

Libby Larsen's

Missa Gaia: Mass for the Earth

FEBRUARY 19 & 20, 7PM Chief Joseph Middle School, Richland

FEBRUARY 21, 3PM Chiawana High School, Pasco

2009-2010 SEASON Heaven EARTH

PROGRAM

Friday February 19 & Saturday February 20

Sunday February 21

I Know Not How It Is With You Judith Herrington

Ding-a Ding-a Ding Greg Gilpin

How Can I Keep From Singing? arr. Mary Donnelly and George L.O. Strid

To Sing
Libby Larsen

Now Dance! Libby Larsen

> Chief Joseph Treble Choir Mary Dann, Director Sheila Zilar Gephart, Accompanist

In A Consort of Voices
Henry Purcell/arr.Patrick Liebergen

Prayer of the Children Kurt Bestor/Andrea Klouse

The Ol' Chisholm Trail Libby Larsen

Festival Sanctus
John Leavitt

Two Japanese Proverbs Gary Walth

> Chiawana Chamber Choir Debi Eng, Director

INTERMISSION

Missa Gaia: Mass for the Earth (1992)

Libby Larsen (b. 1950)

- I. Introit: Within the Circle of Our Lives
- II. *Kyrie*: Mother, Sister, Blessed, Honored

 Chief Joseph Treble Choir
- III. Gloria: Pied Beauty
- IV. Credo: Speak to the Earth and It Shall Teach Thee
- V. Agnus Dei/Sanctus: How Lovely are Thy Holy Groves
 Molly Holleran, Soprano
- VI. Benediction: Eagle Poem

Please silence cell phones and hold applause until all movements of a work have concluded. Today's performance is being recorded. We appreciate your consideration!

There will be a question & answer session with the composer following the concert.

Following the Q&A, please join us for a reception catered by Michele Clarke & VegHeadEd Cafe.

PERFORMERS

SOPRANO ARTISTIC DIRECTOR

Nitza Brooks Justin Raffa

Mary Dann*

Molly Holleran* OBOE

Mitzi Lundberg Marilyn Law Jeanette Mendell

Heather Ruane VIOLIN I

Roni Rumsey Mary K. French

Maxine Townson

Violin II

ALTO Nina Powers

Nancy Barr*

Dana Dupont VIOLA
Terri Geluso Trista Delo

Lisa Hill

Annelise Horstman CELLO Heidi Nelson Bruce Walker

Kim Robinson

Elizabeth Roddy PERCUSSION Kristin Swisher* Carri Rose

TENOR PIANO

Steve Day Sheila Zilar Gephart Patrick Faulk* Wilson Alvarez

David Haglin Robert Hanson*

Gary Jewell Ron Johnson Matthew Monroe

Sam Purvine
Bob Watrous

BASS

Mark Barton Dick Gordon Will Shaw

Reginal Unterseher*

Will Talbot* Tyrell Wilde

*section leaders

Chiawana Chamber Choir

DEBI ENG, DIRECTOR

Isaac Barajas Brad Barber Aaron Bleazard Roger Betancourt Deanna Boyle

Ky Burton

Alexandra Cid Shelby Ellsworth Erin Huisingh Shelley Johnson

Kelsey Merrill Matthew Middleton Scott Middleton Emily Nelson

Shelby Nokes Samuel Nunez Jonathan Steele Marissa Williams Christopher Wray

CHIEF JOSEPH TREBLE CHOIR

MARY DANN, DIRECTOR

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Raffle tickets are being sold in the lobby to help the Chief Joseph Middle School 8th Grade Eagle Band represent the State of Washington at the 2010 National Festival of the States Concert Series in Washington, D.C. in May of 2010.