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United We Sing!



Central Pennsylvania Womyn's Chorus



& the Newly-Formed



Saturday, Aug. 9, 2003 Metropolitan Community Church of the Spirit

MCC Choir

Melodies from Heaven by Kirk Franklin

Stand by Donnie McClurkin

I'm Available to You by Milton Brunson

> Brighter Day by Kirk Franklin

Worthy Is the Lamb That Was Slain/Hallelujah music by G.F. Handel on text from Revelations 5:12-13;19:6;11:15;19:16 arr. Alan Moore

Men's Chorus

Brothers Sing On! by Edward Grieg

Color Out of Colorado from When Pigs Fly by Sherman

> Finally Here by Eric Helmuth

> > Danny Boy arr. Plank

Good Thing He Can't Read My Mind Lavin/Trinkley

- Intermission –

Womyn's Chorus

Music In My Mother's House by Stuart Stott, arr. J. David Moore

1000 Grandmothers Holly Near, arr. J. David Moore

23d Psalm by Bobby McFerrin (dedicated to his mother)

Liebst Du um Schoenheit by Clara Schumann, text by Rueckert, arr. Naomi Stephan

My Girls, No. 2 (from To My Girls) Based on a poem by Lucille Clifton, music by Gwyneth Walker

Are You Half the Man Your Mother Thought You'd Be? Words by Harry DeCosta music by Leo Wood (1916), arr. Charles Baker

Sisters Words and music by Irving Berlin, arr. Kirby Shaw Everything Possible

Words and music by Fred Small, arr. J. David Moore

Combined Choruses

United We Stand by Kirby Shaw The Awakening by Joseph M. Martin

Please join us for a reception following the concert

Central Pennsylvania Men's Chorus

The purpose of the men's chorus is to provide musical training and a worthwhile performance experience for its members and a cultural experience and entertainment for its audiences; to exemplify and enhance the status of male choral singing as a significant art form by achieving the highest standards of excellence in presenting a diversity of music; and to provide an opportunity for gay-supportive men to build community spirit by singing together and to present positive aspects of being gay to themselves, their audiences and the public at large.

If you're interested in singing with The Central PA Men's Chorus Winter 2003 season, please contact in the Harrisburg area, Tim Coleman at 566-5555 or e-mail: poolguy104@aol.com. In the York area contact Marvin Mernick at 717-757-2928.

The MCC of the Spirit Gospel Choir

The choir was founded in 2000 as a means of broadening the cultural diversity of the Harrisburg-based congregation.

Our singers, all members and friends of MCC of the Spirit, bring a broad range of musical training and experience to the choir; membership is open to all who desire to glorify God in song.

The choir rehearses on Monday evenings from 7-9 PM here in the Jefferson Street sanctuary.

For more information contact MCCSChoir-owner@yahoogroups.com or call the church office, 717-236-7387.

Central Pennsylvania Womyn's Chorus

The chorus brings together a diverse group of women, united by the joy of singing, to celebrate and empower women, and to affirm a positive image of lesbians and feminists. We rehearse on Monday nights and welcome new singers. You are especially invited to our **Open Rehearsal on Monday, September 8**, at 7 pm at Temple Beth Shalom, 913 Allendale Road, Mechanicsburg. Meet us, sing with us, and find out how much fun Monday nights can be! **PO Box 60426, Harrisburg PA, 17106-0426** 717-234-4825

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