

The Emmaus Chorale



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"Glad Tidings We Sing!"



Laura Rabenold, Director

December 10, 2017



Pre-Concert Music:

--Good King Wenceslas/Ding-Dong Merrily on High arr. Ernie/Becky Brock
Elaine Martin, flute; Cheryl Dungan-Cunningham, harp

--What Child Is This? *harp* arr. Laura Erb

--Let All the World in Every Corner Sing George Herbert/Erik Routley
Cindy Kerr, organ and Becca Rhodes, trumpet

--Alleluia Randall Thompson

--Hallelujah, Amen George Frideric Handel
trumpet and organ

--In the Bleak Midwinter Gustav Holst/Christina Rossetti
flute, harp and Gwen Loomis, piano

--Coventry Carol 16th Century English Carol arr. by Helvey
Cindy Kerr and Gwen Loomis, 4-Hand piano

--The Holly and the Ivy English Traditional Carol arr. by John Rutter
flute, harp and organ

Intermission: Free-Will Donations Will Be Received At This Time

--It Came Upon a Midnight Clear Willis arr. by Rainey
Elaine Martin, flute and Gwen Loomis, piano

"STRETCH AND SING" Join in singing the carols printed in this program.

O Come, All Ye Faithful

1 O come, all ye faithful,
joyful and triumphant!
O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem;
come and behold him,
born the king of angels:

Refrain

O come, let us adore him,
O come, let us adore him,
O come, let us adore him,
Christ the Lord!

2 Yea, Lord, we greet thee,
born this happy morning;
Jesus, to thee be glory giv'n!
Word of the Father,
now in flesh appearing: *Refrain*



Angels We Have Heard on High

- 1 Angels we have heard on high,
sweetly singing o'er the plains,
and the mountains in reply,
echoing their joyous strains.

Refrain

Gloria in excelsis Deo;
gloria in excelsis Deo.

- 2 Come to Bethlehem and see
him whose birth the angels sing;
come, adore on bended knee
Christ the Lord, the newborn king. *Refrain*



--Gaudete A Renaissance Carol arr. by Robert J. Batastini
John Binde, tabor; Cindy Kerr, finger cymbals

--Jesus Christ, the Apple Tree Elizabeth Poston
Kathy Hontz, Cindy Krasnansky, Sandy Walker, Sharon Koehler, soloists

--Mary Had a Baby Spiritual arr. by Craig Courtney
Glenn Snyder and John Binde, soloists; Jonathan Mosebach, djembe.

--Run to the Manger Spiritual arr. by Victor C. Johnson

--Some Children See Him Wihla Hutson/Alfred S. Burt
Sallie Banko, soloist

--Then Sings My Soul (*How Great Thou Art*) Stuart K. Hine,
Setting by Mary McDonald
flute, harp, trumpet and piano

Please join the Chorale for **REFRESHMENTS** in the Fellowship Hall.

A Special "Thanks" to Faith Presbyterian Church for their generous support and hospitality; to Harry Dennis for his DVD recordings of the concert; to those who provided and served refreshments and to the ushers.



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Director: Laura Rabenold

With degrees in Music Education from IUP and WVU, her early career was spent teaching music in public schools and directing church choirs in Western PA and the Carlisle area. After 12 years of private teaching while raising a family, she returned to public school teaching and church work in the Lehigh Valley while doing post-graduate work at Westminster Choir College and Villanova University. Now fully retired from these professions, working with the wonderful singers of Emmaus Chorale has provided her with an opportunity to serve again doing what she loves.

Accompanist: Cindy Kerr

Holds a Bachelor of Music degree from Augustana College, Rock Island, IL. She works as a substitute organist in the Lehigh Valley.

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Kathy Hontz
Dianne Kareha
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Cindy Krasnansky
Diane Ritter
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Carole Ann Trout
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Alto

Mary Ann Gill
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Bass

John Binde
Hank Blauser
John J. Deisinger
Gregory Kerr
Bruce Kunkle
Royal Olson
Joe Seem
Glenn Snyder
Jonathan Tice

Instrumentalists

Elaine Martin, *Flute*
Becca Rhodes, *Trumpet*
Gwen Loomis, *Piano*
Cheryl Dungan-
Cunningham, *Harp*

Tenor

Sallie Banko
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Jonathan Mosebach
Jim Robinson
Barbara Snyder

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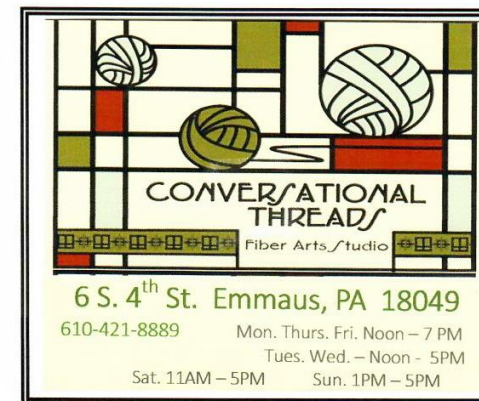
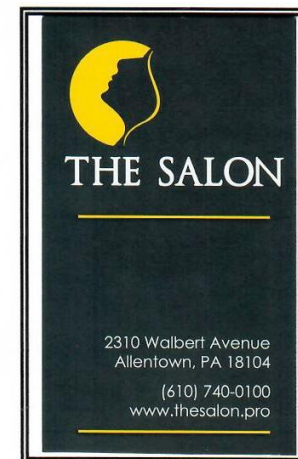
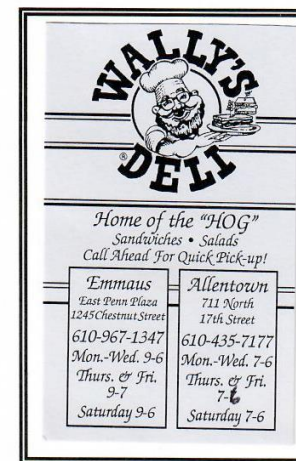
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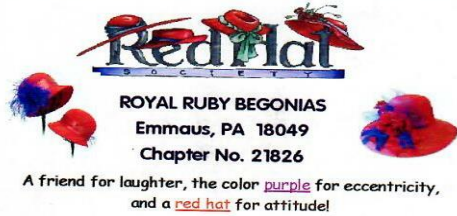
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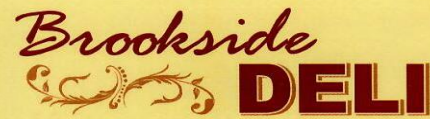


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