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### MOTHER'S DAY CONCERT A CHORAL CELEBRATION OF THE

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Sunday, May 10, 2015 | 3PM Cathedral Basilica *of* Saints Peter and Paul Philadelphia, Pennsylvania







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## Mother's Day Concert

Cathedral Basilica Choir Archdiocesan Choir of Philadelphia Archdiocesan Children's Choir

Prelude

Maria zart von guter Art Clara Gerdes, Organ Scholar Arnolt Schlick 1460 - 1521

Magnificat

Archdiocesan Choir of Philadelphia

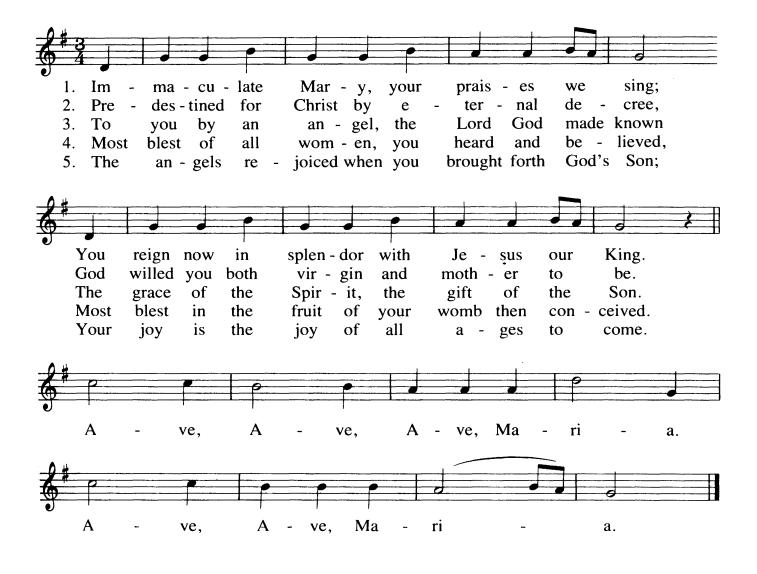
Johann S. Bach 1685 - 1750

Magnificat anima mea Dominum

My soul doth magnify the Lord

HYMN: Immaculate Mary

*Lourdes Hymn* Arr. Paul Gibson II



Genesis 3:15 Mary is the woman whose offspring shall crush the head of the serpent. Tota Pulchra es Maria Anton Bruckner Michael Hogue, Tenor Archdiocesan Choir of Philadelphia 1824 - 1896

Michael Hogue, Tenor Archdiocesan Choir of Philadelphia

English Translation, Sung in Latin

Thou art all fair, O Mary, and the stain of original sin is not in thee. Thou art the glory of Jerusalem, the joy of Israel, and the honor of our people.

### *Isaiah 7:14 A Virgin Shall Conceive* Virgin Great and Glorious

#### Cathedral Basilica Choir

Virgin great and glorious, Bearing God's own Son for us, Far above all things of earth, Shine your purity and worth. Ave mater Domini! Filium laudemus Dei! How can human voices raise Honor worthy of your praise? Through your Son, O maiden queen, We are given gifts supreme. Ave mater Domini! Filium laudemus Dei! God has graced you evermore through his Son, whom hosts adore; God himself has shown the way, therefore we due homage pay. Ave mater Domini! Filium laudemus Dei! Blessed Virgin, full of grace, noblest of the human race, Far above angelic state: none more fair did God create. Ave mater Domini! Ave mater Domini!

*Luke 1:26 – 28 Angel Gabriel* Angelius et Virgium

Archdiocesan Children's Choir

12th c. French Carol Arr. David Wilcocks

Gabriel to Mary came, and entered at her dwelling, With his salutation glad her maiden fears dispelling, 'All hail, thou queen of virgins bright! God, Lord of earth and heaven's height, Thy very Son, shall soon be born in pureness, the Saviour of mankind. Thou art the gate of heaven bright, the sinners' healer kind.'

'How could I a mother be that am to man a stranger? How should I my strong resolve, my solemn vows endanger?' 'Power from the Holy Ghost on high shall bring to pass this mystery. Then have no fear: be of good cheer, believing that still thy chastity In God's almighty keeping shall all unsullied be.'

Then to him the maid replied, with noble mien supernal; 'Lo! The humble handmaid I of God the Lord eternal! With thee, bright messenger of heaven, by whom this wondrous news is given, I well agree and long to see fulfilled thy gracious prophecy. As God my Lord doth will it, so be it unto me!'

Hail! Thou Mother of the Lord, who bring'st of gifts the rarest, Peace to angels and to men, when Christ the Lord thou barest! Do thou, we pray, entreat thy Son for us our long'd redemption Himself to win, And from our sin release us; His succour for to give, That, when we hence are taken, we too in heaven may live.

*Basque Melody* Arr. Leo Nestor



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Cathedral Basilica Choir

Benjamin Britten 1913 - 1976

Of one that is so fair and bright, velut maris stella, [like a star of the sea] Brighter than the day is light, parens et puella. [mother and maiden] I cry to thee, thou see to me, Lady, pray thy Son for me, Tampia, [thou Holy One] That I may come to thee. Maria! [Mary]

All this world was forlorn Eva peccatrice, [through Eve, the sinner] Till our Lord was yborn de te genetrice. [of thee, the mother] With ave it went away darkest night, and comes the day salutis; [of salvation] The well springeth out of thee virtutis. [of virtue]

Lady, flower of everything, rosa sine spina, [rose without a thorn] Thou bare Jesu, heaven's King, gratia divina: [by divine grace] Of all that bear'st the prize, Lady, queen of paradise, Electa: [chosen one] Maid mild, mother es effecta. [thou art proved]

#### *Luke 1:42 Blessed are you among women* Ave Maria

J.S. Bach-Charles Gounod

Herbert Howells

1892 - 1983

Combined Choirs and Karen Banos, violin English Translation, Sung in Latin

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with Thee. Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death.

*Luke 39 – 56 My Soul Magnifies the Lord* Magnificat

#### **Combined Choirs**

My soul doth magnify the Lord and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour.

For he hath regarded the lowliness of his handmaiden.

For behold, from henceforth all generations shall call me blessed.

For he that is mighty hath magnified me and holy is his Name.

And his mercy is on them that fear him throughout all generations.

He hath shewed strength with his arm.

He hath scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts.

He hath put down the mighty from their seat and hath exalted the humble and meek.

He hath filled the hungry with good things and the rich he hath sent empty away.

He remembering his mercy hath holpen his servant Israel as he promised to our forefathers, Abraham and his seed for ever.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son and to the Holy Ghost; As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be world without end. Amen.

John 19: 25 – 27 Mary stood at the Foot of th	ie Cross							
That Virgin's Child	Thomas Tallis							
Cathed	1520 - 1585							
That Virgin's child, most meek and mild, alonely for my sake. His father's will for to fulfill, He came great pains to take. And suffered death, as scripture saith, that we should saved be. On Good Friday, wherefore I say, He mourned sore for me. Now Christ Jesu, of love most true, have mercy upon me. I ask Thee grace for my trespass, that I have done to Thee. For Thy sweet name, save me from shame and all adversitie: For Mary's sake, to Thee me take, and mourn no more for me. (c. 1530)								
John 19:26 – 27 Behold your mother								
O Sanctissima		Ludwig van Beethoven						
Archdiocesan	Children's Choir	1770 - 1827						
O sanctissima, o piissima O most holy, O most loving, dulcis Virgo Maria! sweet Virgin Mary! Mater amata, intemerata, Beloved Mother, undefiled, ora, ora pro nobis. pray, pray for us.								
Tu solatium et refugium, Virgo Mater Maria. Quidquid optamus, per te speramus, ora, ora pro nobis.	You are solace and refuge, Virgin, Mother Mary. peramus, Whatever we wish, we hope it through you. Pray, pray for us.							
Revelation 12: 1 Mary is Oyeen of Heaven								

*Revelation 12: 1 Mary is Queen of Heaven* Regina Caeli

> Archdiocesan Choir of Philadelphia English translation, sung in Latin

Queen of heaven, rejoice, Alleluia! For he whom you were worthy to bear has risen as he said, Alleluia! Pray for us to God, Alleluia!

#### Collection

Today's Collection will assist our Archdiocesan Children's Choir in raising the necessary funds for their pilgrimage to Rome, Italy this coming January. On this trip, they will sing for a Papal Mass with the Sistine Choir, sing Masses in Assisi and St. Peters and present a formal concert at St. Ignatius. They will be the first Children's Choir to celebrate a Papal Liturgy with the Sistine Choir.

Ave Maria

Combined Choirs and Karen Banos, violin English Translation, Sung in Latin Philip Stopford b. 1977

Antonio Lotti

1667 - 1740

Hail Mary, full of grace, the Lord is with Thee. Blessed art thou among women, and blessed is the fruit of thy womb, Jesus. Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners, now and at the hour of our death.

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### Postlude



### The Choirs

Dr. John Romeri - Conductor Dr. Steven Ball - Artist-in-Residence Clara Gerdes - Organ Scholar Zach Hemenway - Associate Director Archdiocesan Children's Choir Michael Zubert - Assistant Director Archdiocesan Children's Choir Elizabeth Folger - Assistant Director Archdiocesan Children's Choir Cathedral Basilica Choir Archdiocesan Choir of Philadelphia Archdiocesan Children's Choir

#### Archdiocesan Choir of Philadelphia

Les Anders Charlene Angelini Maryl Apadula **Jeremiah Belocura** Nancy Biedermann Mary J Breithaupt Jessica Bryson Leslie Bryson Kathie-(Urszula) Bujnowska Saint John Cantius Rosita Carosella Ronald Chancler Katherine Chmelko Anthony Ciucci Anne Coneghen Martha Cook Sally Cranney Nancy Darlington-Bruno Daniel De KoK, Sr. Domenico DiMartino David Discenza Peter Douglass Larry Finnegan Stephen Fritsch Paula Furman Michael Garozzo Rachael Garozzo Theresa Gilliam Kathleen Glickman Thomas Glorioso Michalina Goral MarybethHaberstick Carole Hall Mary-Anna Harvie Zach Hemenway Maria Innocenti Sr. Mary Daniel Jackson, SSCJ Helen Jauregui Mary Eileen Johnston Marianne C. Kaemmer Margie Kane Kara LaFleur Tom Leahy Eileen Leahy Esther Leecan Anne Liebeskind William Lim Saint Paul, Chestnut Hill

Saint Clement Our Lady, Help of Christians Saint Mary Magdalen Saint Paul, Philadelphia Saint Catherine of Siena, Horsham Saint Denis Saint Basil the Great, Kimberton Saint Basil the Great, Kimberton Saint Donato Saint Frances Cabrini Blessed Teresa of Calcutta Church of the Good Shepherd, Camp Hill Saint Timothy Our Mother of Consolation, Chestnut Hill Saint Philip Neri, Lafayette Hill Saint John Chrysostom Saint Francis of Assisi, Norristown Our Mother of Good Counsel Holy Angel, Woodbury, NJ Saint James Saint Alphonsus, Maple Glenn Saint Paul, Chestnut Hill Our Lady of Guadalupe Christ the King Christ the King Our Lady of Lourdes Mary, Mother of the Redeemer Old Saint Joseph Saint John Cantius Saint Frances Cabrini Saint Katherine of Sienna, Philadelphia Saint Maria Goretti Saint Paul, Chestnut Hill Saint Thomas More, Pottstown Sacred Heart Oratory Christ the King Annunciation B.V.M., Havertown Saint Stanislaus, Lansdale Saint Laurence Saint Dorothy, Drexel Hill Saint Robert Bellermine Saint Robert Bellermine Christ the King Assumption B.V.M., West Grove

Linda Logwood Kevin Lutz Jean E. Madden Wanda Marshall Alexandra Matlack Sean McElwee Jack Norsworthy **Rick Parisi** James Pavlock Mary Pennington Thomas Pilcicki Peter Rawson Betsy Richards Karen Romeri Carol Schloss Jenifer Smith Anna Marie Snader Harry Solomon Ginna Stringer Willow Swidler Notte Evelyn Walsh Vince Walsh David Westawski Rylanda Wilson Sarah Worth Katherine Young

Saint Cecilia Saint Robert Bellarmine Saint Frances Cabrini Corpus Christi, Lansdale Annie McCormick Marsico Cathedral Basilica of Ss Peter and Paul Queen of the Universe Saint Agnes Corpus Christi, Lansdale Saint Robert Bellermine Saint Francis Xavier Sacred Heart, Royersford Saint Michael Episcopal, Germantown Our Lady of Lourdes Maternity B.V.M. Saint Patrick, Philadelphia Old Saint Joseph Saint Paul, Chestnut Hill Saints Peter and Paul, West Chester Saint Colman Saint Matthew, Conshohocken Cathedral Basilica of Ss Peter and Paul Our Lady of Czestochowa Our Lady of Czestochowa Queen of the Universe Holy Cross, Philadelphia Saint Margaret, Narberth Saint Clement

#### Archdiocesan Children's Choir

Ella Adams Keim Liv Auge Regina Banks Clara Beatty Benicio Beatty Calliope Beatty Laura Bennett Juliana Bernaudo Abigail Bernesky DeOvionne Brown Alessia Buoso Sophia Burgess Anna Callahan Paul Callahan Catherine Chapman Rex Coffey Charlotte Croquette

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Elizabeth Ann D'Angelo Madalyn Equi Sofia Farrell Gabriela Fore Victoria Gauntner MaryRita Gies Mandi Gurecki Triniti Heyward Gracie Innella Joe Koslosky Eva Elizabeth Kraus Katarina Lagodzinski Manilyn Lalo Katherine Larson Zora Lee Grace MacLacklin Erin Maguire Emma Marklev Ryan Mayerhofer Aurora Murray Caitlin O'Neill Margaret Ostrowski Xavier Pagan Emma Poley Beatrix Poley Magdalena Popielarz Alexia Rufino Ainslee Santa Croce Katie Sharbaugh Christopher Sharbaugh Alexis Sharp Victor Sorace Adriana Stepien Kathleen Timberlake Grace Torna Cecelia Wendel

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#### Cathedral Basilica Choir

Anastasia Ambrosio Margaret Barnette Toni Bruno Nancy Capizzi Jeff Chapman Erin Doolittle Jackie Dunleavy Marcelle Fletcher Sierra Fox Liesel Fraser Julie Gamino Clara Gerdes Iosh Hartman Karl Hein Gisela High Michael Hogue Louise Lamb Bernard McCullagh Brandon Motz Claire O'Leary Anthony Schneider Kristen Seikaly Sarah Smith Michael Zubert



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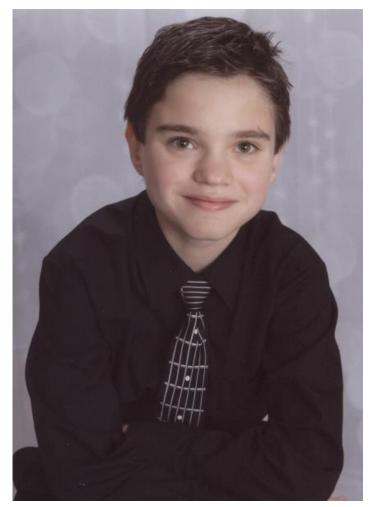


### Victor,

Congratulations on your first year with the choir. We get so much joy seeing you sing with the choir and lifting your heart to God. We love your spirit, enthusiasm and love of life. Keep letting the Lord shine within you as you continue to sing His praises.

*We're all proud of you and love you very much!* 

Mom, Dad, Kelly, Lauren, Aunt Cindy, Grandmare, MomMom, PopPop, Uncle Vic & Christian

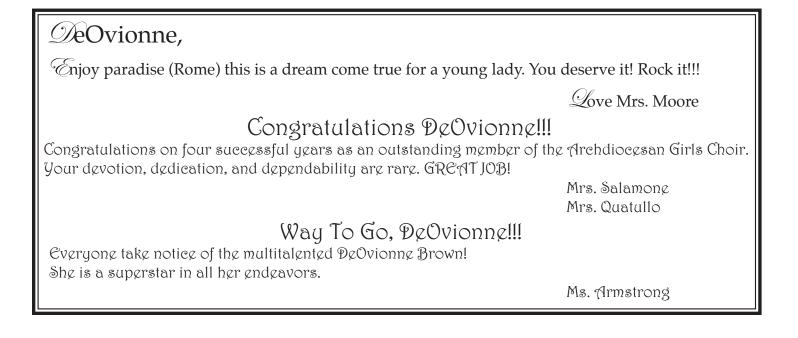


DeOvionne "AKA" Footie,

We are so proud of all your accompliments. We hope you continue to keep up the good work and never forget that we love you always and forever!

Love,

MomMom & PopPop XOXO



For My Songbird, Trinity,

You have blossomed as a member of the Archdiocesan Girl's Choir. Always Sing because you know God is listening.

All our Love: Mommy, Pop-Pop, Reecie, Mr. Pickles, Aunt Jean, Adrienne, Shani, Aunt Rea, Dionnah, Kiki, Ebay, Mooka, Uncle Daddy, Miss Claudia, Brandon and Lisa.



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