



present

# THIS WE BELIEVE

**Dr. James B. Kinchen, Jr., Conductor**

Christine Simon Halverson, Assistant Conductor • Patricia Ilika Black, Accompanist

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## FAITH AND PRAYER

- Credo from *Mass of the Holy Spirit* ..... Randall Thompson
- The Word Was God ..... Rosephanye Powell
- Miserere Mei, Deus ..... Gregorio Allegri  
Katie Ferguson, Laurie Knapp, Christine Simon Halverson, Rachel Rueckert, Caitlin Schaffer, Caroline Gomez,  
Rachel Shields, Christopher Bruett, Gregory Davidson, John Emanuel
- Interlude ..... James B. Kinchen, Jr.
- The Lord's Prayer ..... Albert Hay Malotte/arr. Carl Deis  
Rachel Shields, violin

## OPTIMISM

- I Believe ..... Ervin Drake/arr. Hawley Ades  
Women's ensemble conducted by Christine Simon Halverson

## HOPE

- There is a Balm in Gilead ..... African American/arr. William Levi Dawson  
Jim Halverson, tenor or Katie Immel, soprano
- Inscription of Hope ..... Z. Randall Stroope  
Janelle Dougherty, narrator

## THE POWER OF MUSIC

- The Awakening ..... Joseph M. Martin

## **SPECIAL GUESTS: Milwaukee High School of the Arts – Raymond Roberts, conductor**

### FRIDAY NIGHT: MHSA CONCERT CHORALE

- Sicut Cervus ..... Giovanni Palestrina
- Bring Me Little Water, Sylvie ..... Leadbelly
- One Song ..... Marvin Hamlisch
- Daniel, Servant of the Lord ..... arr. Undine Smith Moore

### SATURDAY NIGHT: MHSA VOCAL JAZZ ENSEMBLE

*to be selected from the following*

- Soweto Blues ..... Hugh Masakela
- Lady, Be Good ..... George Gershwin arr. Meader
- Ray's Rockhouse ..... Ray Charles arr. Zegree
- Confirmation ..... Charlie Parker arr. Marsh
- Come Sunday ..... Duke Ellington arr. Jalkeus
- Rockin' Jerusalem ..... Traditional spiritual arr. Bowens

— INTERMISSION —

PROGRAM, CONTINUED ...

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LOVE

- One Hand, One Heart from *West Side Story* .....Leonard Bernstein/arr. Kirby Shaw  
Christine Simon Halverson, soprano and Jim Halverson, tenor  
i carry your heart with me ..... Z. Randall Stroope  
Cathy Nolan, soprano and Rachel Shields, violin  
Arise beloved ..... Rosephanye Powell

HUMOR

- It Ain't Necessarily So from *Porgy and Bess*..... George Gershwin/arr. Ed Lojeski  
Joseph Bonfiglio, tenor  
Much More Ado about Nothing (excerpts).....Norman Luboff  
Allergic  
An Apple a Day  
Grief  
Epitaph on a Scolding Wife  
Mind and Mouth  
That's All

FAMILY

- Lullabye (Goodnight My Angel) ..... Billy Joel  
Sunrise, Sunset from *Fiddler on the Roof*..... Jerry Bock/arr. Ed Lojeski

COUNTRY

- Homeward Bound. ....Marta Keen/arr. Jay Althouse  
Robert Estlund, penny whistle and Katie Ferguson, soprano  
Anthem from the Symphony *America* ..... Ernest Bloch  
God Bless America .....Irving Berlin/arr. James B. Kinchen, Jr.  
Rachel Shields, violin  
Lift Ev'ry Voice and Sing .....J. Rosamond Johnson/arr. Roland Marvin Carter



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