

PERSONNEL

Soprano

Emilia Del Vecchio
Eleni Filios
Emily Rose
Theresa Schwartz

Alto

Sandra Joyce
Kris Miche
Katie Ellis Ramos

Tenor

Zach Rose

Bass

Chris Foley
Kyle Joyce

TEXT TRANSLATION

Heruvimska Pesma

translation from Church Slavonic

Cherubic Hymn

We who mystically represent the Cherubim
and who sing to the Life-Giving Trinity the thrice-holy hymn,
let us now lay aside all earthly cares
that we may receive the King of all,
escorted invisibly by the angelic orders.
Alleluia.

PROGRAM

The Last Words of David

Randall Thompson
words from 2 Samuel, xxiii, 3,4

The Voice of Oceans *from Triune Mystery*

Daniel Bondaczuk
words by Amber Maxwell, Greg Nelson

Reconciliation *from Dona Nobis Pacem*

Ralph Vaughan Williams
words by Walt Whitman

Eleni Filios, *soprano*

Chris Foley, *baritone*

Heruvimska Pesma

Divna Ljubojević
transcribed by Jonathan Allentoff

Great Trees

Mary Alice Amidon, arr. Peter Amidon
words by Wendell Berry

If I Had a Hammer

Lee Hays and Pete Seeger
arr. Norman Leyden

Loch Lomond

Scottish Folk Song
arr. Charles Ruzicka

The Wellerman

New Zealand Folk Song
arr. Michael Ware

Soft

Chuck Mangione
arr. Bruce Levine

Mike Kaupa, *trumpet*

Won't You Be My Neighbor

Fred Rogers
arr. Matthew Shelby

Eastman Community Chamber Singers

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Audience Guidelines

Out of respect for all the performers, we ask audience members to stay until the end of the recital. If an exception must be made (for example, small children may be unable to sit through a long program quietly), please enter and leave the hall only between performers.

Please ensure that children are quiet and remain seated

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Vera Forster, *director*
Alla Kuznetsov, *piano*

*One Hundred & Thirty-Fifth Recital of the 2024-2025
School Year*

Thursday, June 5, 2025
6:30pm
Hatch Recital Hall



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