California State University, Long Beach College of the Arts Department of Music





PROGRAM

Organ Prelude Alleluyas

Sean O'Neal, organist

Simon Preston

Processional

Carol of the Bells

arr. Peter J. Wilhousky

Combined Choirs, Brass and Organ

Gloria, Movement I

John Rutter

Glory to God in the highest. And on earth peace to all those of good will. Vivian Turner, conductor

Forty-Niner Chorus

Simple Holiday Joys The Bells

arr. Frank Pooler Frank Ahrold

Combined Choirs

Lullay My Liking

Gustav Holst

Pacific Handbell Quartet

Infant Holy Angels We Have Heard on High arr. Charles Maggs

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Charles Maggs, Carrie Reardon, Tracy DeWitt, Bruce Benne

University Choir

Angelus ad pastores ait

Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck

"Behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy."

Mi Y'Malel

arr. Theodor Duda

How shall we praise Israel? (Hanukkah Song)

Hark! the Herald Angels Sing

arr. Reginald Evans

Handbell Solo

O Holy Night

Adolfe Adam

Jeffrey Huls, handbells

Pacific Standard Time

Twas in the Moon of Wintertime Amen

Huron Carol/arr. Graeme Langager traditional/adapted by Graeme Langager

Combined Choirs

Gloria, Movement II

John Rutter

Lord God, Heavenly King, God the Father Almighty. Soyun Kang, conductor

Impro-Voz

Here We Come a Caroling Let It Snow, Let It Snow, Let It Snow Deck The Halls (in 7/8) Sleigh Ride

traditional/arr. Phil Mattson arr. Glenn Carlos traditional/arr. James McKelvey arr. Glenn Carlos

University Choir and Forty-Niner Chorus

Avinu Malkeynu

Max Janowski

Our God, our King, grant unto us a year of happiness.

Carols of the Season

(Please use the song sheets found in the pew-racks.)

University Choir and Chamber Singers **OMagnum Mysterium**

O great and wondrous mystery.

Morten Lauridsen

Organ Solo

Three Carol Settings

Wilbur Held

Chamber Singers

Estampie Natalis

Vaclav Nelhybel

The boy born in Bethlehem, Halleluia, rejoice Jerusalem. In joy of heart let us adore the new born Christ with a new song.

O Jesu Sweet I Saw Three Ships

German Carol/arr. James Haberkom English Carol/arr. Mack Wilberg

Combined Choirs

Gloria. Movement III

John Rutter

For Thou alone art holy.

Recessional Silent Night

Mannheim Steamroller

Postlude

Finale (Symphony #1)

Louis Vierne

UNIVERSITY CHOIR

Soprano I Jennifer Holcombe Hae Jin Kim Natasha Ragland Minh Randolph

Theresa Santos

Tenor I John Bird Ken Burdick Jae Shu Nathan Vandecar

Soprano II Lisa Burstein Cheng-I Chou Mika Eguchi Gena Kim Sarah Pun Mishel Vandekamp

Tenor II Brendan Hooley Bert Proust Jorge Reyes Mark Shiffer Ronn Williams

Alto I Renee Dupree Betty Franco Amy Beth Stevens Lara Vaidya Allison Weiss

Baritone Ryan Carbonara Cory Johnson Jeff King Jonas Sills Milan Vidovic Steve Villa **Ted Warkentin**

Alto II Dawn Brooks Autumn Freeman Monica Orr Tracy Sangster Destani Wolf

Bass Gary Fritzen Eric Sharp Tim Smith Carlos Velasquez

Sopranos Julia Bonilla Eun Yi Choi Susan Hale Judy Hur Erin Shelton

Vivian Turner Wendy Young

Altos Dawn Brooks Christine Clark Soyun Kang Kerstin Klopsch Darlene Martin Kim Nelson Kim Oliver

CHAMBER SINGERS **Tenors** John Bird Jeffrey Huls Paul Martinez Jae Shu James Slaven Nathan Vandecar

Basses **David Edwards** Cory Johnson Graeme Langager Matthew Pogue John Tebay Mark Waters

Sopranos

Terumi Araki Jennifer Bateman Jennifer Bell Carolyn Carradus Tina Datsko Julee Donahue Marisa Garcia Cassandra Habig Amanda Hong Margaret Kang Karen Kim Miyumi Koshiishi Kelly Love Stephanie Nelson Sawa Nishijima Jaime Peterson Wilma Reese Susan Spillane Kimm Trinh Hiromi Yamada

Altos Judith Bell Virginia Bird Esther Chung Hee Kyung Chung Cheryl Cook Donna Hackner Marty Jo Harkness Cassandra Humbles Deeann Izumi Darae Kim Jamie Kim Kathy Lawes Erin Lutz Junko Miyagishima Ayako Miyauchi **Tina Montemer** Kim Nelson Sandra Pica Aide Porte-Neuve Amy Rustrum Miho Suzuki

Teresa Tembreull

Lisa Wiebe

Kaori Yatabe Katie Zeigler

FORTY-NINER CHORUS Tenors Clifford Barackman Christopher Beamon Jason Church **Tony Guttierrez** Brendan Hooley Michael Le Raymond LeDesma Jim Owen Frank Ramirez Ken Rustrum Joong-Ho Song

Basses Jason Bean Russell Bynum Richard Calderon Adonis Chacon Jason Cordero Thanh Dinh George Ferra Rubin Garza Mark Irvin Chan Lee Jason Levy Dane Madsen Akinori Miura John Munt Tom Nichols Mark Pearson Clint Rusich Smiley Sin Sean Adam Sharp Craig Spery Moses Toth Mike Wynar Bongchoon (David) Yi

PACIFIC STANDARD TIME Studio Vocal Ensemble "V"

Soprano Jennifer Brennan Mishel Vandekamp Wendy Young

Alto Delynn Hannagan Kendra Wohlert Destani Wolf

Tenor Richard Cabuto Mark Waters

Basses Lon Argabright Paul Martinez Jae Shu

Dusty Haner, rhythm

IMPRO-VOZ

Kim Switzer Oliver Erin Shelton Amy Beth Stevens Gary Fritzen Tim Smith

BRASS ENSEMBLE and PERCUSSION

Pat Mullen, Trumpet I Cory Olariu, Trumpet II Anti Karvonen, Trumpet III Scott Arakawa, Trumpet IV Steve Singer, Trombone I Antonio Reyna, Trombone II Chuck Drinkworth, Bass Trombone Brad DeBow, Tuba

David Gerhart, percussion Angie Tabor, percussion

Soyun Kang is a graduate student in choral conducting at CSULB. She received her BA in Music from the University of California, Davis, where she studied with Albert McNeil, conductor of the renowned Albert McNeil Jubilee Singers. In addition to her studies at CSULB, she is the conductor of the Korean American Music Academy and Director of Music at the Torrance First Presbyterian Church.

Vivian Turner will complete her Master of Music in Choral Conducting this May at CSULB. She received her BA degree in Speech Communications from Cal Poly, San Luis Obispo. Ms. Turner is the Undergraduate Advisor in the Music Department at CSULB. She has conducted both the Women's Choir and Mixed Choir at Grace Church in Cypress.

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, LONG BEACH Robert C. Maxson, President Karl W.E. Anatol, Provost and Sr. Vice President for Academic Affairs Wade Hobgood, Dean, College of the Arts and Executive Director, Carpenter Performing Arts Center Donald Para, Chair, Department of Music

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Dr. Lynn Bielefelt is Director of Choral Studies and Vocal Coordinator at California State University, Long Beach. She conducts the Chamber Singers, teaches Vocal Pedagogy, Conducting, and Studio Voice and directs the Graduate Choral Conducting Master Degree Program. During her tenure at CSULB, she has also conducted the University Choir, Women's Choir, Forty-Niner Chorus and the Symphony Orchestra. Dr. Bielefelt is a native of Southern California and received her Bachelor's Degree from UCLA and her Masters and Doctoral Degrees from the University of Southern California. Dr. Bielefelt is a sought after clinician, guest conductor and adjudicator throughout the Western States.

Dr. Leland Vail is the Assistant Director of Choral Studies at California State University, Long Beach, where he has been a member of the music faculty since 1976. He is the conductor of the University Choir and the Forty-Niner Chorus. Active on many university committees, Dr Vail is the director of the Kaleidoscope Festival held each spring. In addition to his work at CSULB, Dr. Vail is the Minister of Music at the First Congregational Church of Long Beach where he has been serving the congregation since 1971. He is also a solo performer and actor, and will be featured in the CSULB Faculty Artist Series in February 1996. Dr. Vail received his Bachelor and Master of Arts Degrees in Conducting from CSULB, and his Doctor of Musical Arts from the Claremont Graduate School.

Virginia Mitchell enjoys an enviable reputation as a performer and accompanist throughout the Western United States. She has performed recitals with many instrumental and vocal artists in the classical field, and is the pianist on the CD recording "Winter's Past" with oboist Greg Donovetsky. Her accomplished versatility and acknowledged sensitivity has resulted in a broad range of pianistic successes. Ms. Mitchell is the rehearsal pianist for the Long Beach Symphony. Virginia Mitchell plays jazz, classical, and avantegarde music and improvises pieces for solo piano. As quoted from a recent university program, "Her technical fluency combines with an impressive sense of musical nuance to provide CSULB with arguable one of the finest accompanists on staff at any university in the country."

Lisa Edwards earned her Master of Music Degree in Accompanying from the University of Southern California in 1985, receiving the award of "Outstanding Graduate in Keyboard Ensemble." Following her studies, Ms. Edwards served as staff accompanist at California Polytechnic University, Dominguez Hills. Currently, she serves on the faculty of CSULB and Glendale Community College, as well as serving as staff accompanist at CSULB. Ms. Edwards is organist at La Canada Presbyterian Church and Vallejo Drive Seventh Day Adventist Church. This past fall, Ms. Edwards was heard in "Mexico: A Work of Art" festival in Los Angeles. This program was also featured on KUSC Radio's "Sundays at Four" at the Bing Theatre. Ms. Edwards is an active recitalist with chamber musicians and vocalists throughout California.

Sean O'Neal graduated from Wilson High School in Long Beach, where he was active in the instrumental music department. He has been studying the keyboard since age ten and currently studies organ with James Walker of Occidental College. In 1993, Sean was awarded the E. Power Biggs Fellowship by the Organ Historical Society. In March of 1995, Sean won first place in the Young Organist competition, sponsored by the Pasadena chapter of the AGO. He went on to win first place in the Far Western Regional Competition for Young Organists in June, 1995. Sean is a frequent recitalist for the "Just After Noon Music" series at First Congregational Church, Long Beach AGO guild functions, and concertizes throughout the southland. He is organist at St. James' Episcopal Church, South Pasadena, and is the assistant organist at the First Congregational Church, Long Beach.

Glen Carlos is the conductor of CSULB's IMPRO-VOZ for the '95-'96 season. Mr. Carlos hails from Detroit where he received his BM in Voice and Jazz Studies from Wayne State University. As a student at Wayne State he had the extraordinary experience of conducting the Vocal Jazz ensemble and taking them to perform at the prestigious Montreaux Jazz Festival in Switzerland. In 1993, Mr. Carlos began graduate studies at the University of Southern California where he will complete his Master of Music degree in Jazz Studies this December. He is in his second year as the conductor of the Wilshire Ebell Women's Chorale. In addition to his conducting, Glenn Carlos is a noted arranger and composer. He is Bass soloist at St. James Episcopal Church in Los Angeles, and he has performed frequently in opera and oratorio productions throughout Michigan and California.

Graeme Langager, director of Pacific Standard Time, moved to Southern California a year and a half ago after completing his Bachelor of Music degree in Jazz Studies from Capilano College in North Vancouver, B.C. He is currently a graduate student in Choral Conducting at California State University, Long Beach. His arrangements for Vocal Jazz ensemble have been recorded by ensembles in Canada and the United States and have been performed at National and International Jazz Festivals.

Pacific Handbell Ensemble is a professional handbell ensemble from the greater Los Angeles and Orange County area. The group, founded in 1978, continues to pioneer handbell techniques and literature in the area of full ensemble, small ensemble and solo ringing. Pacific Handbells concertizes independently as well as with other distinguished performing groups.