# **CONCORDIA COLLEGE** HIGH SCHOOL CHORAL FESTIVAL

Oct. 13, 2016 | St. Andrew's Lutheran Church, Mahtomedi, Minn.

### Andover High School Concert Choir

Melanie Kjellberg, Conductor

Unclouded Day arr. Shawn Kirchner White Bear Lake High School Choir Marie Spar Dymit, Conductor | Stephen Swanson, Accompanist How Can I Keep from Singing .......arr. Matthew Gulloton St. Michael Albertville High School Concert Choir Brandon Berger and Joseph Osowski, Conductors Anoka High School Concert Choir Michelle Hayes, Conductor Cullen Heckmann, Djembe | Rachel Mueller, Shakere | Emily Smith, Agogo Bells Sililiza.....Jim Papoulis ARMSTRONG HIGH SCHOOL CONCERT CHOIR Stephanie Trump, Conductor | Plymouth, Minnesota Santo Michael Mendoza Wayzata High School Concert Choir Rebecca Wyffels, Conductor | Jeff Dahl, Associate Conductor | Plymouth, Minnesota THE CONCORDIA CHOIR René Clausen, Conductor Selections to be announced COMBINED CHOIRS Michael Culloton, Conductor | René Clausen, Conductor | Andrew Steinberg, Accompanist Bright Morning Stars arr. Shawn Kirchner 

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The college owns 80 pianos, including

several Steinways

More than 30% of our

students participate in

ensembles and lessons

More than 40 music faculty

with diverse specialties

### MUSIC SCHOLARSHIPS

At Concordia, we don't let musical talent go unnoticed. Each year, we honor select firstyear students with our Music Performance Scholarships. These four-year scholarships are awarded in voice, piano, strings, woodwind, brass, composition and percussion.

You don't need to be a music major to apply, either. 99% of our students receive financial aid. Visit our website at: ConcordiaCollege.edu/musicscholars

## BECOME A MUSIC PROFESSIONAL

If you are interested in a music major, you have the choice of a Bachelor of Music degree or a Bachelor of Arts degree. In addition to music classes, hundreds of private lessons are taught each semester and the college has more than 19 music ensembles. Our music faculty are professional musicians and mentors who work to help students increase their musicianship.

## ADDITIONAL OPPORTUNITIES

### PERFORMANCES

The ensembles perform throughout the year in various venues on and off campus. The largescale events featuring music ensembles are the acclaimed Concordia College Christmas Concerts and tours throughout the United States and abroad.

#### CHRISTMAS MASTERPIECE

The Concordia Christmas Concert is one of the best-known Christmas events in the region. Nearly 400 student musicians in choirs and the orchestra perform for thousands in Moorhead and Minneapolis, an event filmed by Twin Cities Public Television. The backdrop for the event is a highly detailed mural depicting the Christmas story.

### ON THE ROAD (OR OVER THE OCEAN)

The Concordia Choir, The Concordia Band and The Concordia Orchestra go on tour each year. Many tours are throughout the United States giving people outside our region a glimpse at the quality of student musicians. Every few years an ensemble will perform abroad. Recently, The Concordia Orchestra performed in Israel and Palestine and The Concordia Band performed in Spain. This year, The Concordia Choir will travel to Germany in May.

### JOIN AN ENSEMBLE

Going to college doesn't mean leaving your musical passion behind. Whether you major in music or not, you can still sing in a choir or play in a band, orchestra, handbell or percussion ensemble.

#### CHOIRS

The Concordia Choir Chapel Choir Kantorei Cantabile

#### BANDS

The Concordia Band Symphonic Band Echo Band Athletic Band

### **ORCHESTRAS**

The Concordia Orchestra Symphonia

### PERCUSSION ENSEMBLES

Percussion Ensemble Marimba Choir

### JAZZ ENSEMBLES

Jazz Ensemble I Jazz Ensemble II

### CHAMBER MUSIC ENSEMBLES

Brass Piano String Woodwind

### WORLD MUSIC ENSEMBLES

Pempamsie Gamelan

### STUDENT ACTIVITY **ENSEMBLES**

Handbell Choirs Vocal Jazz Ensembles Several Vocal Ensembles