



Welcome to the virtual concert hall of the Susquehanna Chorale!

I am delighted that, in spite of these very challenging days, we are able to sing for you in our virtual *Candlelight Christmas*. Our concert includes two new virtual choir pieces plus repertoire from last year's Christmas concert as well as from our CD, *A Susquehanna Christmas II* (all of our CDs make great Christmas gifts and are available on our website).

I hope you can savor the traditional carols of the season, sing with us in our audience sing-a-long, and enter into the profound meaning of the Christmas season. We need these expressions of faith and beauty now, more than ever.

Thank you to Messiah University for the use of the beautiful Parmer Hall, and to our donors and foundations whose support enabled us to bring this concert to you. I urge you to consider partnering with the Chorale through your financial support, especially in these challenging days.

We wish you a Merry Christmas and a blessed New Year. We WILL sing for you in 2021!

Linda L. Tedford, Artistic Director, Founder & Conductor



A Candlelight Christmas

Linda L. Tedford, Conductor

Daniel L. Dorthy, Piano

The First Noel

arr. Dan Forrest

What Child Is This?

arr. Donald McCullough

Tomorrow Shall Be My Dancing Day

arr. John Gardner

O Come All Ye Faithful – *Sing-along carol!*

arr. David Willcocks

Go Where I Send Thee

arr. André Thomas

The Work of Christmas

Dan Forrest

We Wish You a Merry Christmas

arr. John Rutter

Finale: Silent Night

arr. Malcolm Sargent



Susquehanna Chorale 2020-21 Singers

SOPRANOS

Lynlee Copenhaver
Rebekah Ganley
Kari Kornish
Karen Lynch
Christine Rapp
Sarah Topping
Erin Weaver
Sarah Wingard
Sara Zentmeyer

ALTOS

Kit Baker
Paula Bauder
Liz Colpo
Morgan Copenhaver
Jane Ebersole
Gayle Krull
Gwen Lehman
Anne Moul
Judith Shepler

TENORS

Alex Ashman
Michael Checco
Alan Hair
Vincent Kovach
David Krak
Rob Laird
Conner Newkam-Ulrich
Mark Tedford
Matt Topping

BASSES

Dan Baker
David Blunk
Paul Burkhart
Luke Burtch
Greg Harris
Zachary Miller
Brian Moul
Matt O'Donnell
Stephen Schaefer
Mitchell Sensenig
Scott Siciliano

Special Piece Commissioned to Help Celebrate 40th Anniversary Season

Celebrated composer Dan Forrest has been commissioned to write a new piece in honor of the Susquehanna Chorale's 40th Anniversary. Support from an anonymous donor made the commission possible. Watch for the premiere in December 2021, along with many other special anniversary events in 2021-22!

Want to hear more great choral music?

The Susquehanna Chorale has eight nationally-distributed professional recordings, four of which were considered for Grammy nomination. CDs make great gifts!

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<http://www.susquehannachorale.org/recordings> or 717.533.7859.

Every voice counts and every gift matters, now more than ever!

Your donation ensures our strong return, as together, we build a vibrant community enriched by the joy of song. Visit us online to donate today, or call us at 717.533.7859 to discuss giving options, including new opportunities for monthly giving, legacy gifts, and endowed chairs which will ensure the long-term sustainability of the Susquehanna Chorale.

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