

University Singers & Knights Chorus
Spring Concert

Sunday, April 26, 2026 at 3pm
Lagerquist Concert Hall, Mary Baker Russell Music Center

Pacific Lutheran University
The College of Professional Studies and School of Music, Theatre & Dance present

Knights Chorus

Barry Johnson, *conductor*
Mariyka Vasilchuk, *piano*

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How to Survive a Zombie Apocalypse

Raul Dominguez, *conductor*
Amy Boers, *piano*
Chelsea Hesselbach and Avery Tecca-Tapia, *hosts*

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Welcome to Lagerquist Concert Hall.
Please disable the audible signal on all watches and cellular phones for the duration of the concert.
Use of cameras, recording equipment, and all digital devices is not permitted in the concert hall.

PROGRAM

Knights Chorus

Shenandoah (1997)..... Sea Chantey
arr. Paul Basler

The Sound of the Sea (2009)..... Christina Whitten Thomas
from *Three Songs of Life*

Canto del Agua (Water Song) (2010) Venezuelan Folk Song
arr. David Hill
Logan Somers, *percussion* • Marco Diez, *guitar*

Es un canto mañanero	<i>It's a song of the morning</i>
A la orillita del rio	<i>At the edge of the river.</i>
Que te va diciendo negra	<i>What is the dark-skinned lady saying?</i>
Tapame que tengo frio.	<i>"Cover me because I am cold"</i>
Que te va diciendo negra	<i>What is the dark-skinned lady saying?</i>
Vamos a enamorar.	<i>"Let's fall in love."</i>
Ay, yai, yai, esta noche yo me voy	<i>Ay, yai, yai, Tonight I'm going away</i>
Ay, yai, yai, a pasearme entre las dunas	<i>Ay, yai, yai, to walk among the dunes.</i>
Ay, yai, yai, prestame negra tus ojos	<i>Ay, yai, yai, Lend me your eyes, dark one</i>
Porque se esconde la luna.	<i>Because the moon is hiding itself.</i>
Ay, yai, yai, yo no se lo que me pasa	<i>Ay, yai, yai, I don't know what's happening to me</i>
Ay, yai, yai, cuando estoy cerca del mar	<i>Ay, yai, yai, when I am near the ocean.</i>
Ay, yai, yai, prestame negra tus ojos	<i>Ay, yai, yai, Lend me your eyes, dark one</i>
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The Wellerman (2021) Traditional
arr. The Wellermen

Joshua Dean, Nate Clay, Blake Swales, Giacobbe Whitworth, Lucas Lucero, and Hudson Groom, *soloists*
Hudson Groom, *cajon*

I Want to Walk as a Child of Light..... **Kathleen Thomerson (1934-2005)**
arr. Tom Trenney

Fields of Gold (2016)..... **Sting**
arr. Ethan Sperry

Coleton Davis and Cade Tate, *soloists*

I'm On My Way **Alan Jay Lerner (1918-1986) & Frederick Loewe (1901-1988)**
from *Paint Your Wagon*

Lucas Lucero, Prince Jamerson, Cas Schaefer, Marco Diez, Will Morgan, Quill Terry, Nate Clay, Logan Somers,
Joshua Dean, and Blake Swales, *soloists*

INTERMISSION

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Please hold applause to between sets for remainder of this evening's performance.

Zombie **Dolores O'Riordan (1971-2018)**
arr. Raul Dominguez

SOS: Get Help!

¡Ayúdame! (2019)..... **Carlos Cordero**
Katherine Marchant, *soprano*

*Look at me,
Listen to me.*

I am suffering.

*I cannot see,
I am hungry,
I am thirsty,
I am sick.*

Help me!

Would You Harbor Me? (1994)..... **Ysaÿe M. Barnwell**

Hymn of the Travellers..... **Gustav Holst (1874-1934)**
from *Choral Hymns from the Rig Veda Group 3*
Hope Allen, *soprano* • Grace Weddle, *mezzo-soprano* • Jessica Garcia, *alto*

How to Mourn

Fear No More the Heat O' Th' Sun (2002)..... **David Ashley White**

Deer Song (2015) **Craig Hella Johnson**
from *Considering Matthew Shepard*
Jocelyn De Leeuw, *soprano* • Naomi Ramsey, *mezzo-soprano* • Keegan McDaniel, *alto*

Hydrate or Dydrate!

Hymn of the Waters..... **Gustav Holst**
from *Choral Hymns from the Rig Veda Group 3*

Bring Me Little Water Sylvie..... **Huddie Ledbetter (1888-1949)**
arr. Moira Smiley

Closing Set: Save the World

I Dream a World (1976)..... **Joan Szymko**

Apple Tree (2019)..... **Aurora Aksnes**
arr. Katerina Gimon

Sofia Ribeira, *soprano* • Hope Allen and Naomi Ramsey, *mezzo-sopranos* • Cadence Philbeck, *alto*
Adrian Ragil, *percussion*

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Natalie Bastida
Belle Bodley
Mia Caldwell
Janelle Chin
Jocelyn de Leeuw*
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Tiggs Kelley
Katherine Marchant
Emry Newton
Naomi Ramsey
Sofia Ribeira*
Ingrid Watanabe
Grace Weddle

Alto

Sky Allen
Makenzie Barber
Jessica Garcia
Kaylee Gist
Cas Hedtke
Syrie Hunt*
Kaitlynn Koehn
Kate Maschhoff
Keegan McDaniel
Rhome Murry
Miri Nannestad^
Elizabeth Oie
Cadence Philbeck^
Avery Tecca-Tapia
Isabella Wilkins*

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