THE DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC VASSAR COLLEGE

Lightning & Refuge

Vassar College Women's Chorus

Christine Howlett, *conductor*Susan Brown, *piano*

&

Frank Cassara, percussion

Saturday, April 2, 2022 · 8 PM Skinner Recital Hall

PROGRAM

Beatus vir RV 598

Antonio Vivaldi (1678-1741)

Avi Klipfel '22, Isabel Granger '24, Beatrix Postley'24, Cecily Rea '23, Julianne Cuevo '24, Bailey Hancharik '22, Madi Donat '23, Jacqueline Evangelista '25 *soloists*

> Marka Young and Francia Mann, *violin* Greg Williams, *viola*, David Bakamjian, *cello* Susan Brown, *organ*

And I Saw

Timothy C. Takach (b. 1978)

Seven Choruses from the Medea of Euripides

Virgil Thomson (1896-1989)

- 1. O, Gentle Heart
- 2. Love, Like A Leaf
- 3. O, Happy were Our Fathers
- 4. Weep for the Little Lambs
- 5. Go Down, O Sun
- 6. Behold, O Earth
- 7. Immortal Zeus Controls the Fate of Man

Frank Cassara, percussion, Susan Brown, organ

Refuge

Elaine Hagenberg (b. 1979)

Susan Brown, piano, David Bakamjian, cello

I Just Lightning (1998)

Libby Larsen (b. 1950)

Frank Cassara, percussion



Please see insert for notes and texts.

Vassar College Women's Chorus

Soprano I

Julianne Cuevo '24 Jules Kiggins '23 Avi Klipfel '22 Talia Mayo '25 Hannah O'Loughlin '22

Beatrix Postley '24 Cecily Rea '23 Rebecca Torres '24

Alto I

Sophia Blankinship '25 Madeleine Brigman'24 Natalia Fay '24 Allie Flanders '24 Kate Gebbia '24 Natalie Habaybeh '22 Claire McHarg '24

Alea Myers '25

Yasmin Nijem '23

Mattie Vandiver '25

Soprano II

Lexi Alexander '22 Margaret Bigler '22 Madi Donat '23 Iona Duncan '24 Milla Durfee '24 Jacqueline Evangelista '25 Bailey Hancharik '22 Kelly Hatfield '23 Sarah Kopp '22 Grace Miller '24 Mrin Sekhsaria Somani '23

Alto II

Grace Adams Ward Abi Bethke '22 Avery Duer '24 Isabel Granger '24 Penny He'22 Willa Potter '25 Angelique Rodriguez '22 Chelsea Zak '23



We are delighted that you have joined us today in Skinner Hall of Music. Please note that Vassar College requires that ALL members of the campus community and guests regardless of vaccination status wear a mask indoors at all times. Thank you for keeping yourself and others safe.

Please silence all cell phones or other personal electronic devices and refrain from texting. Use of these instruments will disturb other audience members and cause interference with in-house recording and webcasting.

Skinner Recital Hall is equipped with a LOOP Hearing System which offers improved clarity for persons with hearing loss who wear telecoil—or T-coil—equipped aids.

Skinner Hall of Music Spring 2022 Concert Series

Currently in-person and open to the public.

Masks must be worn at ALL times regardless of vaccination status.

Proof of Vaccination & photo ID are required for entry.



Sunday, April 3 · 1:30 PM

Senior Recital: Sam Kai Fujikawa, tenor

Assisted by Susan Brown, *piano*. With Devon Seixas '23, *guitar*, Jason Albaum '23, *saxophone*, James Mannix '24, *drums*, Judah Weekes '25, *electric bass*, Jay Chiu '23, *baritone*, Angelique Rodriguez '22, *alto*.

Friday, April 8 · 4:00 PM

Junior Recital: Eden Bartholomew, soprano
*please note location: Thekla Hall

Friday, April 8 · 6:00 PM

Senior Recital: Nyoman Shanti Fowler-Puja, soprano

Featuring vocal music from the 17th to 19th centuries, including works by Bach, Rossini, and Gounod. Assisted by James Fitzwilliam, *piano*, with Alexander Bonus, *continuo*, and James Osborn, *trumpet*.

Friday, April 8 · 8:00 PM

Senior Recital: Adam Benamram, baritone and Adam Weil, tenor An evening featuring works by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, Stephen Sondheim, Gabriel Fauré, Andrew Lippa, and more. Assisted by Susan Brown, piano.

Saturday, April 9 · 8:00 PM

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Spring Series continues through May. Visit **vassar.edu/music/concerts** for full schedule and current Covid protocols

* Where noted view online at: vassar.edu/music/concerts/webcast