# ST. OLAF CHAPEL CHOIR

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# ST. OLAF ORCHESTRA

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# **Program**

Reading - Madeline Miller '20

# The Promise of Living

Aaron Copland (1900-1990) Words by Horace Everett (Boosey & Hawkes)

The promise of living
With hope and thanksgiving
Is born of our loving our friends and our
labor.

The promise of growing
With faith and with knowing
Is born of our sharing our love with our
neighbor.

The promise of living
The promise of growing
Is born of our singing in joy and
thanksgiving.

For many a year we've known these fields And known all the work that makes them yield, Are you ready to lend a hand?

We're ready to work, We're ready to lend a hand. By working together we'll bring in the harvest, The blessings of harvest.

We plow and plant each row with seeds of grain,
And Providence sends the sun and the rain,
By lending a hand,
By lending an arm

Bring in from the land, Bring out from the farm, Bring out the blessings of harvest.

O let us be joyful, O let us be grateful, Come join us in thanking the Earth for its blessing.

Give thanks there was sunshine, Give thanks there was rain, Give thanks we have hands to deliver the grain, O let us be joyful, O let us be grateful to the Earth for its blessing

The promise of ending In right understanding Is peace in our own hearts And peace with our neighbor.

O let us sing our song, And let our song be heard. Let's sing our sing with our hearts, And find a promise in that song.

The promise of living
The promise of growing
The promise of ending
Is labor and sharing and loving.

Reading - Amanda Westcott '19

## Michael Terry Caraher '20, organ

#### **SUNG IN LATIN**

### I. INTROIT and KYRIE

Requiem aeternam dona eis Domine Et lux perpetua luceat eis.

Te decet hymnus, Deus in Sion: Et tibi reddetur votum in Jerusalem.

Exaudi orationem meam, Adte omnis caro veniet.

Kyrie, kyrie eleison, Christe, Christe eleison. Kyrie eleison.

#### II. OFFERTORY

Erik Krohg, baritone soloist

O Domine Jesu Christe, rex gloriae, Liberanimas de functorum de poenis inferni et de profundo la cu, O Domine Jesu Christe, rex gloriae, Liberanimas de functorum de oreleonis ne absorbeat Tartarus, O Domine Jesu Christe, rex gloriae, O Domine Jesu Christe, ne cadant in obscurum.

Hostias et preces tibi Domine, Laudis offerimus; tu suscipe pro animabus illis, Quarum hodie memori am facimus, Fac eas, fac eas Domine, De morte transire ad vitam, Quam olim Abrahae promisisti, Promisisti et semi ni ejus.

Amen.

Grant eternal rest to them, Lord, and let perpetual light shine on them.

A hymn befits you, God in Zion, and a vow to you shall be fulfilled in Jerusalem.

Hear my prayer, for unto you all flesh shall come.

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

O Lord Jesus Christ, King of Glory, free the souls of the dead from infernal punishment, and from the deep abyss.

Free them from the mouth of the lion, do not let Hell swallow them up,
O Lord Jesus Christ, King of Glory, do not let them fall into the darkness.

Sacrifices and prayers of praise we offer to you, O Lord.

Receive them for the souls of those whom we commemorate today.

Lord, make them pass from death to life, as you once promised to Abraham, and to his seed.

Amen.

#### III. SANCTUS

Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth, Pleni sunt caeli et terra, Gloria, gloria tua, Osanna in excelsis. Holy, Holy, Holy, Lord God of Hosts, the heavens and earth are filled with your glory. Hosanna in the highest!

## IV. PIE JESU

Lauren Zimmerman '21, soprano soloist

Pie Jesu Domine, Dona eis requiem, Sempiternam requiem. Merciful Lord Jesus, grant them rest, eternal rest.

#### V. AGNUS DEI

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi, Dona eis, dona eis requiem, Sempiternam requiem.

Lux aeterna luceat eis, Domine, Cum sanctis tuis in aeternum quia pius es. Requiem aeternam dona eis Domine: Et lux perpetua luceat eis. Lamb of God, who removes the sins of the world, grant them rest.

Lamb of God, who removes the sins of the world, grant them eternal rest.

May eternal light shine on them, Lord, with your saints, for eternity, for you are merciful. Grant eternal rest to them, Lord, and let perpetual light shine on them.

#### VI. LIBERA ME

Erik Krohg, baritone soloist

Libera me, Domine, demorte aeterna, In die illa tremenda, Quando coeli movendi sunt et terra: Dum veneris judicare saeculum per ignem.

Tremens factus sum ego et timeo, Dum discussio venerit atque ventura ira.

Dies illa, dies irae calamitatis et miseriae, Dies illa, dies magna et amara, amara valde.

Requiem aeternam dona eis Domine: et lux perpetua luceat eis.

Free me, Lord, from eternal death, on that day of dread, when the heavens and earth shall move, when you shall come to judge the world by fire.

I am made to tremble, and to fear, when destruction shall come, and also your coming wrath.

O that day, that day of wrath, of calamity and misery, the great and exceedingly bitter day.

Grant eternal rest to them, Lord, and let perpetual light shine on them.

#### VII. IN PARADISUM

In paradisum deducant angeli In tuo adventu suscipiant te martyres Et perducant te in civitatem sanctam Jerusalem.

Chorus angelorum te suscipiat, Et cum Lazaro quondam paupere, aeternam habeas Requiem.

Reading – Wael Awada '19

We Cannot Leave from 'Privilege'

we cannot leave this land of our ancestors on this earth

we are being killed by the monster on this earth

May angels lead you into Paradise. At your coming may martyrs receive you, and may they lead you into the Holy City, Jerusalem.

May the chorus of angels receive you, and with Lazarus, who once was a pauper, may you have eternal rest.

*Ted Hearne (b. 1982)* 

shuku shuku (the sound of the train) i want to get on the train to get on the train in the morning i want oh mother, it's leaving me behind!

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Cosmic Fight Anonymous

Humanness means ransacked tales, pasts of clash and cry, rape/scrape/\seethe/sear {silence} and suffering with bitten lips.

We mean
anger, ignorance, essence of
everyone as
mirror for me, conquered for me,
used, bruised
for me,
like shadows that think they have
weight,

wholeness, core that someone
could pick up/break/mend/
[measure.]
Shadows whose life really lies in
 light,
a flaming stubborn source of all they
are not yet,
of everything they are connected to,
of the white-bright place where they,
 scarred and scratching their way to sacred,
 will eventually delight.

We live to shame the night, to twist it bright. to wrestle it in cosmic fight.

Andrew Cannestra '20, *piano* | Madeline Miller '20 *violin* | Grace Kenny '19, *violin* Alex Long '22, *viola* | Sophia Spiegel '19, *cello* | Allison Moore '20, *bass* 

O they tell me of a home far beyond the skies, They tell me of a home far away, And they tell me of a home where no stormclouds

O they tell me of an unclouded day.

O the land of cloudless days,

O the land of an unclouded sky,

O they tell me of a home where no stormclouds rise:

O they tell me of an unclouded day.

O they tell me of a home where my friends have gone.

They tell me of a land far away, Where the tree of life in eternal bloom Sheds its fragrance through the unclouded day. O the land of cloudless days,

O the land of an unclouded sky,

O they tell me of a home where no stormclouds rise:

O they tell me of an unclouded day.

O they tell me of a King in His beauty there, They tell me that mine eyes shall behold Who sits upon a throne In the city that is made of gold.

O the land of cloudless days, O the land of an unclouded sky, O they tell me of a home where no stormclouds rise: O they tell me of an unclouded day.



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