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presents the

UNLV CHORAL ENSEMBLES and
CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

David B. Weiller, Jocelyn K. Jensen and Taras Krysa, conductors
Jessica Kim and Amy Homer-Smith, pianists

PROGRAM

CHAMBER CHORALE
Leonard Bernstein
(1918 – 1990)

Johannes Ockeghem
(c. 1410 – 1497)

Austrian carol
arr. Norman Luboff

Warm-up

Alma Redemptoris Mater

Still, Still, Still

NIGHTINGALES & WOMEN’S CHORUS
Antonio Caldara
(1670 – 1739)
arr. Nancy Grondahl
Cheyna Alexander, soprano

Traditional
arr. Michael Clawson

David N. Childs
(b. 1969)

Imant Raminsh
(b. 1943)

Laudamus te

The First Noel/Pachelbel’s Canon

Super flumina Babylonis

Missa Brevis in C Minor
Sanctus – Benedictus
Agnus Dei

VARSITY MEN’S GLEE CLUB
Anonymous

Aaron Copland
(1900 – 1990)

Franz Biebl
(1906 – 2001)
Miguel Alasco, tenor  Barry Stanton, tenor  Andrew Driovich, baritone

We Meet Again Tonight

Zion’s Walls

Ave Maria
INTERMISSION

UNIVERSITY CONCERT SINGERS and CHAMBER ORCHESTRA
Johann Sebastian Bach (1685 – 1750)

Christmas Oratorio, BWV 248 (Part I)
1. Chorus: Jauchzet, frohlocket, auf, preiset die Tage
2. Evangelist (tenor): Es begab sich aber zu der Zeit
3. Recitative (alto): Nun wird mein liebster Bräutigam
4. Aria (alto): Berette dich, Zion
5. Chorale: Wie soll ich dich empfangen
6. Evangelist (tenor): Und sie gebar ihren ersten Sohn
7. Chorale (sopranos) & Recitative (baritone): Er ist auf Erden kommen arm
8. Aria (baritone): Großer Herr, o starker König
9. Chorale: Ach mein herzliebes Jesulein

Miguel Alasco, tenor  Kathleen McVicker, alto  Brian Myer, baritone

Violin
Dmytro Hnedich
Sammi Ciarlo
Sarah Wright
Liz Bedrosian
Stacy Honaker
Saehui Lee

Viola
David Chavez
Valerie Reives

Cello
Cynthia Javier
Jeremy Russo

Bass
Timothy Harpster

Harpsichord
Jessica Kim

Flute
Kaite Zigterman
Brandon Denman

Oboe
Ben Serna Grey
Jairo A. Pulido

Bassoon
Bronson Foster

Trumpet
Dmitri Cernej
Allison McSwain
Kyle Overlay

Timpani
Chris Bernabe

Orchestra Graduate Assistant
Rachel Waddell

Friday, December 2, 2011  7:30 p.m.  Artemus W. Ham Concert Hall
University of Nevada, Las Vegas
**UNLV CHORAL ENSEMBLES**

**CONCERT SINGERS:** Miguel Alasco, Cheyna Alexander, Gianni Becker, Travis Bernau, Kathryn Bertini, David Casey, Emily DeAngelo, Andrew Driovich, Richelle Janushan, Cady Marshall, Megan Schnizlein, Olivia Sirota, Barry Stanton, Cody Stover

**CHAMBER CHORALE:** Miguel Alasco, Xavier Brown, Carolina Gamazo, Elizabeth Hughes, Cady Marshall, Megan Schnizlein, Cody Stover

**VARSITY MEN:** Travis Bernau, Joemar Buyao, C. Edward Cotton, Kyle Johnson

**UNLV-ACDA STUDENT CHAPTER OFFICERS:** C. Edward Cotton, Jaimie Lynn Gargantos, Megan Schnizlein, Cody Stover

**CHORAL STUDIES GRADUATE ASSISTANT & GRAPHIC DESIGN:** Nathan S. Van Arsdale

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UNIVERSITY CHORAL ENSEMBLES
Concert Singers, Chamber Chorale,
Varsity Men, Women’s Chorus
David B. Weiller & Jacelyn K. Jensen, conductors

“The UNLV Singers delivered a near perfect concert of sacred and secular music...the singers, conductor, accompanist and audience members all but danced in the pews.” (Concert Singers on tour in Colorado)

“...joyous singing, remarkable delicacy and poise, impressive performance, expressive fervor...” (festival adjudication by Martin Bernheimer, Los Angeles Times)

“The entire performance was glorious, yet disciplined. The orchestra, soloists and choruses performed with unaffected charisma.” (Las Vegas Review-Journal - Brahms Requiem with Las Vegas Master Singers, UNLV Choirs and Las Vegas Philharmonic conducted by David Weiller)

CONCERT SEASON 2011-2012

Wednesday, October 19, 7:30 p.m.
“The Splendid, Silent Sun”

Monday, November 14, 4:00 & 7:00 p.m.
27th Annual Madrigal & Chamber Choir Festival

Friday, December 2, 7:30 p.m.
Bach Christmas Oratorio, Part 1
with UNLV Chamber Orchestra

Wednesday, February 22, 7:30 p.m.
African-American Music Celebration

Saturday, March 24, 8:00 p.m.
Mahler Symphony #2
Las Vegas Philharmonic concert series with Las Vegas Master Singers & Musical Arts Society Chorus

Friday, March 30 – Wednesday, April 4
Chamber Choirale Spring Tour
Itinerary to be announced

Sunday, April 22, 7:30 p.m.
Chamber Choirale Home Concert

Friday, April 27, 7:30 p.m.
“Grand Finale” Spring Concert

TICKETS: 895-ARTS (2787) or pac.unlv.edu

All performances in UNLV Beam Music Center, except Dec. 2 (UNLV Ham Concert Hall) and March 24 (Smith Center for the Performing Arts, downtown).