non m

Community Supporters

Advance Pro Carpet Cleaners Garden Bouquet Hellenic Kouzina Potomac Bead Company Joanne Semones, Cape May house Eckel's Ice Cream Edible Arrangements, Harrisburg 2nd St. Gallery Battlefield Bed & Breakfast Dennis Foreman Home Repair Agway, Mechanicsburg Keystone Trails Association Climbnasium Zeroday Brewing Company Spalon Mechanicsburg Chamber of Commerce SkyZone Water Golf, City Island Pride of the Susquehanna Riverboat Ten Toenails LLC Trindle Spring Lutheran Church women Brittle Bark The Rosemary House and Gardens Christina Maser Foods, Lancaster

Betty Campbell, Cape May artist

MidSt8 Taco, West Shore Farmers Market

Individual Donors

Lucy Glorius* Arleen Shulman* Mary Nancarrow* Cynthia Swanson* Deb Glorius* Lorraine Hennesey Chris Finnegan Ken Moul Stephanie Long Ann Van Dyke Carol Nodgaard Chris Finnegan Deborah Delgado Marlene Kanuck John Folby Cheryl Huber

*Monthly Pledger Call 564-0112 to find out how

We LOVE Our Volunteers

Members of CPWC and... Marchel Barndt Pam Barndt Iane Brickley Ginny DeChristopher Donna Gomboc Matt Hykes Dave Toellner Kathy Fillman Julie Metzger



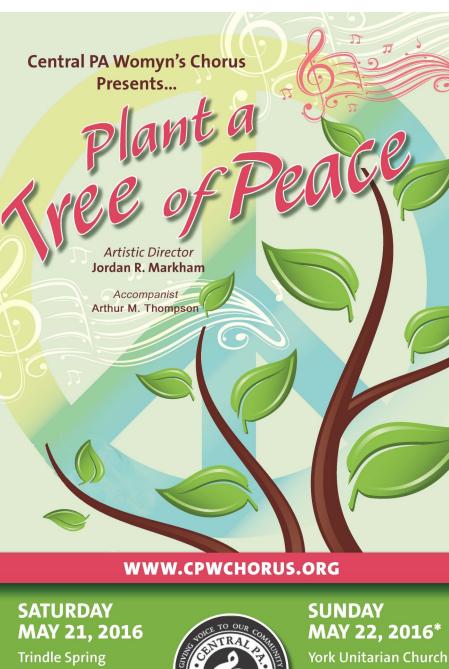
CPWC works at the Farm Show concession stand.



CPWC sells tickets at Dog Show.



CPWC cooks breakfast for you.



Lutheran Church 14 State Road Mechanicsburg, PA Showtime: 7:30 p.m.



925 South George St. York, PA Showtime: 4:00 p.m.

The Central Pennsylvania Womyn's Chorus is proud to present our sponsor!

Central PA's Best Storage Value!



Clean = Dry = Fenced = Economical = Convenient =

Monthly & Long Term Leases = Autobilling = Business Deliveries

24 hr Access = Resident Manager

Call or stop by for special rates & discounts

Office hours: Mon-Fri 9-6 Sat 9-2

3861 Derry Street Harrisburg, PA 17111

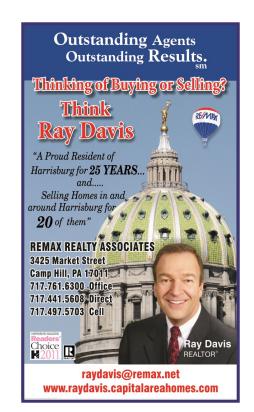
(717) 564-9707













info@cpglcc.org

www.cpglcc.org





Please Visit Us at: 2973 Jefferson Street Harrisburg PA 17110 717-236-7387 info@mccofthespirit.org www.mccofthespirit.org

Rev. Lori E. Hatch-Rivera, Sr. Pastor

Join Us in Worship Sundays

at 10 am Midweek Bible Study—Wed., 7 pm

> First Sunday Breakfast, June 5

> > Serving starts 8 am

No Charge

All Are Welcome!

Sharing Our Caring

An evening of support, dinner & community for folks affected by HIV/AIDS, friends, and family.

2nd Mondays, 6:30 pm

Hosted by CPWC on June 13





Daniel Snyder
DRS Printing Services Inc.
6 North Grantham Road
Dillsburg, PA 17019

717.502.1117 dsnyder@drsprinting.com

SUPPORT US!



Eat at our pancake breakfast!

Become a monthly donor!

Volunteer at our fundraisers!

Donate items for our raffles!

Eat at our spaghetti dinner!

Buy an ad in our program!

Enjoy this concert and keep coming back!

Patronize the businesses that support us!

Tell all your friends about us!

THANKS TO EVERYONE FROM
THE CENTRAL PENNSYLVANIA WOMYN'S CHORUS



MOE ROCK VOICE OVERS

Moe Rocks Your Voice Over

On Hold Messages
Radio & TV Commercials
Product Videos
Corporate Presentations
Character Voices
Imaging for Radio, TV, Theatre or Film

www.moerock.com 717-214-7239

TO PLANT A TREE IS TO PLANT HOPE

Even if I knew that tomorrow the world would go to pieces, I would still plant my apple tree.

— Martin Luther

The trees the Chorus is offering are natural hybrids of red and silver maples, also called Freeman Maples. They have outstanding autumn color and are great shade trees.

This is a large and fast-growing type of tree, so choose your location carefully. It is best in full sun. It prefers rich, well drained soils but it is fairly tolerant to heavy soils and will tolerate dry or wet neutral sites. It's considered "urban tolerant" but it is not very tolerant of high acid soils.

If you can't use the tree, leave it for others. Any trees not adopted will be donated to local schools and/or environmental organizations.

A few good reasons to plant trees:

Trees combat climate change. In one year, an acre of mature trees absorbs the amount of carbon dioxide produced by a car driven 26,000 miles.

Trees clean the air and cool your neighborhood.

Trees can reduce your cooling costs. Three strategically-placed trees can reduce air conditioning by 50%.

Trees provide a canopy for wildlife habitat.

Trees mark the seasons.

Trees can block things and increase property values.

If you can't use the tree, leave it for others. Any trees not adopted will be donated to local schools and/or environmental organizations.

"The best time to plant a tree is twenty years ago. The second best time is now."

The lyrics of *The Tree of Peace* were adapted from the Quaker poem O *Brother Man* by John Greenleaf Whittier (1807-1892):

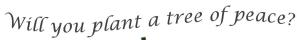
O, my sister and my brother, all who walk upon the earth, fold to your hearts each other. Where mercy dwells, the peace of the Lord is there.

To live rightly is to love one another, each kindness a gift, each deed a prayer. (Listen, listen to one another.)

Walk with reverence in the steps of those who have gone before, where forgiveness and wisdom have stood.

So shall the wide earth become our temple, each loving life a psalm of gratitude.

Then shall all shackles fall
The violence of war over the earth shall cease.
Love shall tread out the fire of anger,
and in its ashes plant a tree of peace.







www.GoldcraftersCorner.com





Song notes ...

African Processional was translated from Swahili: Welcome, my friend. You are so wonderful. Always remember me and I will remember you.

Gate Gate is a setting of a Buddhist mantra. "Gate" means gone, "paragate" means gone all the way to the other shore, "parasamgate" means everyone gone over to the other shore and "bodhi svaha" is a hallelujah.

Give Us Hope was part of a project focusing on children. The composer was inspired by words of Martin Luther King, Jr. asking if music can be used as a bridge to address the issues of overcoming the social problems of childhood.

Prayer of the Children was written when the composer felt frustration about the horrendous civil war and ethnic cleansing taking place in the former country of Yugoslavia, a place where he had lived. He wanted to capture what the Bosnian, Serbian and Croatian children struggling to live in this difficult time might be feeling. The Croatian at the end of the song can be translated as "Can you hear all the children's prayers? Can you hear the prayer of the children?"

Iraqi Peace Song is adapted from a lullaby sung by women. The song contains an English interpretation of the original lyrics, rather than a direct translation. It was originally arranged by a Norwegian who traveled to Iran, where public singing for women is forbidden unless audience and performers are all women. The cello part was originally written for an *oud*, a pear-shared Middle Eastern stringed instrument.

The lyrics of *Song of the Universal* are excerpted from the poem by Walt Whitman (1819-1892). The composer was inspired by Whitman's "unabashed optimism, exuberance and confidence in our deeper humanity."

Come, said the Muse, Sing me a song no poet yet has chanted. Sing me the Universal.

In this broad Earth of ours, Amid the measureless grossness and the slag, Enclosed and safe within its central heart, Nestles the seed Perfection.

By every life a share, or more or less, None born but it is born—concealed or unconcealed, the seed is waiting.

Give me O God to sing that thought!
Give me—give him or her I love—this quenchless faith
In thy ensemble. Whatever else withheld, withhold not from us,
Belief in plan of Thee enclosed in Time and Space;
Health, peace salvation universal.

All, all for immortality! Love, like the light, silently wrapping all! Nature's amelioration blessing all!







Welcome . . .

Welcome to our Spring Concert, "Plant a Tree of Peace." That is exactly what we want you to do. Tonight, we focus on the songs that inspire all of us to always strive for peace. As a way to dedicate ourselves to this great purpose, we invite you to pick up a seedling this evening, plant it and give it new life tomorrow.

Tonight you will be enjoying a variety of music accompanied by an ensemble of talented musicians. We are delighted to be at Trindle Spring Lutheran Church for the first time. Thank you, Trindle Spring, for hosting us and for the quilt that church members provided for the raffle. We hope to perform here often, where our own Artistic Director Jordan Markham is the Director of Music. And thanks to our second home at the welcoming Unitarian Universalist Church in York. We love singing for you.

I thought that last year was the greatest year for the Chorus, as we celebrated 21 years of bringing you the best we have. This year, however, after four long years of fundraising, Pancake Breakfasts and Rummage Sales, Spaghetti Dinners and countless hours working at Farm Show Complex concession stands, the Chorus will participate in one of the largest choral events held anywhere, the international GALA Festival in Denver, Colorado. GALA is the Gay and Lesbian Association of Choruses, and we will be among the 6,000 singing there July 2-6. This is a wonderful opportunity to show our musicianship to other singers, but also to learn and be inspired as no other experience can do. Our brothers from the Harrisburg Gay Men's Chorus will be there as well.

We recognize that much work goes on behind the scenes to keep the Womyn's Chorus going strong. To everyone who has helped, my deep gratitude for all the time and effort you give to this Chorus.

As all arts groups, we want to add to our family. Please join us - for the love of singing - as volunteer, donor, board member or participant. We promise that you will find <u>your</u> voice and enjoy new friends. I wish you a wonderful spring and summer.

Mark your calendars for Womyn's Chorus events in 2016; you don't want to miss a single one.

Cynthia Swanson Board President

COMING EVENTS

Sunday, June 12: CPWC Sings at the Senator's Game
Monday, June 13: Sharing Our Caring at MCC of the Spirit
July 2nd –6th: CPWC at GALA Festival in Denver
Friday, July 29: Voices United, part of Central PA Pride

Saturday, July 30: Visit CPWC's booth at Pride Saturday, October 15: Annual Spaghetti Dinner

Saturday, November 20: Fall Concert

Sunday, November 21: CPWC joins the Community Unity Concert



HARRISBURG GAY MEN'S CHORUS 2016-2017 CONCERT SEASON

Celebrating our 30th year in song!



VOICES UNITED 11

Friday July 29, 2016 at 8:00pm Market Square Presbyterian Church



MERRY KITSCH-MAS

Saturday December 3, 2016 at 7:00pm
First Reformed United Church of Lancaster

Sunday December 4, 2016 at 4:00pm
Unitarian Church of Harrisburg

Friday December 9, 2016 at 7:30pm Heidelberg United Church of Christ

Sunday December 11, 2016 at 4:00pm Unity Church of Harrisburg



THE BIG THREE-OH

Friday May 12, 2017 at 7:30pm
Heidelberg United Church of Christ

Saturday May 20, 2017 at 8:00pm
Harrisburg Midtown Arts Center Ballroom

Sunday May 21, 2017 at 2:00pm
Harrisburg Midtown Arts Center Ballroom

Visit our website for tickets and additional information www.HarrisburgGayMensChorus.org

Musicians



Cassia Renno (violin I) graduated from Elizabethtown College in 2014 with a Bachelor's Degree in Music. She currently teaches at her private studio and enjoys performing with various musical groups, including Susquehanna Stage Company and the Hershey Symphony.

Caleb Stelle (violin I), a resident of midtown Harrisburg, is an elementary orchestra teacher for the Lower Dauphin SD, plays violin for weddings, orchestras, and in the local bluegrass band, Great Northeast, and performs for both Theatre Harrisburg and Hershey Area Playhouse. He is also

as an actor for both Theatre Harrisburg and Hershey Area Playhouse. He is also currently pursuing Master of Music in Orchestral Conducting at Messiah College.

Sean Brown (violin II), is a 9th grader from Elizabethtown. He has studied violin and music since the age of 4. He performed as a soloist with the Hershey Symphony Orchestra on December 5, 2015, after winning their annual Young Artist Competition. He enjoys composing music in his spare time.

Kellen Mikesell (violin II) is an accomplished young violinist who studies with John Eaken, of The Eaken Trio and Kimberly Fisher of The Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra. He is a member of the Peabody Young Artist Orchestra in Maryland and a fifth grade student at West Shore Christian Academy in Shiremanstown.

Jenny Huerter (viola) received her Bachelors and Masters degrees in Viola Performance and Pedagogy from the Peabody Institute of Music. She currently teaches and performs in the Central PA area where she lives with her husband and three young children.



Isaac Se Young Um (cello), a South Korean native, is a recent graduate of Millersville University for cello performance and conducting, and is a freelance musician. When he is not performing, he is also a freelance caterer; he enjoys feeding foodies with various cuisines.

Corinne Frehner (bass), a recent graduate of Messiah College, holds both a Bachelor of Music in Performance and a Bachelor of the Arts in German. Currently employed in Messiah's Conference Services Department, Corinne also freelances as a classical and jazz bassist.





Jordan R. Markham, Artistic Director, studied at The Peabody Conservatory of The Johns Hopkins University. He is a classicallytrained singer, having studied under Grammywinning baritone, William Sharp, and soprano Susan Solomon Beckley of Bucknell University. He was a chorister at The National Cathedral and a chorister and soloist in The Handel Choir of Baltimore for two seasons. Throughout the past decade, Jordan has performed with The Baltimore Symphony Orchestra, at Carnegie Hall, The Boston Symphony Hall, and The Jackie Gleason Theatre. He has been active in the musical scene for the past decade directing, accompanying, and acting in theaters throughout Pennsylvania and Maryland. He is currently serving as Organist and Director of Music at Trindle

Spring Lutheran Church in Mechanicsburg.

Arthur M. Thompson, Accompanist,

is a graduate of Shenandoah Conservatory of Music and continued his music education at various institutions and with noted pianists. He is currently the organist at the First Presbyterian Church of Carlisle. He also accompanies Cantante Carlisle, South Middleton School District., Big Spring School District and Cumberland Valley School District. He has been music director and accompanist for over 60 mid-state theater productions and teaches piano to private students. Art has accompanied the chorus at special events, but this is his first season with us as a full-time accompanist. Welcome, Artl



Renee Bartholomew, Percussion, has played with many area bands. She often joins CPWC for their performances.

Central Pennsylvania Womyn's Chorus

Artistic Director: Jordan R. Markham **Accompanist:** Arthur M. Thompson

THE SINGERS

SOPRANO TWO	ALTO ONE	ALTO TWO
Susan Fairo	Rima Cameron	Sandy Boothe
Cheryl Huber	Kathy Dupin	Florence March
Stephanie Long		Cathy Nelson
1 8	Moe Grumbine	Arleen Shulman
	Laury McIntyre	Til leen Shannan
	Linda Mussoline	
	Joanne Nicholson	
	Linda Noble	
	Susan Swope	
	Susan Fairo	Susan Fairo Cheryl Huber Stephanie Long Moe Grumbine Laury McIntyre Linda Mussoline Joanne Nicholson Linda Noble

Voices we miss: Jennifer Lindstrom, Chris Finnegan, Shirley Tannenbaum, Kate Harner, Linda Longenecker, Terri Saar, Lillian Morgan, Susan Leviton, Anna Hykes. Come back soon.

Officers and Board Members

Cynthia Swanson, President Marlene Kanuck, Vice-President Anna Hykes, Secretary Barbara Nelson, Treasurer Deb Glorius Lucy Glorius Eric Laumer Mary Nancarrow Cathy Nelson Arleen Shulman Fundraising: Mary Nancarrow, Cynthia Swanson

Music Librarians: Lucy Glorius, Deb Glorius, assistant

Production: Deb Glorius, Lucy Glorius, Jordan Markham, Cathy Nelson, Arleen Shulman

Social Media: Laura Dalton, Lucy Glorius

Chorus Liaison: Moe Grumbine

Photographers: Laura Dalton, Angela Dicks

<u>Program Cover and Poster Art:</u> Lori Baker Pizzaro Concert Program: Arleen Shulman

The Central Pennsylvania Womyn's Chorus brings together a diverse group of women, united by the joy of singing, to celebrate and empower women and to affirm a positive image of lesbians and feminists.

CONTACT US AT:

www.cpwchorus.org

PO Box 60426 Harrisburg, PA 17106-0426 717-564-0112 cpwc@lucytv.net



The Central Pennsylvania Womyn's Chorus rehearses on Monday nights (with holiday breaks) and the board meets monthly at Colonial Park United Church of Christ, 5000 Devonshire Road, Harrisburg.

We welcome new singers, volunteers and community involvement.

CPWC is a proud member of:





Plant a Tree of Peace

African Processional	Carl Reed and D.V. Montoya		
Soloist: Adele Johansson			
Let Peace Fill the Earth/Vine and Fig Tree Sponsored by Shirley Tannenbaum and Susan Swope	Ray Mackeever, lyrics based on a prayer by Rabbi Nachman <i>Arr. by Diane Benjamin</i>		
The Tree of Peace	Gwyneth Walker		
1000 Grandmothers.			
Gate Gate	Brian Tate		

INTERMISSION

Sponsored by Lucy Glorius	Lyrics by Walt Whitman
Iraqi Peace Song	Traditional Arr. by Lori Tennenhouse
Soloists: Lucy Glorius and Kath	y Dupin
Testimony	
Prayer of the Children	
Give Us Hope	Jim Papoulis Arr. by Francisco I. Nuñez

Soloists: Moe Grumbine and Deb Glorius