MESSIAH UNIVERSITY
CONCERT CHOIR AND CHAMBER SINGERS

Walking With God
A Musical Pilgrimage along the Camino de Santiago

Joy Elizabeth Meade, conductor

Friday, March 25, 2022 at 7:30 p.m.
Calvin and Janet High Center for Worship and Performing Arts, Parmer Hall

DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC
Hymnus Peregrinorum ..................................
Compostela: Dum Pater Familias
9th Century

Michael Casey, Micah Collins and Greysen Kemper, cantors

God, Father of all mankind, King, ruler of the world
Gave to his apostles dear, each to their own just care
James in his own land of Spain, shines out with a holy flame
First to be martyred amongst apostles now!
James became the holiest by illustrious martyrdom!
Lo! James's Galecia calls out for our for our pious toil,
Marching on the holy way, road over her glorious soil.
Blending our prayers in one harmony of endless song:
To Lord St. James! To God's St. James!
And onward! And upward! God speed our way!

I will give thanks to the Lord with my whole heart;
I will tell of all Your wonderful deeds.
I will be glad and exult in You;
I will sing praise to Your name, O Most High.
~ Psalm 9:1-2 ~

Canticum Novum .................................................................Ivo Antognini
(b. 1963)

Sing to the Lord a new song: Sing to the Lord, all the earth.
Sing to the Lord, bless his name: show forth his salvation from day to day.

O Quam Gloriosum .........................................................Tomás Luis de Victoria
(1548-1611)

O how glorious is the kingdom in which, with Christ, all the saints rejoice!
Clothed in white robes, they follow the lamb wherever it goes.
I Can Tell the World .................................................................Moses Hogan 
(1957- 2003)

I am a stranger on earth, do not hide Your commands from me. 
My soul is consumed with longing for Your laws at all times. 
~ Psalm 119: 19-20 ~

“Leon” from Path of Miracles .................................................Joby Talbot 
(b. 1971)

Julie Knott, Victoria Lang, Abigail Weller, Maira Myers, soprano soloists

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Li soleus qui en moi luist est mes deduis, Et Dieus est mon conduis.
(The sun that shines within me is my joy, and God is my guide)

We have walked in Jakobsland: 
Over river and sheep track, By hospice and hermit’s cave.
We sleep on the earth and dream of the road, We wake to the road and we walk.

Li soleus qui en moi luist est mes deduis, Et Dieus est mon conduis.
(The sun that shines within me is my joy and God is my guide)

Wind from the hills Dry as the road,
Sun overhead, 
Too bright for the eye.

Rumours of grace on the road, Of wonders:
The miracles of Villasirga, The Virgin in the apple tree.
The Apostle on horseback – A journey of days in one night.

God knows we have walked In Jakob’s land: 
Through the Gothic Fields, From Castrogeriz to Calzadilla,
Calzadilla to Sahagun, each day the same road,
Each day the same sun.

Quam dilecta tabernacula tua, Dominum virtutem.
(How beloved is your dwelling place, the power of the Lord!)

Here is a miracle. That we are here is a miracle.
Here daylight gives an image of The heaven promised by His love.

Beate, qui habitant in domo tua, Domine; In saecula saeculorum laudabant te.
(Blessed are those who dwell in your house, O Lord; They praise you forever and ever.)

We pause, as at the heart of a sun That dazzles and does not burn.
Li soleus qui en moi luist est mes deduis, Et Dieus est mon conduis.
(The sun that shines within me is my joy, and God is my guide)

Poor Wayfaring Stranger...................................................... American Folk Song
arr. Alexander Lloyd Blake
(b. 1987)

Timothy Tien, tenor
Anna Snyder, mezzo-soprano
Maira Myers, Daphne Rinkus and Brielle Finbeiner, soloists

Pilgrim’s Hymn .................................................................Stephen Paulus
(1949-2014)

~ Intermission ~
He has shown you, o mortal, what is good.  
And what does the Lord require of you?  
To act justly, to love mercy and to walk humbly with your God.  
~ Micah 6:8 ~

O Radiant Dawn ................................................................. James Macmillan  
(b. 1959)

Xicochi Conetzintle ......................................................... Gaspar Fernandes  
(1565-1629)

Hush little beloved child.  
Behold, there are angels here to rock you to sleep,  
Hallelujah.

Dindirindin ................................................................. Catalonian Villancico  
(c. 1465)

I arose one fine day,  
And spent the morning in the meadow.  
I heard the nightingale  
singing on the bough, din-di-rin-din.

I heard the nightingale  
Singing on the bough.  
“Nightingale, oh, nightingale,  
Do this errand for me, din-di-rin-din.”

“Nightingale, oh, nightingale,  
do this errand for me:  
Tell my lover  
that I am already married! Din-di-rin-din.

¡Hombres, victoria, victoria! .................................................... Francisco Guerrero  
(1528-1599)
Victory, Victory mankind! That against all of hell
The crying of a tender boy ensures our salvation.
Fear and War were born of our fall,
and now God shares with us glory and peace on earth.

Spain ......................................................... Chick Corea  
(1941-2021)  
arr. Kelly Kunz

Maddie Felix, Maira Myers and Quinn Cameron, soloists
Tyler Greene, piano
Nathan White, cajon

Our steps are made firm by the Lord, when He delights in our way;
Though we stumble, we shall not fall headlong,
For the Lord holds us by the hand.
~ Psalm 37: 23-24 ~

Just a Closer Walk With Thee.......Traditional African-American Hymn (1800)  
Arr. C. E. Sutherland (choral) and Gillis (brass)

James Beverly and Micah Collins, trumpets
Sarah Hartman, trombone
Abigail Weller, baritone
Chris Messinger, tuba
Nathaniel Hulshizer, bass and Tyler Greene, tenor

My Feet Are Tired, But My Soul Is Resting ...............Frances Smith Thomas  
(1907-1996)  
arr. Shawn Kirchner

Victoria Lang, soprano

I Want Jesus To Walk With Me ............................African-American Spiritual  
arr. Moses Hogan
Featuring Brielle Finkbeiner, Micah Collins, Julie Knott, Timothy Tien, Greysen Kemper, Delaney Reed, Maira Myers, Quinn Cameron
Order My Steps.................................................................Glenn Burleigh  
(1949-2007)  
Quinn Cameron and Daphne Rinkus, soloists

My Companion.................................................................Elaine Hagenberg  
(b. 1979)

Your word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.  
~ Psalm 119: 105 ~

The Lord Bless You And Keep You ..............................Peter C. Lutkin  
(1858-1931)

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+*Madelyn Felix – Boiling Springs, PA ..........Music Education ’23, Section Leader
+*Brielle Finkbeiner – Emmaus, PA ......................... Music Education ’24
Alexa Hayman – Westminster, MD .......................... Music Education ’23
Victoria Lang – Hershey, PA .................................. Music Education ’25
*Maira Myers – Harrisburg, PA .......................... Music Education ’24
Sydney Schappell – Lebanon, PA .......................... Political Science ’24
*Katelynn Smith – Clearfield, PA ......................... Music Education ’24
Abigail Stewart – Leesburg, VA .......................... Music Education ’24
Emily Watson - Harrisburg, PA .......................... Education PreK-4 ’22
Abigail Weller – Grove City, PA .......................... Music Education ’25

Altos
+Kelly Garcia – Harrisburg, PA ............................... Psychology ’24
+Emily Gettman – Spring Grove, PA ........................ Commercial Music ’23
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+Maria Miller – Evans Mills, NY .......................... Music Education ’22
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Noel Waltemire – Stewartstown, PA .................. Music Education ’22, Section Leader

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Kaitlyn Carr – Imperial, PA ................................. Music Education ’24
Daisy Eckman – West Grove, PA .......................... Studio Arts (3D Concentration) ’24
Emily Evans – Duncannon, PA ......................... Music Education ’24
Elizabeth Hill – Chambersburg, PA .................. Clinical Psychology and Music ’24
*Julie Knott – Harrisburg, PA .................. Music Performance and Psychology ’24
Anna Morton – Erie, PA ................................. Music Education ’25
++Delaney Reed – Saxton, PA .......................... Music Education ’23
*Daphne Rinkus – Westchester, PA ................. Music ’23

Tenors
*Jacob Barton – Millerstown, PA ......................... Biomedical Engineering ’22
James Beverly - Springfield, PA .......................... Music Education ’24
Reid Buffenmyer – Lancaster, PA ...........................................  Music Performance ‘24

*Quinn Cameron – Conneautville, PA .............................. Music Education ‘24
Michael Casey – Plum, PA .................................................. Middle Level Education ‘25
Moises Ramirez-Gomez – Reading, PA ........................... International Business ‘24
Tyler Greene – Crystal Lake, IL ........................................... Music and Worship ‘23
*Greysen Kemper – Harrisburg, PA ....................... Music Performance ‘24, Section Leader
*Timothy Tien – Klang, Selangor, Malaysia ................... Digital Media ‘22

Basses
*Micah Collins – Mechanicsburg, PA ................................. Mechanical Engineering ‘24
**Larry Fausnight – Hershey, PA .............................. Music Education ‘23, Section Leader
*Jake Finkbeiner – Emmaus, PA .................................... Electrical Engineering ‘23
Adam Handwerke – Harleysville, PA ................................. Communications ‘23
Nathanael Hulshizer – Mechanicsburg, PA ......................... Finance ‘23
*Chris Messinger – Hanover, PA ................................. Music Education ‘23
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Messiah University Symphony Orchestra “Reconciliation in Sound”
Timothy Dixon, conductor
April 22 • High Center, Parmer Hall, 7:30 p.m.

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Linda Tedford, artistic director, founder, professor emeritus, Messiah University
May 15 • High Center, Parmer Hall, 4:00 p.m.

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Messiah University Jazz Combo
Todd Goranson, director
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Travis Weller, conductor

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Messiah University Symphony Orchestra “Reconciliation in Sound”  
Timothy Dixon, conductor  
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Messiah University Wind Ensemble  
James Colomna, conductor  
April 24 • High Center, Parmer Hall, 3:00 p.m.

Messiah University Spring Choral Showcase  
Rachel Cornacchio, Joy Meade and Eric Dundore, conductors  
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Messiah University Jazz Ensembles  
William Stowman and Mark Hunsberger, conductors  
April 29 • High Center, Parmer Hall, 7:30 p.m

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Gavin Horning, director  
April 30 • High Center, High Foundation Recital Hall, 1:00 p.m.

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Shawn Gingrich, director  
May 1 • High Center, High Foundation Recital Hall, 1:30 p.m.

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Joy Meade, director  
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