

Chanteuses

Presents

Salut
Printemps!



A musical welcome to spring...

Saturday, May 4 - 7:30 PM

Fair Oaks United Methodist Church - 9849 Fair Oaks Blvd

Saturday, May 11 - 7:30 PM

Parkside Community Church - 5700 South Land Park Dr

Dr. Chris Alford, Music Director and Conductor

Samantha Arrasmith, pianist — Julie Hochman, cellist

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Program

How Can I Keep from Singing?

I believe that love abides, how can I keep from singing?

Walker

Cantate Domino

Sing to the Lord a new song.... Declare his wonders among all people....

Hassler

Four Motets on Gregorian Melodies

“Ubi Caritas”

Where charity and love are, there God is.

“Tota Pulchra Es”

You are all beautiful, Mary...the glory of Jerusalem.... You give honor to our people.

Durufié

Les Angéelus

Alas! The Angelus bell cries death And there, in my resigned heart, Sleeps the only widow of all hope.

Debussy

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Greetings to you, oh Spring, season of youth....

Lisa van Stuijvenberg, soloist

Debussy

“A Girl’s Garden” from *Frostiana: Seven Country Songs*

A neighbor of mine in the village likes to tell how one spring, when she was a girl on the farm, she did a childlike thing....

Thompson

Five Texts by William Shakespeare

“Take, O Take Those Lips Away”

“Tell Me Where Is Fancy Bred?”

Lewis

My Love Walks in Velvet

...and I shall love but her alone until my life is done.

Walker

Nada Te Turbe

Let nothing disturb you; Let nothing frighten you, All things pass away. God never changes. Patience obtains all things. He who has God finds he lacks nothing. God alone suffices.

Julie Hochman, cellist

Szymko

Deep River

Won't you go to that gospel feast, to that promised land where all is peace?

arr. Patriquin

INTERMISSION

Yo Le Canto Todo el Día

arr. Brunner

...I sing to you all day long with affection and joy....

Duerme Negrito

arr. Solé

Sleep, sleep little black one, your mama's in the fields, little one....

Cynthia Hills, soloist

Three Hungarian Folk Songs

Seiber

“The Handsome Butcher”

“Apple, Apple”

“The Old Woman”

Artsa Alinu

arr. Gilbert

We have come up the land; already we have plowed, and we have also seeded, but we have not yet harvested.

Gabi, Gabi

arr. Powell

Praise the Father! He frees all the captives and gives the hungry bread....

Las Amarillas

arr. Hatfield

Everybody has their own farewell, but there's none like this one....

Didn't My Lord Deliver Daniel?

arr. King

...an' why not, oh tell me, why not every man?

Cynthia Hills & Jerri Meier, soloists

Wade in the Water

arr. Holman

Listen, children, and listen well to this story we will tell....

Jan Truesdail, soloist

Alleluia

Thompson

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Chanteuses is proud to present its first CD—and it's all *a cappella*! Our new recording features a broad, diverse mix of delightful repertoire that you'll want to listen to all year around. The CDs are \$15 or \$25 for two.

Chanteuses is...

Soprano I

Cynthia Hills
Melissa Mandeville
Lisa van Stuijvenberg

Soprano II

Christine Lanphere
Mary Howard
Maria Bueb
Roberta Snyder

Alto I

Laurel Jensen
Pam Henderson
Barbara Lazar
Jerri Meier
Chris Miller

Alto II

Katie Bjornson
Barbara Hippensteel
Linda Schmidt
Jan Truesdail
Mary Wagoner

Find photographs and biographical sketches of each singer online at www.Chanteuses.org.

Chan-teuse

plural Chan-teuses noun \shan-ˈtüze\

: songstress; *especially* : a female concert singer. Origin: French, feminine of *chanteur*, or singer, from the word *chanter*

A word from the director...

We have a very special, honored guest here this evening: You! Please know we're grateful that you chose to spend some time with us tonight and our hope is that our diverse musical program to welcome the spring will be a delight to you.

Three quick things to mention: Big news! We have a beautiful new website and we'd love to have you drop by for a visit (www.Chanteuses.org). You'll find all kinds of photos and helpful information there. Next, if you haven't already, we'd love to have your email address (please provide on the enclosed envelope or by text below) so we can send an occasional note about upcoming programs. Finally, if you'd like to make a tax deductible gift to *Chanteuses*, please do so using the same envelope. We promise to use your gift wisely and with integrity.

Thanks again for joining us tonight and remember... you're our honored guest. Enjoy the concert!

-Dr. Chris Alford

Please make a note of some upcoming concerts:

Sun., Aug. 18: Parkside Community Church Concert Series, Sacramento: 7 PM.

Sun., Oct. 6: All Saints Episcopal Church Concert Series, Sacramento: 4 PM.

Sat., Dec. 7: Christmas Concert: Carmichael Seventh-Day Adventist, Sacramento: 7 PM.



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