

the **PITTSBURGH CAMERATA**

**2017-2018**

**SEASON**



## WHO WE ARE

The Pittsburgh Camerata is a professional chamber choir which has been presenting choral concerts in Pittsburgh since 1974.

## WHAT WE DO

We sing music you won't hear performed anywhere else in Pittsburgh. Some is from the Renaissance and Baroque periods. Some is 20th or 21st century music. The remainder might be from any era. All of this music is intended to be sung by a small choir in an intimate space.

## ABOUT OUR CONCERTS

We sing one or two performances of each of four concerts. The first set of performances take place in October, the second set in December, the third set in February and the fourth one-time performance takes place in June.

## WHERE WE SING OUR CONCERTS

Fox Chapel Presbyterian Church  
384 Fox Chapel Rd  
Pittsburgh, PA 15238  
[www.fcpc.us](http://www.fcpc.us)

Heinz Memorial Chapel,  
University of Pittsburgh  
S Bellefield Ave  
Pittsburgh, PA 15213  
[www.heinzchapel.pitt.edu](http://www.heinzchapel.pitt.edu)

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church  
5801 Hampton St  
Pittsburgh, PA 15206  
[www.standrewspgh.org](http://www.standrewspgh.org)

Shadyside Presbyterian Church  
5121 Westminister Pl  
Pittsburgh, PA 15232  
[www.shadysidepres.org](http://www.shadysidepres.org)

FALL CONCERT

## *Memories & Remembrances*

**Saturday, October 28, 2017**

7:30 PM

St. Andrew's Episcopal Church,  
Highland Park

**Sunday, October 29, 2017**

3:00 PM

Heinz Memorial Chapel,  
University of Pittsburgh



Music that looks forward and backward digs deep into the human experience of living and loving. Join The Pittsburgh Camerata as we sing old and new music, jogging treasured remembrances as well as sparking new memories.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

## *Magnificat (Bach!) and More*

with Chatham Baroque and guests

*One* Performance,  
Extraordinary Opportunity!

We will sing one of J. S. Bach's most popular vocal works, *Magnificat*, or *Mary's Song of Praise* as the centerpiece of our Christmas concert. This 30 minute vocal canticle with original baroque instrumental ensemble is among the grandest illustrations of Bach's genius. The Camerata will also sing a *cappella* choral music featuring settings of *Lo, How a Rose*, by Jan Sandström (b. 1954), Hugo Distler (1908-1942), Michael Prætorius (1571-1621) and others.

**Sunday, December 10, 2017**

3:00 PM

Shadyside Presbyterian Church



WINTER CONCERT

## *Heaven to Earth:*

## *Earth to Heaven*

**Saturday, February 10, 2018**

7:30 PM

Fox Chapel Presbyterian Church

**Sunday, February 11, 2018**

3:00 PM

Shadyside Presbyterian Church



Choral music often looks upward, towards heaven creating an experience of hope and longing. And just as easily the music pulls you back to earth. Join The Pittsburgh Camerata as we take you on a journey between heaven and earth.

*With special guests, THE PITTSBURGH GIRL'S CHOIR*

SUMMER CONCERT

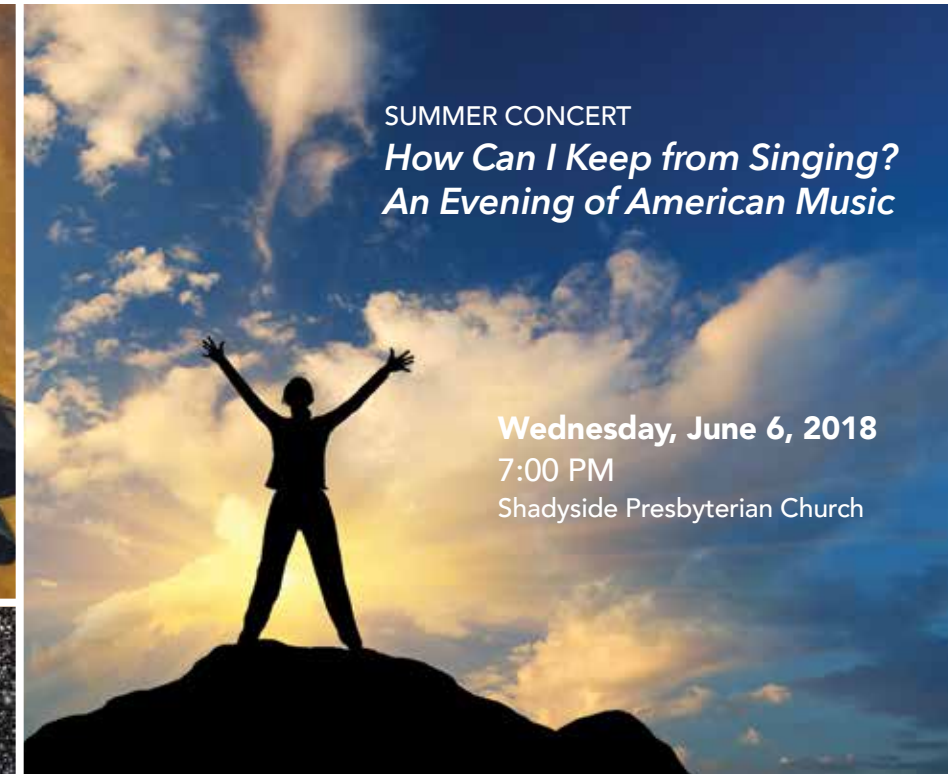
## *How Can I Keep from Singing?*

## *An Evening of American Music*

**Wednesday, June 6, 2018**

7:00 PM

Shadyside Presbyterian Church



From William Billings to Randall Thompson and beyond, The Pittsburgh Camerata will sing choral music with a distinctly American flair; music about America, music written by American stars of all stripes.

*With special guests, THE PITTSBURGH GIRL'S CHOIR*



## A MESSAGE FROM ARTISTIC DIRECTOR MARK ANDERSON



Having finished my first year as Artistic Director, please accept my profound thanks to each of you who made the 2016-2017 year such a success. Your enthusiasm and support was overwhelming. I believe I can speak for the ensemble when I say that we thoroughly enjoyed

getting to know each other throughout the course of rehearsals and performances — and we all were thrilled with the attendance and response at our concerts.

The Camerata's following is wonderfully diverse:

- There are those of you who have supported us from the beginning;
- Others have joined our ranks with each successive conductor;
- Some of you come to hear music from a specific period — or of a specific style, while there are those who come to hear certain solo singers;
- Others simply love choral music and delight in performances given by a chamber choir.

Whatever your particular interest — I am honored and delighted you are back with us for a new season. And for those of you who are new to us this year — *Welcome!*

Our four programs this year encompass the breadth and depth of the choral literature — from the Late Middle Ages to music hot off the press. We hope there is something in each concert that will feed your soul and challenge your mind.

I hope you visit with us after the performances. Seek out the individual singers...Find me...Let us get to know you and what it is that has drawn you to us. Engage us in conversation about the literature and the programs. Give us the opportunity to thank you in person for spending your afternoon or evening with us.

We will seek you out as well. We want to know each of you — and what it is that has brought you to us...and what will bring you back to us again.

*Welcome to our 2017-2018 season!*

Warmly,  
Mark



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## SUBSCRIPTIONS (on sale through Sunday, October 29, 2017)

Get 4 tickets to use in any combination throughout the season. Tickets are good for any concert location.

SEASON subscription # \_\_\_\_\_ \$80 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

SENIOR subscription # \_\_\_\_\_ \$75 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

STUDENT subscription # \_\_\_\_\_ \$20 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TOTAL SUBSCRIPTION AMOUNT** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## SINGLE TICKETS

October, February and June concerts: \$20 online, in advance; \$25 at the door; \$5 full-time students. December concert: \$25 online, in advance, \$30 at the door.

# \_\_\_\_\_ *Memories & Remembrances*  
\$20, general or \$5 full-time students = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# \_\_\_\_\_ *Magnificat (Bach!) and More*  
\$25, general or \$5 full-time students = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# \_\_\_\_\_ *Heaven to Earth: Earth to Heaven*  
\$20, general or \$5 full-time students = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# \_\_\_\_\_ *How Can I Keep from Singing*  
\$20, general or \$5 full-time students = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## CHILD CARE

Children 8-12 years are invited to attend our concerts for free with adult supervision.

*For Performances at Shadyside Presbyterian Church Only:*

Child care can be available if you make a reservation IN ADVANCE. Call Shadyside Presbyterian Church, **by the Thursday preceding the concert you plan to attend**, during office hours at 412-682-4300. (This offer is free of charge for ticket holders only.)

## CHARITABLE GIFT

Tax-deductible gift to support the Pittsburgh Camerata

- Maestro (\$1,500+)
- Soloist (\$500-\$1,499)
- Chorister (\$150-\$499)
- Ensemble (\$50-\$149)

**TOTAL ENCLOSED** \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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## CONTACT INFORMATION

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

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(home) (cell)

Email \_\_\_\_\_

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GROUP RATES are available to parties of 8 or more people who want to buy tickets in advance.

Call 412-421-5884 to negotiate your rate.



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