

18<sup>th</sup> Annual Christ Church Cathedral  
Chorister Festival  
Choral Evensong



MARCH 12, 2017  
4:00 p.m.

900 Broadway  
Nashville, Tennessee 37203  
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Cathedral Parish of the  
Diocese of Tennessee (Episcopal)

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## The Prayers

The Lord's Prayer and the Responses

*stand or kneel*

Gary Davison

Collects

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

Anthems

Hear my prayer

Felix Mendelssohn  
(1809-1847)

Hear my prayer, O God, incline Thine ear!  
Thyself from my petition do not hide!  
Take heed to me! Hear how in prayer I mourn to Thee!  
Without Thee all is dark, I have no guide.

O for the wings of a dove!  
Far away would I rove!  
In the wilderness build me a nest,  
And remain there for ever at rest.

*William Bartholomew*

Behold, now praise the Lord

William Harris  
(1883-1973)

Behold now, praise the Lord, all ye servants of the Lord;  
ye that by night stand in the house of the Lord,  
even in the courts of the house of our God.

Lift up your hands in the sanctuary, and praise the Lord.  
The Lord that made heaven and earth  
give thee blessing out of Sion.

*Psalm 134*

Closing Prayers

*stand*

General Thanksgiving

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The Blessing

Hymn 43

All praise to thee, my God, this night

*The Eighth Tune*

Voluntary

Prelude in C major BWV 545/i

Johann Sebastian Bach  
(1685-1750)

*You are cordially invited to a reception in the Parish Hall immediately following Evensong.*

## CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL CHORISTER FESTIVAL 2017

### Frank Boles

*Guest Conductor*

Frank Woodhouse Boles — composer, church musician, choral conductor and organist—has been composing sacred choral literature, brass arrangements, and congregational music for 37 years during his tenure at St. Paul's Church, Indianapolis, Indiana. At St. Paul's Church, Mr. Boles created a nationally known choral program involving trained boys and girls with adult singers. This inter-generational choir is recognized throughout the United States and Great Britain for their choral tone and high musical quality. He also established St. Paul's Choir School for young singers including a Choral Scholar Program which provides scholarships for private instrumental lessons for the choristers. Under Mr. Boles' direction, St. Paul's Choir has produced nine recordings including three recordings under the Pro Organo label. The choir was featured on recordings published by Church Publishing Inc. introducing the Hymnal 1982, and several locally broadcast television specials. Mr. Boles has led the choir on eleven tours of Great Britain and the United States, singing as choir in residence at Westminster Abbey, the Cathedrals of Ely, Canterbury, Durham, St. Mary's Edinburgh, York Minster, and the National Cathedral. Mr. Boles has been active as a clinician for children's choir festivals and choral workshops. He has been featured as a guest composer and conductor at many choral festivals including The Mississippi Church Music Conference (1996, 2002) and Royal School of Church Music Summer Courses in New York City (2007), and Washington D.C. (2008). He has led workshops and performances for several events for The American Guild of Organists and The American Choral Directors Association. Mr. Boles has composed and performed for two General Conventions of the Episcopal Church (1994, 2012). A native of Jonesville, North Carolina, Mr. Boles earned a BA in Organ and Church Music at Pfeiffer College, cum laude, and a Masters of Music Degree with High Distinction in Organ and Church Music at Westminster Choir College. He resides in Indianapolis with his husband, Harry Mamlin and their three dachshunds: Roscoe, Lily and Lester.

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

**St. Timothy's Episcopal Church, Signal Mountain, TN**  
Philip Newton, Director of Music Ministries

**St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Chattanooga, TN**  
Dr. Keith Reas, Organist and Choirmaster

**Christ Church Cathedral, Nashville, TN**  
Michael Gebhart, Assistant Organist and Choirmaster

### ORGANIST

Simon Thomas Jacobs

### LECTORS

Audrey Ivester  
Opal Ivester

### ACOLYTES

Jere Lane  
Jack Teasley  
Lena Grace Fuqua

**PAST DIRECTORS OF THE CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL CHORISTER FESTIVAL**  
**Christ Church Cathedral**  
**Nashville, Tennessee**

1999	Michael Velting	Christ Church Cathedral, Nashville, TN
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
2004	Tom Whittemore	Trinity Church, Princeton, NJ
2005	Walden Moore	Trinity on the Green, New Haven, CT
2006	Sarah Baldock	Chichester Cathedral, Chichester, England
2007	Frank Boles	St. Paul's Church, Indianapolis, IN
2008	Andrew Walker	St. Michael's Church, Orlando, FL
2009	Jeffrey Smith	Grace Cathedral, San Francisco, CA
2010	Dale Adelman	Cathedral of St. Philip, Atlanta, GA
2011	Stephen Tappe	St. John's Cathedral, Denver, CO
2012	Michael McCarthy	Washington National Cathedral, Washington, DC
2013	Bruce Neswick	Associate Professor of Organ, Indiana University
2014	Ben Hutto	St. Alban's School for Boys and National Cathedral School for Girls St. John's Church, Lafayette Square, Washington, DC
2015	Michael McCarthy	Washington National Cathedral, Washington, DC
2016	Richard Webster	Trinity Church, Copley Square, Boston, MA

