

MAY 9-11, 2024 MICHIGAN STATE UNIVERSITY

On behalf of the Michigan School Vocal Music Association, it is my privilege and pleasure to extend congratulations to participants of the 3rd All-State Festival. Each and every one of the student musicians performing represent the best of the best in vocal arts throughout Michigan schools.

For the students taking the stage, their performance marks the culmination of a process that began in the fall. Honors Choir singers auditioned and were selected for Regional Honors Choir, participated in Regional Honors Choir and at that time auditioned and were accepted into one of three State Honors Choirs. The students performing in the All-State Honors Choir are in the top tier of students as determined by the adjudicators to represent the best high school singers in the State of Michigan.

Similarly, soloists, ensembles and choirs have advanced through district and state level adjudicated events with excellent ratings and/or through an adjudicator listening panel. These student musicians are the select few chosen by our adjudication process as outstanding representatives of the very best vocal musicians in Michigan.

A special welcome to families and friends of the students attending the Festival. Your support of music education in your homes, communities, and schools is greatly appreciated by students gathered here on the campus of Michigan State University.

We also encourage you to consider increasing your financial support of the Michigan School Vocal Music Association. The Michigan School Vocal Music Association is a non-profit, 501(c)(3) organization that exists to empower students through the art of vocal music. You can learn more about our organization at msvma.org and can donate directly at msvma.org/donate.

Please enjoy the 2024 MSVMA All-State Festival. Welcome to all!

Amy Schroeder Director, All-State Festival

Mandy Mikita Scott is in her 21st year of teaching, and her sixteenth at her alma mater, Rockford High School (Rockford, Michigan), where she is Director of Choirs and teaches around 125 students daily in four ensembles. She feels privileged to be on a team with her husband, Jed Scott, who directs the Rockford Aces and volunteers much of his time to support the choir program.

Mandy studied at Western Michigan University with Joe Miller and Steve Zegree and received her Master of Music in Choral Conducting from the University of Miami with Jo-Michael Scheibe. She is grateful that her choirs have had the opportunity to perform in Carnegie Hall, the National Cathedral, the World Choir Games in Riga, Latvia (where they earned Gold Medals in their categories) and St. Peter's Basilica in Rome, Italy. Most recently, in 2023 she conducted a concert tour of Spain with the Rockford Choirs with sold-out concerts in Barcelona, Valencia, and Madrid.

Her choirs have also performed at both the ACDA-Michigan Fall Conference and the Michigan Music Conference. She has conducted an ensemble at the MSVMA All-State Ensemble Recital eight times.

The Rockford Choirs actively commission new choral works, and under her direction, the choirs have commissioned over 30 compositions and arrangements, including works from Z. Randall Stroope, Alice Parker, Andrea Ramsey, Michael McGlynn, Anders Edenroth, and many others.

Mandy was the Michigan High School SSAA State Honors Choir conductor in 2014, and has served terms on both as High School Repertoire chair and the Board of Directors as the Director of Sight Reading and Music Selection. She has also served on the ACDA-Michigan Board.

Mandy was recognized as Eric Whitacre Teacher of the Week in December, 2019. She is humbled to have four times been named as a finalist for MSVMA Teacher of the Year. She is proudest that her former students continue to make music and breathe kindness into the world.

Most of all, Mandy has had fabulous choral opportunities in her career thanks to her incredible husband and family. Together, they have spent time with legendary choral composer Alice Parker on her farm in Massachusetts, hosted The Real Group in Rockford, and written poetry with her youngest, Daniella, for an Andrea Ramsey composition. Mandy and Jed have three children, Owen, Julian, and Daniella (who were all singing in MSVMA Honors Choirs this year at MMC!)



Mandy Scott 2024 Teacher of the Year

GALA CONCERT



Thursday, May 9 7 PM

DeWitt High School Musical Theatre Ensemble

DeWitt High School Meghan Eldred-Woolsey, Director John Dale Smith, Accompanist *Opening Up* from Waitress, Sara Bareilles arr. Mac Huff Journey to the Past from Anastasia, Ahrens & Flannery arr. Audrey Snyder Oklahoma! from Oklahoma!, Rodgers & Hammerstein Featuring: Austin Blackmer, Joseph Buckmaster, Gwendellyn Doerfler, Parker Havard, Elise McQuillan, Dominic Rose, Ella Schieding, Carlyanna Smith, Maddie Snawder, Aislinn Wilcox, Madison Zelski

Dundee Descants

Dundee Community High School Megan Sinclair, Director Todd Schreiber, Accompanist My Funny Valentine from Babes in Arms My Strongest Suit from Aida the Musical

Does the World Say?, Kyle Pederson

Featuring: Anderson Anabel, Brown Hailey, Cousino Brianna, Fugate Hayley, Hernandez Celeste, Kean Ava, Kunder Lauren, Kuzala Mia, Lester-Jenkins Madison, Ostrowski Alivia, Parent Megan, Pollock Alexis, Raymond Caleigh, Richards Lydia, Schramm Emma, Schramm Olivia, Seehafer Kalayla, Seitz Sawyer, Stacy Nevaeh, Stump Alyssa

All-State Musical Theatre Honors Ensemble

Mr. Michael K. Hancey, Director Dr. Joseph Daniel-Hoste, Accompanist Dear Evan Hansen - Choral Highlights, Arr. Brymer, Requiem, arr. Roger Emerson Featuring: Taryn Brown, Zoe Burrell, Sage Chick, Kelcie Corrion, Reed Davis, Braeden Davis, Kaitlyn Dolan, Jonathon Ellison, Deacon Hayward, Jacob Hopkins, Abbey House, Carly Koch, Mia Kuzala, Kaylee Martin, Emmanuel Morgan, Sheridan Norwood, Owen Ostling, Michael Stewart, Gabby Thompson, and Evan Worden

Intermission

GALA CONCERT



Thursday, May 9 7 PM Continued

Naja Swyer

Detroit School of Arts Julian J. Goods, Director & Accompanist LaVonte Heard, Voice Teacher Il mio bel foco, Benedetto Marcello He's Got the Whole World in His Hands, Negro Spiritual, arr. Margaret Bonds

Laker Express

West Bloomfield High School Sheryl Hauk, Director Dulaman, David Mooney Earth Song, Frank Ticheli Peze Kafe, Sten Kallman Featuring: Alexander Walton, Allen Karas, Carley Law, Chris Brenner, Elizabeth Kenaya, Kaelin Williams, Logan Faulkender, John McClean, Matthew Weiss, Mya Skinner, Myleigh Dorsey, RJ Hayes, Sarah Lauerman, Seleste Knappe

Jack Stoll Cranbrook School James Gabriel, Director & Accompanist Elizabeth Medvinsky, Voice Teacher Non lo diro col labbro, Death, George Friedrich Handel Oh! Quand je dors, Franz Liszt

Chamber Chorale

Grand Rapids Christian High School Candice Sytsma, Director Careta Gilmore, Accompanist Ecco Mormorar L'onde, Claudio Monteverdi A Boy and A Girl, Eric Whitacre Wade in the Water, arr. Stacey Gibbs Featuring: Ella Anderson, Gabe Benedict, Ben Bierma, Lizzie Caldon, Liv Cook, Tyler Davis, Ian Day, Levi Fynewever, Emily Grabow, Percy Greenfield, Emily Hermen, Sam Lin, Mackenzie Michael, Joey Pastoor, Lucas Phelps, Natalie Poortenga, Nathan Scheffler, Ally Schrotenboer, Sophie Scofield, Simon Speulstra, Susannah TenHuisen, Char VanArrogon, Caelen Wigboldy, Anna Ydenberg

GALA CONCERT



Thursday, May 9 7 PM Continued

Anaiya Hall

Detroit School of Arts Julian Goods, Director & Accompanist LaVonte Heard, Voice Teacher *Come Raggio di Sol*, Antonia Caldara *Done Made My Vow to de Lord*, Negro Spiritual, arr. Uzee Brown, Jr.

Chamber Choir

Dewitt High School Meghan Eldred-Woolsey, Director John Dale Smith, Accompanist *Caritas Abundat,* Michael John Trotta *Bend,* Kyle Pederson *Always Keep This Close,* Zachary J. Moore

Featuring: Brayden Balsis, Austin Blackmer, Allison Bowen, Rylan Bowman, Joseph Buckmaster, Preston DeLaCruz, Gwen Doerfler, Leah Ely, Leah Gates, Caleb Haman, Parker Havard, Luke Ladd, Auden Lenneman, Malia Lenneman, Emily Liston, Robert Lowes, Elise McQuillan, Ethan Ouellette, Rowan Page, Carson Reynolds, Sophia Richards, Dominic Rose, Ella Schieding, Jacob Schorfhaar, Meadow Sedelmaier, Carlyanna Smith, Maddie Snawder, Taylor Stallings, Kanin Thelen, Kennedy Tiemann, Lily Utrup, Lincoln Walker, Aislinn Wilcox, Madison Zelski



Friday, May 10 9 AM Recital

Choral-Aires

Traverse City West Senior High School Erich Wangeman, Director David Husser, Accompanist *Allaluia*, Jake Runestad *Star Sonnet*, Daniel Elder *Leron, Leron Sinta,* Traditional Filipino Folk Song, arr. Saunder Choi **Featuring: Adyson Banton, Julia Bell, Ainsley Bielman, Katherine Brazee, Van Collins, Finn Culver, Piper Dee,**

Katherine Brazee, Van Collins, Finn Culver, Piper Dee, Isaiah Gallegos, Annabelle Gray, Devin Hoang, Abigail Klepper, Lily LaFaive, Caleb Mienk, Isaac Mikesell, Ethan Murphy, Allison Sheets, Like Shumaker, Jada Stewart, Trey Stewart, Zachary Wheeler

Men's Ensemble

Hudsonville Unity Christian High School Ashton Foreman, Director Mary Westmaas, Accompanist Like A River In My Soul, Tim Osiek Lay Up Your Treasures In Heaven, Pepper Choplin Featuring: Jackson Aukeman, Braden Bakhuyzen, Tyler Bakhuyzen, Toby Boelema, Leo Christner, Chase Clark, Zander Gordon, Benjamin Hoekstra, JJ Huisman, Zachary Kuipers, Caden Leatherman, Alexander Roberts, Matthew VanDyke, Jack Vannette, Benjamin VanWienen, William Wierenga

Kya Leeson Zeeland East High School Jonathan Van Eck, Director Linda Hoekwater, Accompanist Linda Dykstra, Voice Teacher *Io Io so che il bel sembiante,* Vincenzo Righini *Vocalise,* Wilbur Chenoweth

Eliana Adler

Ann Arbor Pioneer High School Steven R. Lorenz, Director Seohyun You, Accompanist Kayleigh Ciccarelli, Voice Teacher *Lydia*, Gabriel Fauré *Bessie Bobtail*, Samuel Barber

Naja Swyer

Detroit School of Arts Julian Goods, Director & Accompanist LaVonte Heard, Voice Teacher *Il mio bel foco*, Benedetto Marcello *He's Got the Whole World in His Hands, Negro Spiritual, arr. Margaret Bonds*

Chippewa Valley High School SATB Quartet

Chippewa Valley High School James Pecar, Director Oliva Ferguson, Accompanist & Voice Teacher *Veni Sancte Spiritus, K. 47*, Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart *Mon cœur se recommande à vous,* Orlandus Lassus, Edited by: David Randolph *Muié Rendêra,* arr. Carlos Alberto Pinto Fonseca **Featuring: Julia Clark, Gavin Mace, Owen Thompson, Lily Watanabe**



Friday, May 10 9 AM Recital Continued

Chamber Treble Ensemble

Rockford High School Mandy Scott, Director Melanie Dorn Kraut, Accompanist Owen Scott, Percussion And Miriam Sang (Shiru L'Adonai), Zebulon Highben Hope Lingers On, Lissa Schneckenburger, arr. Andrea Ramsey Featuring: Ella Braden, Joan Cross, Allie Fegan, Taylor Fox, Abbey House, Abby Jameson, Lauren Kinstle, Noelle Lloyd-Jones, Sarah Neill, Ava Nykamp, Maya Quigley, Eve Quigley, Cohl Smith, Emmerson Zant

Varsity Voices

Zeeland High Schools Jonathan Van Eck, Director Linda Hoekwater, Accompanist Nelly Bly, Arr. Jack Halloran Elijah Rock, Arr. Moses Hogan Measure Me, Sky!, Elaine Hagenberg Featuring: Tyler Anderson, Alaiyah Busscher, Jason Clyde, Nayeli Fomunung, Gavin Gibson, Valerie Griffin, Josh Hamilton, Kya Leeson, Ceana Lo, Alejandro Lozano, Elle Maatman, Emmelia Olsen, Hannah Reier, Felix Rich, Ady VanLiere, Aliyah Visser

A Cappella Choir Tenors & Basses

Anaiya Hall Detroit School of Arts

Julian J. Goods, Director & Accompanist LaVonte Heard, Voice Teacher *Come Raggio di Sol*, Antonia Caldara *Done Made My Vow to de Lord*, Negro Spiritual, arr. Uzee Brown, Jr.

Les Deux Papillons

Traverse City West Senior High School Erich Wangeman, Director Emerick Dee, Accompanist Jayne Sleder & Lindsay Wills, Voice Teachers *Sull'aria*, Mozart *Duetto Buffo Di Due Gatti*, Rossini **Featuring: Katherine Brazee & Piper Dee** Ann Arbor Pioneer High School Steven R. Lorenz, Director Seohyun You, Accompanist Good News, the Chariot's Comin', arr. Stacey V. Gibbs Down by the Sally Gardens, arr. Henry Mishkin Swing Low, Sweet Chariot, arr. André Thomas Featuring: Calvin Anderson, Finn Bassett-Kennedy, Coen Boutell, Jaden Burman, Vincent Byrne, Chase Crownover, Jonathan Gosbee, Luke Hayden, Roshan Kumar, Tyce Larsen, Caleb Lorenz, Emmanuel Morgan, Noah Reséndez, Jake Williams

Julia Johnson

Chippewa Valley High School James Pecar, Director Olivia Ferguson, Voice Teacher & Accompanist *Music for a while*, Henry Purcell *L'innamorata*, Pauline Viardot Garcia



Friday, May 10 9 AM Recital Continued

Concert Choir

Avondale High School Kevin Cornwell, Director Amy Wagner, Accompanist Carol Petty, Voice Teacher Lovers Love the Spring, David Dickau Prelude to Peace, Z. Randall Stroope Way Over in Beulah lan', Stacey V. Gibbs Featuring: Jada Adams, Sydney Baliat, Aliyah Barkley, Travis Braman, Jessie Brault, Anaiya Carr, Ainara Chaparro, Katherine Garduno, DeJon Jackson, Jamesa Malone, Montrell Muskeyvalley, Alissa Nalou, Leonidas Noell, Noah Savage, Nicole Schroeder, Katherine Tatomir, Isabella Windham

Isaac Roughton

Saline High School Sarah Price, Director Marla Moore, Voice Teacher *Black Max*, William Bolcom *Zuieignung,* Richard Strauss

A Cappella Choir Sopranos & Altos

Ann Arbor Pioneer High School Steven R. Lorenz, Director Seohyun You, Accompanist Frobisher Bay, James Gordon, arr. Diane Loomer Hope Lingers On, Andrea Ramsey The Parting Glass, arr. Wailin' Jennys Featuring: Mia Abbasi, Eliana Adler, Olivia Callanan, Lucy Dineen, Maggie Florence, Rachel Forsyth, Molly Hamalainen, Emmeline Houk, Lily Jones, Anne Kollman, Ainsley Maddock, Iris Maturen, Jaylee Oeschger, Stella Peng, Cecile Piffaretti, Izzy Ribick, Rebekah Scrivens, Brynne Smith, Anne Stroud, Lily Wright

Anaiya Hall

Detroit School of Arts Julian J. Goods, Director & Accompanist LaVonte Heard, Voice Teacher *Come Raggio di Sol*, Antonia Caldara *Done Made My Vow to de Lord*, Negro Spiritual, arr. Uzee Brown, Jr.

Detroit School of Arts High School

Detroit School of Arts Ashley Paul, Director Julian J. Goods, Accompanist *Now Let Me Fly*, Stacey Gibbs *Ascribe To The Lord*, Rosephanye Powell Featuring: Jayda Anderson, Aaliyah Bufkin, Brianna Couch, Shanya Duncan, Anaiya Hall, Gwendolyn Jackson, Azaree Joliff, Erin King, Julian Murray, Kenya Saunders, Nia'Rae Smith, Naja Swyer, Afiya Userkaf, Janae Washington, Makayla West



Friday, May 10 1 PM Recital

Jacobson Duet

Grand Haven High School Juli Dick, Director Thomas Moss, Accompanist Karen Wyns, Voice Teacher *Die Schwestern*, Johannes Brahms *My Dearest, My Fairest*, Henry Purcell **Featuring: Nora Jacobson, Reina Jacobson**

Laker Express

West Bloomfield High School Sheryl Hauk, Director Dulaman, David Mooney Earth Song, Frank Ticheli Peze Kafe, Sten Kallman Featuring: Alexander Walton, Allen Karas, Carley Law, Chris Brenner, Elizabeth Kenaya, Kaelin Williams, Logan Faulkender, John McClean, Matthew Weiss, Mya Skinner, Myleigh Dorsey, RJ Hayes, Sarah Lauerman, Seleste Knappe

Choral Ensemble

Grand Haven High School Juli Dick, Director Thomas Moss, Accompanist *Measure Me, Sky!*, Elaine Hagenberg *TaReKiTa*, Reena Esmail *My Very Own*, Susan LaBarr Featuring: Jaiden Bice, Julia Bolla, Lilly Bowen, Shae Brodie, Lux Caputo, Courtney Coffin, Evangeline Henderson, Nora Jacobson, Reina Jacobson, Brandon Klingensmith, Autumn Korecki, Lola Lawrence, Coda Locke, Calvin Poll, David Ramirez, Lucy Roop, Jordan Smaka, Clara Squio De Cezaro, PJ Young

Caleb Mienk

Traverse City West Senior High School

Women's Chorus Blue Ensemble

Utica Eisenhower High School Julia Jenkins Holt, Director Sara Hazen-Robinson, Accompanist *Blogoslawieni milosierni,* Marek Raczynski *Fy Upon You, Fy!*, Walter Cecil Macfarren, Arr. Tom Fettke

Kali's Song, Martin Donnelly, Arr. Donald Patriquin Featuring: Iris Bremer, Avah Grady, Raegan McCloud, Zoe Mielke, Annabella Peret, Madison Razook, Ella Skope, Ella Siwicki, Cady Soules, Krys Villanueva, Audrina Visca, Lylah Webster

Jack Bishop

Marquette Senior High School Sheila Grazulis, Director Janet Broderson, Accompanist & Voice Teacher *Luke Havergal*, John Duke *Erstarrung*, Franz Schubert Erich Wangeman, Director Jamie Hardesty, Accompanist Jayne Sleder, Voice Teacher *Nebbie*, Ottorino Respighi *La vendetta*, W.A. Mozart

Meera Sankar

Northville High School Beth Richert, Director Jim Walters, Accompanist Dorothy Duensing, Voice Teacher *O del mio dolce ardor*, Christoph Willibald von Gluck *Sure on this Shining Night*, Samuel Barber

Bishop-Hardenbergh Duet

Marquette Senior High School Sheila Grazulis, Director Janet Broderson, Accompanist & Voice Teacher Der Herr Segne Euch, J. S. Bach Ave Verum, Wolfgang Mozart Featuring: Jack Bishop, Jonah Hardenbergh



Friday, May 10 1 PM Recital Continued

Jack Stoll

Cranbrook School James Gabriel, Director & Accompanist Elizabeth Medvinsky, Voice Teacher Non lo diro col labbro, Death, George Friedrich Handel Oh! Quand je dors, Franz Liszt

Isaiah Gallegos

Traverse City West Senior High School Erich Wangeman, Director Jamie Hardesty, Accompanist Jayne Sleder, Voice Teacher Such Beauty As Hurts To Behold, Ned Rorem Quando ti rivedrò, Stefano Donaudy

Women's Select Ensemble

Rosalind Laila Biscette

Haslett High School Matthew Michael Callaghan, Director Stephanie Gewirtz, Accompanist Anjuli Baraily, Voice Teacher *The Cherry Tree*, Armstrong Gibbs *Quella fiamma che m'accende*, Benedetto Marcello

MSHS Chamber Choir

Marquette Senior High School Sheila Grazulis, Director Norwegian Lullaby (Gjendines badnlat), Gjendine Slalien, Arr. Gunnar Eriksson Time, Jennifer Lucy Cook Let My Love Be Heard, Jake Runestad Featuring: Avalyn Billman, Jack Bishop, Hailey Bolf, Amelie DeMarte, Raina Doughty, Reya Ghiardi, Roenak Ghiardi, Marin Johnson, Avonlea Kuhlman, Zai Lampinen, Canyon Medina, Colin Morrison, Natalie Morcom, Mylee Muscoe, Carley Palomaki, Lane Parks, Seamus Waite, Sonja Wautier, Alaura Welch, Nate Wood

DeWitt High School Meghan Eldred-Woolsey, Director John Dale Smith, Accompanist As The Tree Stands Tall, Daniel Schreiner Juntos, Jim Papoulis No Time, Traditional Camp Songs, Arr. Susan Brumfield Featuring: Allison Bowen, Gwendellyn Doerfler, Leah Ely, Leah Gates, Malia Lenneman, Emily Liston, Elise McQuillan, Sophia Richards, Ella Schieding, Meadow Sedelmaier, Carlyanna Smith, Maddie Snawder, Taylor Stallings, Kanin Thelen, Kennedy Tiemann, Lily Utrup, Aislinn Wilcox, Madison Zelski

Karalynn M. Davis

West Ottawa High School Erin L. Stier, Director Jennifer Florip, Accompanist Holis Bokhout, Voice Teacher *To a Wild Rose*, Edward MacDowell *Si Mes Vers Avaient Des Ailes!*, Reynaldo Hahn

TrebleMakers

Northville High School Beth Richert, Director *Kaval Sviri*, traditional Bulgarian folk song, Arr. Petar Liondev *Threads of Joy*, Dale Trumbore *O Sapientia*, Tadeja Vulc Featuring: Molly Baughman, Brooklyn Blaskay, Elizabeth Felosak, Lily Lawing, Elizabeth Lewis, Aubrey McCurdy, Makenna McInally, Lucy Medley, Meera Sankar, Kavya Vadrevu



Friday, May 10 1 PM Recital Continued

Westmen

Traverse City West Senior High School Erich Wangeman, Director Jamie Hardesty, Accompanist Loch Lomond, Scottish Folksong, arr. Dede Duson Frobisher Bay, James Gordon, arr. Diane Loomer Blow Ye The Trumpet, Kirke Mechem Featuring: Liam Bauer, Van Collins, David Dee, Isiah Gallegos, Ryan Goodrich, Wyatt Goodrich, Landon Holt, Talmage Holt, Devin Hoang, Cody Leonard, Tyler Leonard, Caleb Mienk, Isaac Mikesell, Alex Roush, Luke Shumaker, Trey Stewart, Cody Talquist, Chris Walters, Oscar Watson, Zachary Wheeler

ALL-STATE FESTIVAL Honors Choir Concert Saturday, May 11 3 PM



Dr. Joe Miller All-State Festival Honors Choir Conductor

Todd Schreiber, Accompanist K-12 Vocal Music, Whiteford High School

MSVMA thanks the Michigan State University College of Music instrumentalists for their participation in today's concert.

Repertoire

My Lord, what a mornin', arr. H. T. Burleigh

Weep, I Mine Eyes, John Bennet

Salve Regina, Franco Prinsloo

Your Hand and Mine, Marques Garrett

Hallelujah Chorus from Messiah, G.F. Handel

ALL-STATE HONORS CHOIR



Seth Amoguis I Holt High School Elena Ardis I Lansing Christian High School Caleb Ashley | Davison High School William Atwood I Jackson Northwest High School Sadie Barber I Ann Arbor Skyline High School Alexandria Barbour I Byron Center High School Avalyn Billman I Marquette High School Jeron Blade I Flushing Middle School & High School Andrew Burns I Saline High School Alyssa Bursch I Caledonia High School Anna Carter I Chelsea High School Chase Crownover I Ann Arbor Pioneer High School Gabe D'Valentine I St. Johns Public Schools Ava Davidson I Spring Lake High School Joshua Davis I Grandville Calvin Christian Jonah DeLeeuw I Kalamazoo Central High School Raina Doughty | Marquette Senior High School Stephanie Dryburgh I Caledonia High School Dane DuVall I Whiteford High School Sam Edwards | Rochester High School Harrison Fleming I Okemos High School Nora Frens I Holland Public School Levi Fynewever I Grand Rapids Christian High School Reya Ghiardi I Marquette High School Leah Groth I Shrine High School & Academy Parker Havard I DeWitt High School Mackenzie Hescott | Davison High School Nathaniel Hickner I East Lansing High School Reina Jacobson | Grand Haven High School **Owen Jen** I Grand Rapids Christian High School Marin Johnson | Marquette High School Oummu Kabba I East Kentwood High School Shawna Kim I Western Michigan Christian High School Andrew Langley I Holt High School Elise LeBaron I St. Johns Public Schools Matthew Lee I Flushing Middle School & High School **Connor Liles** I Allendale High School Nick MacMillan I Jackson Northwest High School Ainsley Maddock I Ann Arbor Pioneer High School Alexander Mansuy I Allendale High School

Ivy McClelland I Clinton High School Erick Morales | Fennville High School Rory Morter | Northview High School Eden Navis I Western Michigan Christian High School Connor Norman I Davison High School Lane Parks | Marquette Senior High School Nathan Pierce I Jackson Northwest High School Natalie Poortenga I Grand Rapids Christian High School Will Powers I Ann Arbor Skyline High School Derick Prichard I Caledonia High School Rachel Raymer I Standish-Sterling Central High School Emery Rewa I Caledonia High School Michael Riccinto I Ann Arbor Skyline High School Felix Rich I Zeeland High School Leah Riley | Davison High School Abigail Rohrer I Ann Arbor Pioneer High School Lucy Roop | Grand Haven High School Isaac Roughton | Saline High School Rachel Schmitt I Lutheran High School Northwest Erik Severtson I Milan MS & High School Abigail Slot | Northview High School Cerys Smith I Caledonia High School Cayson Smith I Standish-Sterling Central High School Steven Stewart I Allen Park High School Adhvaith Suresh I South Lyon East High School Tarun Swaminathan I Ann Arbor Skyline High School Leif TenBrink I Ann Arbor Skyline High School Char Van Arragon I Grand Rapids Christian High School Susanna Vire I Caledonia High School Christina Waldmiller I Caledonia High School Raeghan Waldron I Jackson Northwest High School Liam Waterford I Whiteford High School Eleanor Westhoff I Ann Arbor Skyline High School Caelen Wigboldy I Grand Rapids Christian High School Karleigh Wilhelm I Grand Haven High School Nolan Williams I Jenison High School Victor Williams I Muskegon Reeths-Puffer High School Ryleigh Woodruff I Jackson Northwest High School Norah Zook | Stevensville Lakeshore High School

ALL-STATE HONORS CHOIR



Dr. Joe Miller All-State Festival Honors Choir Conductor

Recognized as a visionary conductor and creative artist, Joe Miller maintains an active performance schedule. Miller currently serves as Professor of Conducting and Director of Choral Studies at CCM. In addition to his work at CCM, Miller is artistic director of choral activities for the renowned Spoleto Festival USA in Charleston, South Carolina, and since 2016 he has served as conductor of the Philadelphia Orchestra Symphonic Choir.

Miller made his conducting debut with the Philadelphia Orchestra in 2021, conducting Handel's Messiah. Recent collaborations with Yannick Nézet-Séguin and the Philadelphia Orchestra have included premier performances of Kevin Puts' The Hours with Renée Flemming, Kelli O'Hara and Jennifer Johnson Cano, along with premier performances in Carnegie Hall of Gabriela Franks' Pachamama Meets and Ode. Past seasons' engagements have also included Beethoven's Ninth Symphony with the Spoleto Festival USA Orchestra and Chorus and Poulenc's Stabat Mater with the CCM Choirs and Philharmonia.

Featured works of the 2022-23 CCM season include performances for the ACDA National Conference, Joby Talbot's Path of Miracles, and a collaboration with the Cincinnati Ballet featuring the CCM Chamber Choir and choreographer Taylor Carrasco. The Philadelphia Orchestra season includes Rachmaninov Kolokolo/The Bells being recorded for Deutsche Gramophone, Handel's Messiah, and the Bruckner Te Deum.

Todd Schreiber Accompanist

Todd Schreiber, originally from Ohio City, OH, resides in Lambertville, MI. He holds a bachelor's degree in music education from Bowling Green State University and a master's degree from VanderCook College in Chicago and is currently in his 34th year as K-12 vocal music instructor and theatre director for Whiteford Schools in Ottawa Lake, MI.

Todd has served the Michigan School Vocal Music Association as District 12 Co-Manager for the past 20 years and has often been an accompanist for workshops, conferences and honors choirs in the state. His choirs, ensembles and private voice students consistently participate in MSVMA district and state level events, including the Michigan Youth Arts Festival.

Mr. Schreiber is also a member of the Canterbury Singers USA with which he has sung several choral residencies at cathedrals in England. His book, Olympic Games for the Music Classroom, was published in 2008 by Shawnee Press. In 2010, Todd directed the 7-8-9 SSA State Honors Choir and in 2017 conducted the 7-8-9 TTB State Honors Choir. He was extremely honored to be named the MSVMA Teacher of the Year in 2013 and in 2015 he earned The Outstanding Alumni Award from his high school alma mater.

After viewing a staged performance of Joby Talbot's demanding Path of Miracles at the 2019 Spoleto Festival USA, D.C. Theatre Scene wrote, "Joe Miller is a fearless artist. His bold leadership and trust in these young singers enabled his choristers to forego the 'stand and deliver,' score-bound habits of their genre and 'walk with him' on this special journey. Not only did the singers need to memorize their parts, no mean feat, but follow his baton's bid from any part of the auditorium and sing in any body position. Miller constantly challenged them in the process and inspired them to work confidently, well outside their comfort zone."

Miller's ensembles have performed throughout the world, giving concert tours in Italy, Germany, Austria, France, England, China and Spain, as well as participating in the World Symposium on Choral Music in Barcelona. His choirs have toured extensively throughout the US performing for the American Choral Director's Association National and Regional Conferences, and including groundbreaking performances of Julia Wolfe's Pulitzer Prizewinning Anthracite Fields at the historic Roebling WireWorks as part of Westminster's Transforming Space project.

Miller has been praised for his recordings. American Record Guide's review of Frank Martin: Mass for Double Choir stated: "This is gorgeous singing ... with perfect blend, intonation, diction, ensemble and musicality." The Heart's Reflection: Music of Daniel Elder was hailed by Minnesota Public Radio's Classical Notes as "simply astounding." Miller's debut recording with the Westminster Choir, Flower of Beauty, received four stars from Choir & Organ magazine and earned critical praise from American Record Guide, which described the Westminster Choir as "the gold standard for academic choirs in America."

Miller has collaborated with some of the world's leading orchestras and conductors, earning him critical praise.