20th Annual Christ Church Cathedral Chorister Festival

Solemn Choral Evensong



March 3, 2019 4:00 p.m.

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Cathedral Parish of the Diocese of Tennessee (Episcopal)

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Solemn Choral Evensong

The Right Reverend John C. Bauerschmidt Bishop of Tennessee

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

The Reverend Lissa Smith

Associate for Pastoral Care and Cathedral Life

Please stand at the procession.

Hymn 46 The duteous day now closeth O Welt, ich muss dich lassen

The Invitatory and Psalter
Page numbers refer to the Book of Common Prayer.

Preces Gary Davison

Phos Hilaron Andrew Walker

Psalm 121 The congregation may be seated chant: Walford Davies

The First Lesson Deuteronomy 6:1-9

Magnificat in B minor page 65 T. Tertius Noble

The Second Lesson John 12:24-32

Nunc Dimittis in B minor page 66 T. Tertius Noble

The Apostles Creed The congregation stands page 66

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

O for a closer walk with God

Melody: Scottish Psalter. 1635 arr. Charles Villiers Stanford

O for a closer walk with God, a calm and heav'nly frame; a light to shine upon the road that leads me to the Lamb! Return, O holy Dove, return! Sweet messenger of rest; I hate the sins that made thee mourn, and drove thee from my breast. So shall my walk be close with God, calm and serene my frame; so purer light shall mark the road that leads me to the Lamb.

William Cowper

Let us with a gladsome mind

Alan Ridout

Let us with a gladsome mind, Praise the Lord for he is kind: For his mercies shall endure, ever faithful, ever sure.

Let us blaze his name abroad, for of gods he is the God:

He with all commanding might, filled the new-made world with light:

He the golden tressed sun caused all day his course to run:

The horned moon to shine by night, mid her spangled sisters bright:

All things living he doth feed, His full hand supplies their need: Amen.

Psalm 136

Closing Prayers

stand

Prayer of St. Chrysostom

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The Blessing

Hymn 24

The day thou gavest, Lord, has ended

St. Clement

Voluntary

Recessional

Lamont Kennaway (1899-1967)

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

Christ Church Cathedral Chorister Festival 2019

Nicholas White

Guest Director

Nicholas White's musical career has evolved over three decades living and working in the United States. He is a Grammy nominated composer and conductor, as well as a versatile organist, pianist, and singer. In 2011, Nicholas was appointed to the post of Director of Chapel Music & Organist at St. Paul's School, Concord, New Hampshire, where he works with the 50 voice Chapel Choir. Previously, Nicholas has held positions at St. John's Episcopal Church, Beverly Farms, MA, St. Michael's Episcopal Church, NYC, and Washington National Cathedral. He has held teaching and conducting posts with The Boston Cecilia, Chorus Angelicus & Gaudeamus, The Tiffany Consort, The Woodley Ensemble, The American University, and McMurry University. Nicholas sang as a treble chorister in his native England, went on to become organ scholar of Clare College, Cambridge, and has since developed a large and varied catalog of compositions for various ensembles and genres. His music is published by Biretta Books in Chicago, and he has received numerous commissions from choirs and musical organizations across the world.

Choristers from the following parishes make up the Cathedral Chorister Festival Choir:

St. Timothy's Episcopal Church, Signal Mountain, Tennessee

Philip Newton, Director of Music Ministries

Church of the Good Shepherd, Lookout Mountain, Tennessee

John Wigal, Director of Music

St. Paul's Episcopal Church, Chattanooga, Tennessee

Dr. Paul Thomas, Organist and Choirmaster

St. George's Episcopal Church, Nashville, Tennessee

Dr. Woosug Kang, Director of Music Ministries Gerry Senechal, Associate Director of Music Ministries and Organist

Christ Church Cathedral, Nashville, Tennessee

Canon Dr. Michael Velting, Organist and Choirmaster Joseph O'Berry, Assistant Organist and Choirmaster

Organist	Thurifer
Joseph O'Berry	Lauren Hall
Cantor	Ushers
Rhys MacMillan	Tom Gillman
A 1	Cynthia Tyler
Acolytes	
Zanol Simmons	Verger
Jack Teasley	Win Bassett

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 Adelmann	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
2017	Frank Boles	Indianapolis, IN
2018	Michael Kleinschmidt	St. Mark's Cathedral, Seattle, WA

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