

# 14<sup>th</sup> Annual Chorister Festival Choral Evensong



Sunday, March 10, 2013

4:00 p.m.

Christ Church Cathedral  
900 Broadway  
Nashville, Tennessee  
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*The Episcopal Church, USA*



## CHORAL EVENSONG

The Reverend Canon Pamela Snare  
*Canon to the Ordinary, Diocese of Tennessee*

The Very Reverend Timothy E. Kimbrough  
*Dean, Christ Church Cathedral*

The Reverend Joshua Caler  
*Curate, Christ Church Cathedral*

The Reverend Canon Gene B. Manning  
*Sub Dean, Christ Church Cathedral*

The Reverend Dolores Nicholson  
*Deacon, Christ Church Cathedral*

### CANTOR

Lisa Johnsen,  
*St. Francis Church, Potomac*

Voluntary

Psalm Prelude  
*Psalm 40: 1 - "I waited patiently upon the Lord;  
He stooped to me and heard my cry."*

Craig Phillips  
(b. 1961)

*Please stand at the procession.*

Hymn 28

O blest Creator, source of light

*Bromley*

### The Invitatory and Psalter

*Page numbers refer to the Book of Common Prayer.*

The Preces

Malcolm Archer  
(b. 1952)

Phos Hilaron

David Hogan  
(1949 – 1996)

Psalm 32

*sit*

*chant:* George Cooper

The First Lesson

Jeremiah 14: 1-9, 17-22

Magnificat in D

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Herbert Sumsion  
(1899 – 1995)

The Second Lesson

Mark 8: 11-21

Nunc Dimittis in D

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Herbert Sumsion

The Apostles' Creed

*stand*  
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## The Prayers

The Lord's Prayer and the Responses

*stand or kneel*

Malcolm Archer

Collects

*The congregation may be seated following the third Collect.*

A Reading from the Tradition

The Dean

Anthems

I will lift up mine eyes

Colin Mawby  
(b. 1936)

I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills,  
from whence cometh my help.  
My help cometh from the Lord,  
which made heaven and earth.

The Lord is thy keeper;  
the Lord is thy shade upon thy right hand.  
The sun shall not smite thee by day,  
nor the moon by night.

He will not suffer thy foot to be moved;  
he that keepeth thee will not slumber.  
Behold, he that keepeth Israel  
shall neither slumber nor sleep.

The Lord shall preserve thee from all evil;  
he shall preserve thy soul.  
The Lord shall preserve thy going out and thy coming in  
from this time forth, and even for evermore.

*Psalm 121*

Wash me throughly

George Frideric Handel  
(1685 – 1759)

Wash me throughly from my wickedness  
and cleanse me from my sin.

*Psalm 51:2*

O hear us, Lord

Anthony Piccolo  
(b. 1946)

Hear us, O hear us, Lord;  
to thee a sinner is more music when he prays  
than spheres' or angels' praises be  
in panegyric alleluias.

Hear us, for till thou hear us, Lord,  
we know not what to say.  
Thine ear to our sighs, tears, thoughts  
gives voice and word.

O thou who Satan heardst in Job's sick day,  
hear thy self now,  
for thou in us dost pray.

*John Donne*

Closing Prayers

*stand*

General Thanksgiving

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The Blessing

Hymn 24

The day thou gavest, Lord, is ended

*St. Clement*

Voluntary

Prelude in C minor (BWV 546)

Johann Sebastian Bach  
(1685 – 1750)

*You are cordially invited to join the Canon, Clergy and Choristers for a reception in the parish hall  
immediately following the Office of Evensong.*

## CHORISTER FESTIVAL 2013

### GUEST DIRECTOR

#### **Bruce Neswick**

Associate Professor in Organ and Sacred Music  
Indiana University, Bloomington

Bruce Newsick is Associate Professor of Music in Organ and Sacred Music at the Jacobs School of Music at Indiana University. Prior to joining this faculty in the summer of 2011, he was the Director of Music at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine in New York City, where he directed the Cathedral Choir of Girls, Boys and Adults and had oversight of the musical life of that historic Cathedral.

Active in the field of church music, Mr. Neswick holds the Fellowship degree from the Royal School of Church Music, for whom he has conducted several courses for boy and girl choristers.

As a recitalist, Mr. Neswick has performed extensively throughout the United States and Europe and has been a featured performer at national and regional conventions of the American Guild of Organists. In 1994, he played the opening convocation for the national AGO convention held in Dallas, Texas, and he was a featured artist at the national AGO conventions in Seattle (in 2000) and Washington, DC (in 2010).

### ORGANIST

Jon Johnson, Associate Organist and Choirmaster  
Christ Church Cathedral

### CHORISTERS FROM THE FOLLOWING PARISHES MAKE UP THE DIOCESAN CHORISTER FESTIVAL CHOIR

#### **Church of the Nativity, Huntsville Alabama**

Suzanne Purtee, Organist and Choirmaster

#### **St. George's Church, Nashville**

Gerry Senechal, Associate Director of Music  
and Organist

#### **St. Francis Church, Potomac, Maryland**

Gary Davison, Organist and Choirmaster

#### **Christ Church Cathedral, Nashville**

Jon Johnson, Associate Organist and Choirmaster

### ASSISTING

#### **Verger**

Scott Smith

#### **Torchbearer**

Joseph Rock

#### **Crucifer**

Jere Lane

#### **Lectors**

Katy Varney  
Bette White

#### **Thurifer**

Dan Smith

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**Christ Church Cathedral**  
**Nashville, TN**

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2001	Carol Foster	St. Augustine's-in-the-Woods Whidbey Island, WA
2002	Barbara Beattie	Winston-Salem Children's Chorus Winston-Salem, NC
2003	John Cummins	St. Paul's Church, Winston-Salem, NC
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2005	Walden Moore	Trinity on the Green, New Haven, CT
2006	Sarah Baldock	Chichester Cathedral, Chichester, England
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2012	Michael McCarthy	Washington National Cathedral, Washington, D.C.

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Presented by the Rev. Dr. Jeremy Begbie

Friday, March 22 5:00-11:00 PM  
**BACHANALIA**  
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Friday, April 19 7:30pm  
**ORGAN CONCERT: MATTHEW LEWIS**  
A doctoral graduate of and instructor at Julliard.  
This concert is sponsored by Lois and Peter Fyfe.

Sunday, April 28 3:30pm  
**ORGAN CONCERT: JASON FERRIS** 4:00pm  
**EASTERTIDE EVENSONG**, sung by the Cathedral Choir  
Under the direction of Jon Johnson, Associate Organist & Choirmaster  
Elizabeth Smith, Organist

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