

The Glory of Christmas



with the choirs of

Woodroffe United Church

Katarina Jovic, conductor

and

St John the Evangelist Anglican Church

Gordon Johnston, choirmaster

with

The Strings of St John's

David Thies-Thompson, conductor

Sunday, December 3, 2017 at 2:00 pm
Woodroffe United Church, 207 Woodroffe Avenue

Sunday, December 10 at 2:00 pm
St John the Evangelist Anglican Church, Elgin Street at Somerset

See, Amid the Winter's Snow

arr. Dan Forrest

Thou Shalt Know Him When He Comes

Mark Sirett

When All the World's Asleep

John Milne

The Choir of St John the Evangelist

Sing along - Hark! The Herald Angels Sing

Hark! The herald angels sing
"Glory to the newborn King,
peace on earth, and mercy mild,
God and sinners reconciled."
Joyful, all ye nations, rise,
join the triumph of the skies;
with the angelic host proclaim,
"Christ is born in Bethlehem!"
Hark! The herald angels sing,
"Glory to the newborn King."

Hail, the heaven-born Prince of Peace!
Hail the Sun of Righteousness!
Light and life to all he brings,
risen with healing in his wings.
Mild he lays his glory by,
born that we no more may die,
born to raise each child of earth,
born to give us second birth.
Hark! The herald angels sing,
"Glory to the newborn King."

Child of the Manger

Joanna Estelle, arr J.G. Armstrong

Woodroffe United Church Choir

Sing along – Joy To the World

Joy to the world! the Lord is come:
let earth receive her king;
Let every heart prepare him room,
and heaven and nature sing.

Joy to the earth! The Saviour reigns:
let us glad songs employ,
while fields and floods, rocks, hills, and plains
repeat the sounding joy.

No more let wrongs and sorrows grow,
nor thorns infest the ground;
he comes to make his blessings flow
far as our sin is found.

He rules the world with truth and grace,
and makes the nations prove
the glories of his righteousness
and wonders of his love.

Intermission

Magnificat anima mea Dominum

My soul doth magnify the Lord,

Et exsultavit spiritus meus in Deo salutari meo

and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Saviour.

Quia respexit humilitatem ancillae suae:

ecce enim ex hoc beatam me dicent omnes generationes

For he hath regarded the lowliness of his handmaiden.

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

Quia fecit mihi magna qui potens est:

et sanctum nomen ejus.

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

Et misericordia ejus a progenie in progenies timentibus eum

And his mercy is on them that fear him

throughout all generations.

Fecit potentiam in brachio suo:

dispersit superbos mente cordis sui.

He hath showed strength with his arm;

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

Deposuit potentes de sede, et exaltavit humiles.

He hath put down the mighty from their seat,

and hath exalted the humble and meek.

Esurientes implevit bonis: et divites dimisit inanes.

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

Suscepit Israel puerum suum, recordatus misericordiae suae.

He remembering his mercy hath holpen his servant Israel;

**Sicut locutus est ad patres nostros,
Abraham et semini ejus in saecula.**

*As he promised to our forefathers,
Abraham and his seed for ever.*

Gloria Patri, et Filio, et Spiritui Sancto.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

**Sicut erat in principio, et nunc, et semper,
et in saecula saeculorum.**

*As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be,
world without end.*

Carolyn Streich, soprano

Maria Bamford, soprano

Andrew Shewchenko, countertenor

Soren Wainio-Theberge, tenor

Pascal Viens, bass

The Choir of St John the Evangelist

Gordon Johnston, organist and choirmaster

Soprano

Carolyn Streich
Maria Bamford
Wendy Williamson-Scrim
Pat Buchanan
Devon Baxter
Emmy Verdun
Peggy Lister
Pat Beckett
Cara Gilbertson
Laura Doehring
Irene Wight
Barbara Dransch
Beverley Humphries

Tenor

Soren Wainio-Theberge
Wayne Teal

Alto

Andrew Wight
Barbara Dorrell
Judy Threinen
Lannie Mitchell
Kathleen Arsenault
Marianne Harkema
Alice Doell
Karen Marks
Andrew Shewchenko

Bass

Pete Torunski
Michel Landry
Liam Kennedy-Macdonald
Stephen Burrige
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Thomas Pilson
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Sue Smarkala
Aleksandra Smiljanic

Tenor

Joanne Baker
Jamie Hockin
Bruce Junkins
Tamara Milijevic
Brian Rintoul
Ksenija Stanarevic

Alto

Diana Baird
Olga Borozan
Judy Chaplin
Patricia Curtis
Lenora Hansen
Shirley Hockin
Katarina Misljencevic
Mary Schmieder

Bass

Lyle Campbell
Wesley Dearham
Larry Richardson
Joe Smarkala

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First Violin

Jackie Morris, concertmaster
Alla Perevalova
Halina Bonikowski
Stephen Rouble

Second Violin

Margot Lange
Shelby Marshall
Katherine Tinkler
Gabriella Csoti
Marko Yanishevsky

Viola

Mary Young
Karen Finstad
Laura Mennill

Cello

Catherine Campbell
Ruth Peron

Bass

Patrick Kline

Flute

Heidi Gruber
Isabelle McLeod

Oboe

Angela Casagrande
Kristen Finstad

Trumpet

Peter Crouch
Cameron Walker
Davide da Silva

Tympani

Luke Simoneau
Dominique Moreau

Continuo

Katarina Jovic

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