, President

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Ocean Grove Camp Meeting Association

\*Hymn of Praise

The Old Hundredth Psalm Tune Conducted by Michael Stairs

arr: Rafe Vaughan Williams

1) All people that on earth do dwell, Sing to the Lord with cheerful voice; Him serve with fear, his praise forth tell, Come ye before Him, and rejoice. 2) The Lord, ye know, is God indeed, Without our aid He did us make: We are His folk. He doth us feed, And for His sheep He doth us take. 3) Enter then His gates with praise, Approach with joy His courts unto; Praise, laud, and bless His name always, For it is seemly so to do. 4) For why? the Lord our God is good; His mercy is forever sure; His truth at all times firmly stood, And shall from age to age endure. 5) To Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, The God whom heaven and earth adore, From men and from the angel host Be praise and glory evermore. Amen.

Anthems

The Heavens Are Telling (from The Creation) Conducted by Dr. J. Edward Hoy

Franz Joseph Haydn

The heavens are telling the glory of God, The wonder of his work displays the firmament; The day that is coming speaks it the day, The night that is gone to following night. In all the lands resounds the word, never unperceived, ever under stood.

Alleluia

Randall Thompson

Conducted by Dr. Gordon Turk

Here Yet Awhile (from St. Matthew Passion)

Johann Sebastian Bach

Conducted by Charles Harris

Here yet awhile, Lord, Thou art sleeping. Hearts turn to Thee, O Saviour blest, rest Thou calmly, calmly rest. Death that holds Thee in its keeping, when its bonds are loosed by thee, Shall become a welcome portal, Leading man to life immortal, Where he shall Thy glory see, Saviour blest, Slumber now, and take Thy rest.

**Evening Prayer** 

The Rev. Richard Twidle, Pastor Stratford (NJ) United Methodist Church

\*Congregational Response

The Lord's Prayer

Albert Hay Malotte

Anthems

Be Thou My Judge, O Lord Conducted by William R. Shoppell, Jr.

Guiseppe Verdi - arr: Ross Hastings

Be Thou my judge, O righteous Lord, My trust is ever in Thee. Thy truth doth live before mine eyes. Thy love doth live within me. Lovely is Thy dwelling place, Wherein abides Thy glory; There shall I walk in innocence To lay down my soul before Thee. Examine me, try out my heart, my mind. Be Thou my judge, O righteous Lord; Have mercy, have mercy, O God. Prove me, O judge me; Be Thou my judge, O Lord. Amen.

> When the Saints Go Marching In Conducted by John L. Wilson

arr: John Rutter

Glory, glory hallelujahl The Lord goes marching on. Oh, when the saints go marching in, O,Lord, I want to be in that number, When the saints go marching in. And when the revelation comes, Oh when the new world is revealed... Oh, when they gather round the throne....Hallelujah,brothers, Hallelujah sisters! Hear the music going round and around, While the saints go marching up into glory, Oh hear those angel trumpets sound! And when they crown him King of Kings, And when the sun no more will shine,.... And when the moon has turned to blood,...And on that hallelujah day..

Greeting

Offertory Finlandia

Ocean Grove Auditorium Ushers' March

\*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.

\*Hymn

All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

Conducted by Harry Eichhorn

Tune: Miles Lane

Anthems

Poor Man Lazrus

The Rev. Dr. Harold E. Schmul, Chairman, Music Committee

Jean Sibelius arr: Clarence Kohlmann

arr: Jester Hairston

Clarence Kohlmann

Poor man Lazrus, sick and disabled, Dip your finger in the water, Come and, cool my tongue, 'Cause I'm tormented in the flame. He had to eat crumbs from the rich man's table. Rich man Divies, he live so well, Dip your finger in the water, Come and cool my tongue 'Cause I'm tormented in the flame. And when he died he went straight to hell. Love to shout, I love to sing, Dip your finger in the water, Come and cool my tongue 'Cause I'm tormented in the flame. I love to praise my heav'nly king.

How Should A King Come Conducted by Cindy L. Bell

Jimmy and Carol Owens

How should a king come? Even a child knows the answer, of course; In a coach of gold with a pure white horse! In the beautiful city, in the prime of the day; And the trumpets should cry and the crowds make way. And the flags fly high in the morning sun, And the people all cheer for the sovereign one! And everyone knows that's the way that it's done. That's the way that a king should come, How should a king come? Even a commoner understands, He should come for His treasures and His houses and lands! He should dine upon summer strawberries and milk, And sleep upon bed clothes of satin and silk! And high on a hill His castle should glow With lights of the city like jewels below! Everyone knows that's the way that it'sdone. That's the way that a king should come! How should a king come? On a star filled night into Bethlehem, Rode a weary woman and a worried man; And the only sound in the cobblestone street Was the shuffle and the ring of the donkey's feet. And a King lay hid in a virgin's womb, And there were no crowds to see Him come. At last in a barn in a manger of hay He came and God Incarnate lay! And the angels cried "Glory! Glory to God! "Earth was silent so heaven rang! "Glory! Glory to God."Men were dumb so the angels sang. Glory! Glory to God! Peace on earth! Good will to men! Glory! Glory to God! Christ is born in Bethlehem! Glory to God! Glory in the highest! Glory to God!

Hymn

Crown Him With Many Crowns

Anthems

Blessed Assurance

Fanny Crosby; Phoebe Knapp; arr: Nancy Wertsch

Conducted by Clayton White Guest Soloist: Mertine Johns

Blessed assurance, Jesus is mine! O, What a foretaste of glory divine! Heir of salvation, purchase of God, Born of His Spirit, washed in His blood This is my story, this is my song, Praising my Savior all the day long. Perfect submission, perfect delight, Visions of rapture now burst on my sight, Angels descending, bring from above Echoes of mercy, Whispers of love. Perfect submission, all is at rest 1 in my Savior am happy and blest, Watching and waiting, looking above, Filled with His Goodness, lost in His love.

#### Festival Alleluias

Set to Toccata from  $Symphony\ V$  composed by Charles Marie Widor by William Ferris Conducted by Lewis A. Daniels

\*Benediction

Dr. Schmul

#### **DIRECTORS**



Michael Stairs is organist and choirmaster of the Church of the Redeemer, Bryn Mawr. He is also organist for the Philadelphia Orchestra and the Philadelphia Singers, and instructor of music at the Haverford School. Mr. Stairs assisted Keith Chapman at the giant John Wanamaker Grand Court Organ from 1968 to 1988 and his recordings on the Aeolian organ at Longwood Gardens are released through Direct-to-Tape Recordings of Haddon Heights, New Jersey. Mr. Stairs is a graduate of the Westminster Choir College, Princeton and the Curtis Institute of Music, Philadelphia. He is current Dean of the Philadelphia chapter of the American Guild of Organists.



Dr. J. Edward Hoy attended Temple University and the Philadelphia Music Academy. He is presently the Organist-Choir Director of the famed Tindley Temple UMC. He is organizer and director of the Westminster Choral Ensemble, founder of the annual "Messiah" festival at Tindley Temple, chairman of the organ department of the Settlement Music School and founder of the Philadelphia Association of Organists and Choirmasters. He has received the Distinguished Musician Award of the Philadelphia Pro Arts Society and the Religious Service Award from the Berean Presbyterian Church. Dr. Hoy served on the Hymnal Revision Committee of the General Conference of the United Methodist Church.



Dr. Gordon Turk has been the Ocean Grove Auditorium organist-in-residence for 22 years. He is a graduate of the famed Curtis Institute of Music and the Manhattan School of Music where he earned the Doctor of Musical Arts degree. He studied composition with McNeil Robinson in New York. Dr. Turk has won critical acclaim as a concert performer throughout the country. His proficiency in improvisation has been recognized with awards and honors. Dr. Turk is the former Dean of the Philadelphia Chapter of the American Guild of Organists, and is organist and choirmaster at St. Mary's Episcopal Church in Wayne, PA.



Charles Harrls is Director of Music Ministries at the First Presbyterian Church in Red Bank, NJ, where he is senior organist and conducts eight singing choirs, nine handbell choirs, a concert series and a summer music camp for children. A native of Dallas Tx., he graduated from the School of Music at the University of North Texas and earned his Masters Degree at Westminster Choir College in Princeton, NJ. He served the Tyler Street United Methodist Church in Dallas for eleven years. Mr. Harris conducts major choral and orchestral works for the Tower Hill Concert Series. He is an organ recitalist in America and Europe and has served as guest organist with the Billy Graham Evangelistic Association



William R. Shoppell, Jr is the "Conductor Emeritus" of the Monmouth Civic Chorus, the 150-voice chorus with which he was associated for twenty-nine years. He recently retired from 36 years in the field of music education; 25 years as chairman of the music department of the Freehold Regional High School District. Mr. Shopppell is a graduate of Lebanon Valley (Pa.) College and holds Master of Arts degrees from Columbia University and the University of Colorado. He is currently director of music at the Pt. Pleasant Presbyterian Church and Chorus Master for the Orchestra of St. Peter by theSea. Tomorrow, Mr. Shoppell and the church choir leave for a 15-day tour of the United Kingdom.



John L. Wilson is Director of Music and Organist at the 2,000 member Haddonfield United Methodist Church, where he conducts ten choirs, including a 125-voice Oratorio Choir and a professional orchestra. Mr. Wilson graduated from Westminster College, Pa. and the School of Sacred Music at Union Seminary in New York City and has completed additional graduate study at Westminster Choir College in Princeton. Mr. Wilson also holds the Choirmaster and Associate certifications from the American Guild of Organists having been state chairman. He is certified as a "Director of Music" by the United Methodist Church.



Harry D. Eichhorn, director of the Ocean Grove Summer Band for 42 years and a retired band leader and music teacher in both the Neptune and Manasquan, NJ school districts, has been a part of the Ocean Grove family for many years. The entire Eichhorn family is musically active and participates in a plethora of events during the Ocean Grove "season". He is also the conductor of the Atlantic Wind Ensemble, performing many winter concerts throughout the shore area.



Clindy Bell is a fifth generation native of this famous Christian seaside resort. She is a doctoral candidate in the Music Education program at Teachers College of Columbia University, working with music education specialists Lee Pogonowski and Hal Abeles, and served as both Program Assistant and teaching assistant in graduate education courses. Ms. Bell is a graduate of Lycoming College, Pa., and the Eatman School of Music, Rochester, N.Y., where she earned the Master of Music degree in Choral conducting. She is currently choir director at the Sayville United Methodist Church on the south shore of Long Island. For 1993-94, she received an academia scholarship from the United Methodist Board of Higher Education and Ministry to pursue graduate studies.



Clayton White earned undergraduate and graduate degrees in music and music education from Temple University. He completed postgraduate studies in voice and conducting at Westminster Choir College. Currently, Mr. White is Music Department Chair and Director of Performing Arts at Community College of Philadelphia, Organist-Director of Mt. Carmel Baptist Church in Philadelphia, and Music Director of the Clayton White Singers. He has performed as guest conductor and clinician for numerous music festivals and workshops. Mr. White was chorus master of Opera Ebony and Opera North for their productions at the Academy of Music in Philadelphia. An accomplished composer, choral arranger vocal coach and accompanist, his credits include recordings, radio, television and film.



Lewis A. Daniels studied at Drexel University, Philadelphia Musical Academy and Philadelphia College of Bible. He served as minister of music at Twelfth United Presbyterian Church, Johnson Memorial Methodist Church, Frankford Memorial Methodist Church, Addisville Reformed Church, Community United Methodist Church in Roselle Park, NJ and St. John's United Methodist Church, Hazlet, NJ spanning a career of 45 years. Lew serves, with distinction, as director of music for the Ocean Grove Camp Meeting Association. He also conducts workshops and directs musical programs at church celebrations.

#### Instrumentalists Harp: Nancy Ann Gillan

#### The Festive Brass

Trumpets:

Barbara Prugh Brian Kuszyk Trombones:

Robert Gale Robert Hall

George Rabbai Eric Schweingruber Tuba:

Peter Krill

Percussion & Tympani:

Horn:

Kenneth Miller Joan Dowlin

All Saints. Episcopal Ch, Bayside, NY All Saints. Episcopal Church Frederick, MD All Saints. Episcopal Church Lakewood, NJ All Saints, Episcopal Ch. Orange, NJ Ambler (PA) Choral Society Asbury UMC, York, PA Assumption B.V.M. Church Feasterville, PA Atonement Lutheran Church Asbury Park, NJ

#### Participating Choirs

Baptist Church of Phoenixville, PA Bethany United Church of Christ York, PA Bethel UMC Lewes, DE Bethel Evangelical Free Church Staten Island, N Y Boulevard UMC, Binghamton, NY Brick (NJ) Presbyterian Church Bridgewater (NJ) UMC

Bryn Mawr (PA) Bethel AME Church Butler (NJ) United Methodist Church Caldwell (NJ) UMC Calvary Assembly of God Church West Long Branch, NJ Calvary UMC. Ambier, PA Camptown (PA) Community Church Canadensis (PA) UMC Cedar Hill Christian Reformed Church Wyckoff, NJ Cedarville United Methodist Church Pottstown, PA

Central Baptist Church, Elizabeth, NJ Chalfont (PA) UMC Chatham (NJ) UMC Christ United Methodist Church Fair Haven, NJ Christ Church Wesley Fellowship Hauppauage, NY Christ Episcopal Church Hackensack, NJ Christ Episcopal Church Middletown, NJ Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Eatontown, NJ Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Far Rockaway, NY East Brunswick, NJ Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Princeton, NJ - First Ward Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Princeton, NJ - Second Ward Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Toms River N.I. Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Mt. Holly, NJ Scotch Plains, NJ Church of St. Ann, Keansburg, NJ Church of the Messlah, Chester, NJ Church of the Saviour, Wayne, PA Clinton (NJ) United Methodist Ch. Colts Neck (NJ) Reformed Church Community Presbyterian Church Chester, NJ Covenant Presbyterian Church Ft. Meyers, FL Daretown Presbyterian Church Dille Parish, United Church of Christ, LeRaysville, PA Doylestown (PA) UMC Dunellen (NJ) Presbyterian Church Eastminster Presbyterlan Church York, PA **Episcopal Church of Atonement** Fair Lawn, NJ Epworth UMC, Palmyra, NJ Epworth UMC, Rehoboth Beach, DE Faith Church of Worcester Fairview Village, PA Faith United Presbyterlan Church Medford, NJ Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park, NJ Falth UMC, Philadelphia, PA Fardale Trinity Church, Mahwah, NJ First Baptist Church, Rahway, NJ First Brethren Church Sergeantsville, NJ First Congregational Church

First Congregational Church Rockaway Beach, NY First Congregational Church Woodbridge, NJ First English Baptist Church Minersville, PA First Memorial Presbyterian Church Dover, NJ First Presbyterian Church Caldwell, NJ First Presbyterian Church Dunellen, NJ First Presbyterlan Church First Presbyterian Church Manasquan, NJ First Presbyterian Church Matawan, NJ First Presbyterian Church Metuchen, NJ First Presbyterian Church First Presbyterian Church Orange, NJ First Presbyterian Church Passaic, NJ First Presbyterian Church Perth Amboy, NJ First Presbyterlan Church Phoenixville, PA First Presbyterian Church Red Bank, NJ First Presbyterian Church Seneca Falls, NY First Presbyterian Church, Sussex, NJ First Presbyterian Church, Verona, NJ First Presbyterian Church Woodbridge, NJ First Reformed Church, Little Falls, NJ First United Church of Christ Milford, NJ First UMC, Amityville, NY First UMC, Beach Haven Terrace, NJ First UMC, Belmar, NJ First UMC, Bristol, PA First UMC, Chestertown, MD First UMC, Fort Myers, FL First UMC, Freehold, NJ First UMC, Hershey, PA First UMC, Moorestown, NJ First UMC, Phoenixville, PA First UMC, Salem, NJ First UMC, Schuylkill Haven, PA First UMC, Somerville, NJ

First UMC, Toms River, NJ

First Welsh Baptist Church Plymouth, PA Frenchtown (NJ) Presbyterian Church Georges Road Baptist Church No. Brunswick, NJ Glenview (IL) Evangelical Free Church Good Shepherd Church, Fort Lee, NJ Grace Community Church Franklin Lakes, NJ Grace Lutheran Church Perth Amboy, NJ Grace Reformed Church, Edison, NJ Grace UMC, Manassas, VA Grace UMC, Pen Argyl, PA Grace UMC, West Chester, PA Grace UMC, Wyckoff, NJ Haddonfield (NJ) UMC Hamilton UMC, Neptune, NJ High Bridge (NJ) Reformed Church High Street Baptist Church New Brunswick, NJ Hillsdale (NJ) UMC Holy Cross Lutheran Church Toms River, NJ Hope Presbyterian Church Tinton Falls, NJ Hope Reformed Church, Clifton, NJ Islip (NY) Methodist Church Jerusalem Lutheran Church Schwenksville, PA Juniata Park UMC, Philadelphia, PA Leola (PA) UMC Lionville Community Methodist Ch. Exton, PA Livingston (NJ) UMC Long Hill Chapel, Chatham, NJ Lutheran Church of the Redeemer Vineland, NJ Lutheran Church of the Incarnation Cedarhurst, NY Mandarin, UMC, Jacksonville, FL Marco Island (FL) Concert Choir Matawan UMC, Aberdeem. NJ The Melodiers, Toms River, NJ Memorial UMC, Quarryville, PA Memorial UMC, White Plains, NY Mendham Hills Chapel, Mendham, NJ Middletown (NJ) Reformed Church Milton UMC, Oak Ridge, NJ Monmouth Civic Chorus Red Bank, NJ Montgomery Evangelical Free Church, Belle Mead, NJ Morrisville (PA) UMC Morrow Memorial UMC Maplewood, NJ New Fairfield (CT) UMC

Anchorage, Alaska

Middletown, NY

First Congregational Church

New Life Presbyterian Church Middletown, NJ Northern Cluster Choir Oceanport, NJ North Orwell Union Church Rome, PA Norwalk (CT) UMC Ocean Grove (NJ) Auditorium Choir Oakhurst (NJ) UMC Oceanport (NJ) UMC Old First Church - Presbyterian Newark, NJ Our Lady of the Blessed Sacrament Roseland, NJ Oxford (PA) UMC Palmyra (NJ) Epworth UMC Park UMC, Bloomfield, NJ Pascack Reformed Church Park Ridge, NJ Parsippasny (NJ) Presbyterian Church Pascack Reformed Church Park Ridge, NJ Pearson Memorial UMC Trenton, NJ Pinelands Reformed Church Toms River, NJ Pleasantville United Church of Christ Chalfont, PA Pocomoke Community Choir Pocomoke City, MD Point Plesant Presbyterian Church Point Plesant Beach, NJ Providence Church of the Bretheren Royersford, PA Quakertown (NJ) UMC Redeemer Lutheran Church Succasuma, NJ Reformed Church of Bronxville, (NY) Reformed Church of New Paltz, (NY) Rockaway Reformed Church Whitehouse Station, NJ Royersford (PA) Baptist Church Rumson (NJ) Presbyterian Church Sacred Heart Church, So. Plainfield, NJ Sayville (NY) UMC Second Macedonia Basptist Church Philadelphia, PA Second Presbyterian Church Elizabeth, NJ Second Reformed Church

Hackensack, NJ

New Brunswick, NJ

New Providence, NJ

Simpson UMC, Old Bridge, NJ

South UMC, Manchester, CT

St. Alban's Episcopal Church

St. Andrew Episcopal Church

St. Andrew UMC, Toms River, NJ

St. Ann Church, Phoenixville, PA

St. Catherine's Church Holmdel, NJ St. Clare's Episcopal Church Mint Hill, NC St. Eleanor R.C. Church Collegeville, PA St. Francis de Sales R.C. Church Vernon, NJ St. James Episcopal Church Bradley Beach, NJ St. James Memorial Church Eatontown, NJ St John's Evangelical Lutheran Church Northumberland, PA St. John's United Church of Christ Riegelsville, PA St. John's (Hain's) United Church of Christ, Wernersville, PA St. John's UMC, Ivyland, PA St. Joseph's East Millstone, NJ St. Jude R.C. Church Chalfonte, PA St. Luke's Episcopal Church Gladstone, NJ St. Luke's R.C. Church Hohokus, NJ St. Mark's Church, Rahway, NJ St. Mark's UMC, Mt. Joy, PA St. Mark's UMC, Wilmington, DE St. Matthew's UMC of Valley Forge Wayne, PA St. Paul's Evangelical Reformed Ch. Perth Amboy, NJ St. Paul's Lutheran Church Flemington, NJ St. Paul Seven, North Brunswick, NJ St. Paul's United Church of Christ Douglassville, PA St. Paul's UMC, Bay Head, NJ St. Paul's UMC, Brick, NJ St. Paul's UMC, Lancaster, PA St. Paul's UMC, Middletown, NY St. Paul's UMC, Ocean Grove, NJ St. Paul's UMC, Staten Island, NY St. Peter's Lutheran Church Riegelsville, PA St. Rose of Lima, East Hanover, NJ St. Rose of Lima Church, Freehold, NJ St. Rose of Lima Catholic Church, York, PA St. Stephen's R.C. Church Kearny, NJ St. Thomas Evangelical Lutheran Ch. Brick, NJ St. Timothy's Lutheran Church Wayne, NJ St. Veronica's R.C. Church Howell, NJ

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## Hail the Power of Jesus' Name

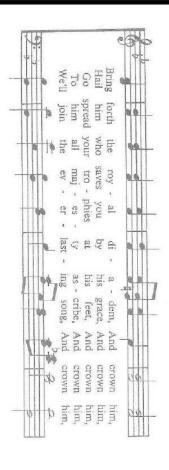
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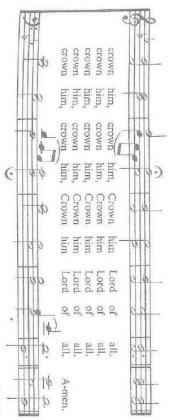
MILES\* LANE CM WILLIAM SHRUBSOLE, 1760-1806



- All hail the Ye cho sen the power of sen seed of Je - sus' name! Let ls -rael's race, Ye fall; ball, fall!
- Sin-ners, whose love can ne'er for get ed, ev - ery tribe, On this ter - res - tri ran-somed from the worm-wood and the
- 0 ev - ery yon - der kin-dred, ter - res - trial his feet may







HIS NAME AND GLORY

CHRIST'S GRACIOUS LIFE

RESURRECTION AND EXALTATION

# Crown Him with Many Crowns

