THE ST. OLAF MUSIC DEPARTMENT PRESENTS

SPRING RING

ST. OLAF HANDBELL CHOIR | Jill Mahr, conductor
CHAPEL RINGERS | Jill Mahr, conductor
MANITOU HANDBELL CHOIR | Laura Albrecht '22, student conductor

Sunday, April 24, 2022 | 2 p.m.
Urness Recital Hall

PROGRAM

Manitou Handbell Choir

Bwana Awifwe Cathy Moklebust (b. 1958)

Percussion: Danny Barry '22 Austin Myer '22

To a Wild Rose Edward MacDowell (1860–1908)

arr. Arnold Sherman

Shall We Gather at the River arr. Joel Raneyand Arnold Sherman

Chapel Ringers

Danza J. Wayne Kerr (b. 1958)

Contemplation on Ubi Caritas arr. Catherine McMichael

David's Dance Elizabeth Peters

Bound for South Australia arr. Alex Guebert

Percussion: Danny Barry '22 Austin Myer '22 Laura Albrecht '22

St. Olaf Handbell Choir

Built on the Rock arr. Alex Guebert

Meditation on Passion Chorale Hans Leo Hassler (1564–1612)

arr. Brian Childers

Dona Nobis Pacem arr. Kevin McChesney

Veronica White '24, *violin* Hayley Currin '23, *cello*

Reconciliation Brenda Austin (b. 1972)

Pressure Cooker Chris D. Burton

PERSONNEL

St. Olaf Handbell Choir

Evan Aho '22, *Phoenixville, PA*Laura Albrecht '22, *San Jose, CA*Danny Barry '22, *Deerfield, IL*India Bock '23, *Seattle WA*Zach Buerger '24, *Oak Park, IL**Madeline Chang '24, *Lisle, IL*Matthew Erickson '22, *Verona, WI*

*Will Fecko '24, State College, PA Olivia Brown '22, Bentonville, AR Madeline Everett '22, River Falls, WI Matthew Myers '22, River Falls, WI Trevor Ritz '23, Sioux City, IA Elizabeth Strauss '22, Madison, WI

*Handbell Ensemble Assistant

Chapel Ringers

Hannah Anderson '25, *Lino Lakes, MN*Claire Breitenfeldt '23, *Long Prairie, MN*Emily Dresbach '22, *Lincoln, NE*Connor Fogarty '24, *Ogallala, NE*Em Haas '25, *Rockford, MN*Aryaman Joshi '23, *Amravati, India*Miranda Lentz '22, *Pearl City, HI*

Benjamin Reister '24, *Northfield, MN*Natalie Robuck '25, *Columbia, MO*Raina Swanson Edson '23, *Sultan, WA*Jorie Van Nest '22, *Groton, MA*Thomas Weinheimer '23, *River Forest, IL*Veronica White '24, *Dallas, TX*

Manitou Handbell Choir

Mackenzie Farrell '23, *Hudson*, *WI*Lizzie Gray '25, *Spearfish*, *SD*Madeline Shields '23, *Scarborough*, *ME*Laila Franklin '24, *Barrington*, *IL*Dylan Boorsma Bergerud '22, *Edina*, *MN*Ellie Fischenich '24, *Mankato*, *MN*Katie Van Epps '25, *Kenyon*, *MN*

Evan Wiebe '24, Boulder, CO Sarah Shapiro '22, Wilmette, IL Madeline Chang '24, Lisle, IL Emma Figura '22, Waverly, IA Abby Newcomb '23, Monmouth, IL Brigitte Rein '22, Los Osos, CA

ABOUT THE CONDUCTOR

A Minnesota native, Jill Mahr has been at St. Olaf College in Northfield, Minnesota, for the last 27 years, where she conducts three handbell choirs and teaches flute. Jill founded and leads a youth program of five handbell choirs at her church, Bethel Lutheran, in Northfield, and is an active member of Handbell Musicians of America and a past secretary of Area VII. She is principal flute in the Mankato Symphony Orchestra and has a private flute studio in her home. She holds a B.M. degree in flute performance and music education with a minor in jazz from the University of Minnesota, Duluth and a M.A. degree in flute performance from Northwestern University in Chicago.

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