The Allegheny College Music Department presents

THE ALLEGHENY CHOIRS

James D. Niblock, director

SATOARDAY, APRIL 13, 2019
Tant que vivrai
Claudin de Sermisy (1490-1562)/Clément Marot
As long as I live in my prime, I shall serve the mighty king of Love in deeds, in words, in songs, in harmonies. That king made me languish a while; But afterwards he made me rejoice, since now I have the love of the sweet-bodied beauty. In her friendship is my trust, her heart is mine, mine hers. Away with sadness, long live gladness! Since there are so many good things in love. When I seek to serve and honor her, when I seek to adorn her name with my words, when I see and visit her — those who envy her only gossip. But our love doesn’t last any less long for that; The wind carries their gossip and more away. Despite their envy, I shall serve her and sing of her all my life. She is the first, she is the last, whom I have served and shall serve.¹

Lullaby
Daniel Elder (b. 1986)

Elijah Rock
Trad. Spiritual/arr. Jester Hairston

He Trusted in God from Messiah
G. F. Handel (1685-1759)/Psalm 22:8

~College & Community Chorus~

As Vesta was from Latmos Hill Descending
Thomas Weelkes (1576-1623)

Waterfalls from The Catriona Madrigals
Edward Tyler (b. 1964)/Catriona Horstmann

Jigs
Trad. Irish/arr. J. David Moore

~Chamber Choir~

Lift Thine Eyes from Elijah
Felix Mendelssohn-Bartholdy (1809-1847)

Spring Cantata
Vincent Persichetti (1915-1987)/e.e. cummings
I. Trees
II. If the green
III. Spring is like a perhaps hand
IV. In Just-spring

~Women’s Ensemble~

**Intermission**

Dominus Vobiscum
Jacob Narverud (b. 1986)
The Lord be with you. Peace, we leave with you and with your spirit. Amen.²
Music on the Water  
Robert Sieving (b. 1942)/William Wordsworth  
Abigail Johnson, horn

Türgi sõja laul  
Veljo Tormis (b. 1930)/Paul-Eerik Rummo  
One, two, three - and thrash! Twenty years I served, was a private, shot lead out of my gun straight at the Turks’ eyes, oh I did, too. Slayed I ten Turks advancing in the battle, then was hit myself at the rattle of the Plevna battle. Wounded I was found there and cured in hospital. Then they gave me a white ticket and sent me back home. There I got a golden medal, and a cross - that’s good, not bad, for I made some money out of it.  
~Men’s Ensemble~

Laudate pueri  
Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756-1791)/Psalm 113  
O praise the Lord, ye children, praise the name of the Lord. Blessed be the name of the Lord from henceforth now and forever. From the rising of the sun even unto its setting, the name of the Lord is praiseworthy. The Lord is high above all nations, his glory is above the heavens. Who is like the Lord our God, who dwells on high, and yet be considers the lowly in heaven and on earth? Lifting up the needy from the dust, and raising the poor from the dunghill, so that he may place him with the princes of his people. Who makes the sterile woman to dwell in her house, the joyful mother of his people.  

Valgusele  
Pärt Uusberg (b. 1986)/Ernst Enno  
I heard the dream from my silent sleep - heard the bells ringing in the sun’s splendor, the skies singing in divine beauty, and even the darkness was smiling from afar. Now the night has pulled me away. I walk in the faded shadows, humming the song of darkness and light and searching for the dream, for you.  

Abendlied  
Josef Rheinberger (1839-1901)  
Remain with us, for it will become evening, and the day gives way.  

Lift Boy  
Benjamin Britten (1913-1976)/Robert Graves  
~College Choir~

In Meeting We Are Blessed  
Troy D. Robertson (b. 1978)/R. Gatsnahos  
Jacob Sutter, Elizabeth Forrey, percussion

Alma Mater Beatissima  
G. W. Warren/arr. Luvaas/J. Hammond Class of 1866  
~Combined Choir~

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