UPCOMING EVENTS

NORTHERN IOWA SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA WITH UNI CHOIRS

THURSDAY, APRIL 20 AT 7:30 P.M. GREAT HALL, GBPAC

UNI VARSITY GLEE CLUB Monday, April 24 at 7:30 p.m. Great Hall, GBPAC

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FEATURING
UNI CECILIANS, ANDANTE &
WE SING! FESTIVAL CHORUS

BETSY COOK WEBER, FESTIVAL CONDUCTOR

PROGRAM

Cecilians and Festival Choir
Fire
Controlled Burn Jocelyn Hagan and Dessa Lauren Geerlings, violin, Emma Becker, violin Julian Perez, viola, Turner Sperry, cello Christine Compton, piano
In My Life
Andante
Can't Help Falling in Love arr. Jonathan Kotsonis Hailey Roorda, Lauren Lorentzen, soloists
Cecilians
Will the Circle Be Unbroken
Cecilians and Festival Choir
"Den Tod" from <i>Christlag in Todesbanden</i> , BWV 4 J.S. Bach Turner Sperry, cello
Travelin' Home
Hotaru Koi
When I Fall in Love

CECILIANS

Soprano 1

Elly Carlson
Ella Fortmann
Callie Garcia
Emma Martinson
Emily Reeser
Lizzy Richardson
Ashley Uitermarkt
Emily Waldon
Paige Winkelman

Soprano 2

Anna Anderson
Jaiden Basalyga
Jordyn Baughman
Kennedy Kisling
Gracie Lackore
Rose Martin
Gracie McCusker
Molly Miller
Olivia Parsons
Gabbie Thilges
Tory Thompson
Taylor Walker
Kaitlyn Walthall

Alto 1

Breeanna Allison Sadie Blomberg Katherine Czarnik Grace Jackson Zoe Krenz Darby Lake Lauren Lorentzen Sydney Mast Molly Moorhead Abigail Murty Tegan Owens Alexandria Post Haley Roorda Addie Scanlan Grace Schoening Makayla Shaw Easton Steffen Phoebe Thrall Chloe Traver Kate Utrie Kassidy Van Der Brink Abby Wendland

Alto 2

Geneva Bell
Kara Chenoweth
Jayden Daugherty
Kenn Hall
Neah McGovern
Akela Salter
Anna Singelstad
Acelia Watts
Claire Widmer

WE SING! FESTIVAL CHORUS

Libby Albriaht Riley Allen Annie Allison Catrina Althaus Sophie Andersen Cody Anderson Taliyah Armenta Morgan Babb Payton Bellings Brooke Bowman Ellen Brodie Eris Brown Magaie Bruce Phinn Burt Alena Campbell Alexandria Caughron Cecilia Clark Jazmyn Clark Maddie Combs **Autumn Consier** Juliana Corbett Kayla Corbett Alice Craia Rylee Cutsforth **Abby Davies Brook Davies** Knya Dellit Bri DeMaris Trish Devlin Taylor DeWitt **Grey Dietz** Kori Dillon Breanna Edwards Liliana Espinoza Calleigh Fitzpatrick Toriana Foss Kendall Fox Kaylee Galicia Lucy Galloway

Kayla Glascock Jax Glaser Riley Gobeli Samara Grunhovd Samantha Hampton **Emme Hardisty** Skylar Harnisch Lisa Hever Kilynn Hitchings Emma Horton Ava Hurley Olivia Jackson Ally Johnson Ellvonna Johnson Kenzie Jorgensen Sophia Juhasz-Boess Mary Julik Sparrow Kalani Kylie Karns Emma Lamp Tallula Lamp Siggy Lange Lilly Lewis Maddy Lutz Haley Malloy Hannah Malloy Kiara Mally Callie Martin Pari McCaslin Chloie McDonald Haley McDonald Baylee McGrath Madison McKee Noel McKenna Alana Meeks Indie Miller Ava Minnehan Madi Moore Carma Morris

Alana Moser Samadiah Muhammad Amber Myli Kara Nachazel Isabella Ortiz Kaylee Ostrander Kjersten Ouverson Olivia Patrick Graciela Piotrowski Nevaeh Prugh Emmalee Raasdale Lillian Randall Bernal Rilynn Riggs Arseydia Rodriguez Nicole Ruby Hailey Saffell Layni Schilling Riah Schrage Cadance Schroer Madison Schults Ava Senariahi Emma Snider Qin Stephenson Trinitee Stokes-Flowers Carley Tiburcio Abigail Tripp Emily Trueg Alina Turner Katie Van Nice Joslyn Veach Journey Verdulla Brianna Voseberg **Angelic Wandling Aubrey Wilson** Erin Wilson **Evelyn Wilson** Maddy Wirtz Jocelvnn Wolff Taylin Woolheater

Danae Yates

ABOUT THE CONDUCTOR

Betsy Cook Weber is active internationally as a conductor, clinician, adjudicator, and lecturer. In the summer of 2013, Weber became the thirteenth person and first woman to receive the Texas Choral Director Association's coveted Texas Choirmaster Award. She is editor of the Betsy Cook Weber Choral Series with Alliance Music Publishing. Weber also serves as Director of the Houston Symphony Chorus, a post to which she was appointed in the Fall of 2014. In that role, she prepares choral-orchestral masterworks for some of the world's greatest conductors, including Andrés Orozco-Estrada, Christoph Eschenbach, and David Zinman. Choirs under Weber's direction, including the Moores School Concert Chorale, have been, or will be, featured at multiple state (TMEA 2002, 2005, 2008, 2013, 2017) and national conventions including the American Choral Directors Association national convention in Miami in 2007 and Minneapolis in 2017. Concert Chorale will also be a featured choir at the national convention of the National Collegiate Choral Organization in the fall of 2017. Internationally, Weber has led the Chorale to top prizes and acclaim at prestigious competitions in Wales, France and Germany, including a first-place finish as one of only ten choirs world-wide selected to compete in the famous International Chamber Choir Competition in Marktoberdorf, Germany, The Chorale also won first place in their primary division in the Grand Prix of Nations in Magdeburg, Germany in 2015. Weber has prepared singers for Da Camera, for early music orchestras Ars Lyrica and Mercury Houston, and is also routinely called upon to prepare singers for touring shows, including Josh Groban, NBC's Clash of the Choirs, Telemundo's Latin Grammys, Star Wars in Concert, Andreas Bocelli, Legends of Zelda, It's a Wonderful World, Dreamworks, and Final Fantasy. Before coming to the University of Houston, Weber taught vocal music (K-12) in the public schools. She holds degrees from the University of North Texas, Westminster Choir College, and the University of Houston.

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