



Interlochen

ARTS ACADEMY

Interlochen, Michigan
47th Program of the 65th Year

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INTERLOCHEN ARTS ACADEMY CHOIR AND CHAMBER SINGERS

W. Carter Smith, conductor
Meredith Stemen, piano

"Spark"

Friday, October 23, 2026
7:30pm, Corson Auditorium

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CHAMBER SINGERS

"Salve Regina" Michael Haydn (1737-1806)

Vier Quartette, Op. 92 Johannes Brahms
I. O schöne Nacht (1833-1897)
II. Spätherbst
III. Abendlied

"Oh, Watch the Stars" Carolina Sea Islands Spiritual
arr. Moira Smiley
with Matthew Cochran, guitar

"Gamelan" R. Murray Schafer
(1933-2021)

ACADEMY CHOIR

"Prelude" Ola Gjeilo (b. 1978)

"Otche Nash" Nikolai Kedrov (1871-1940)

"Awake the harp" from *The Creation* Franz Joseph Haydn
(1732-1809)
Kai Hanna, tenor, Washington, D.C.

"A Red, Red, Rose" James Mulholland (b. 1935)

Wedding Cantata Daniel Pinkham
III. Awake, O North Wind (1923-2006)
IV. Set Me as a Seal

"Good Night, Dear Heart" Dan Forrest (b. 1978)

"Mourning Dove" Moira Smiley (b. 1976) & Seamus Egan (b. 1969)

Betty Cordner, soloist, Kingsley, Mich.

Fiona Hou, soloist, Beijing, China

William Maeda, violin, Schaumburg, Ill.

Yujin Jung, violin, Bishkek, Kyrgyzstan

Nikita Elliott, viola, Takoma Park, Md.

Charlotte Wildenberg, cello, Billings, Mont.

"This Little Light of Mine" Spiritual
arr. Moses Hogan

Lily Armstrong, soprano, Dallas, Texas
Viraj Tathavadekar, baritone, Troy, Mich.

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INTERLOCHEN ARTS ACADEMY CHAMBER SINGERS

Troy Burnett, manager Jenna Richey, librarian

Betty Cordner, Mich.	Jonathan Kirby, Mich.	Francis Segger, Conn.
Daria Gutmann, N.Y.	Sarah Qistina Lim, Malaysia	Kiran Subramanian, Texas
Kai Hanna, D.C.	Hannah Messineo, Idaho	Viraj Tathavadekar, Mich.
Fiona Hou, China	Cameron Oehler, N.Y.	James C. Teti, N.J.
Ashlin Johnson, Mich.	Ari Philippakis, Ariz.	Armella Tevosian, Calif.
Hudson Kardish, Ill.	Jaden Salii, Calif.	Belle Thommen, Mich.

INTERLOCHEN ARTS ACADEMY CHOIR

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Lily Armstrong, Texas	Gus Iorio, Ill.	Gianna Porcelli, Ill.
Aisulu Asset, Kazakhstan	Ashlin Johnson, Mich.	Jaden Salii, Calif.
Alice Bo, China	Ilana Kalmowitz, Mich.	Jesse Sawaya, Calif.
Isabella Borer, Honduras	Hudson Kardish, Ill.	Lauren Scarbrough, Fla.
Cate Burchett, Fla.	Jonathan Kirby, Mich.	Francis Segger, Conn.
Alli Burrus, Mich.	Ben Kovaleski, Pa.	Pietro Sgarbi, Tenn.
Ayva Cabeza Harris, Md.	Rafi Kutz, La.	Annabelle Shoumer, Pa.
Lorena Chaparro-Gómez, Italy	Linus L'Esperance, Mich.	Kiran Subramanian, Texas
Gabriel Combs, Texas	Sarah Qistina Lim, Malaysia	Grace Sumrell, N.C.
Betty Cordner, Mich.	Lin Liu, Wash.	Viraj Tathavadekar, Mich.
Mason Croom, Ind.	Gianna Lynch, Md.	James C. Teti, N.J.
Luca Gallo, N.Y.	Hannah Messineo, Idaho	Armella Tevosian, Calif.
Kaylee Gutmaker, N.Y.	Myra Mwebi, Texas	Belle Thommen, Mich.
Daria Gutmann, N.Y.	Vanessa Nazzal, United Arab Emirates	Enzo Walker, Mich.
Kai Hanna, D.C.	Cameron Oehler, N.Y.	Sky Worthington, Mich.
Robby Hoffman, Ga.	Ivy Park, N.Y.	Aaron Wu, Canada
Fiona Hou, China	Ari Philippakis, Ariz.	Ivan Zhang, Md.
		Troy Burnett °

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