## About the Conductor

### Sandra Snow, Conductor

Sandra Snow is Associate Professor of Music at Michigan State University with appointments in conducting and music education. She conducts the Michigan State University Women's Chamber Ensemble and works with undergraduate and graduate students in conducting study, choral pedagogy, and teacher education.

Snow is in demand as a guest conductor, clinician, and keynoter, engaging teachers in professional development and conducting all-state, honor choir, and choral festivals across the U.S. and Canada. Appearances in 2008-2009 include the Mass-ACDA summer conference, the NC-ACDA fall conference, and the OMEA All-State Children's Choir. Snow is a 2009 conductor-in-residence with the Pacific International Children's Choir Festival. Under her direction, the MSU Women's Chamber Ensemble has performed at ACDA Central Division convention and is an invited performing choir for the 2009 ACDA National Conference in Oklahoma City.

Prior to her appointment at Michigan State University, Snow held positions at the University of Michigan, Northern Illinois University, and as Music Director of the Glen Ellyn Childrens Chorus.

# About the Accompanists

Patricia Neighbors, Accompanist

As the choral director at Richland HS, Patricia Neighbors has been a music director for thirty-five years. She began accompanying choirs as a seventh grader and was the accompanist for the Oklahoma All-State Choir while still in high school. She continues to serve as accompanist for all-state choir camps and region choirs. She earned a bachelor of music education degree with a double major in applied voice and piano from the University of Central Oklahoma and a master of music education from the University of Oklahoma. She has done doctoral work in conducting at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

Peggy Graff, Organ Accompanist

Peggy Graff teaches at Birdville HS in North Richland Hills and is organist at First United Methodist Church in Grapevine. She holds degrees from the University of Nebraska-Lincoln and the SMU Perkins School of Theology and has completed post-graduate work at UCLA.

# About the Soloist

**Terry Morris, Baritone Soloist** 

Terry Morris, choral director at Klein Oak HS, was educated at Sam Houston University, Stephen F. Austin State University, and Michigan State University. His music career has included high school and university teaching, professional singing and stage directing and church music. Morris is a Texas All-State Choir alumnus.

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Paula Edwards, Organizer

Denise Eaton, TMEA Vice-President and Vocal Division Chair

# All-State Mixed Choir

Soprano II

Chelsi Arduengo

Sara Balagopal

**Taylor Barnes** 

Susannah Bayliss

Brianna Boyd

Madeleine Brvce

Anna Clarkson

Alex Gadsby

Cecily Gordon

Courtney Guillen

**Emily Hagens** 

Samantha Johnson

Rebekah Jordan

Ashley Markgraf

Hannah Marks

Carmen Montanaro

Celeste Morales

**Fdith Morris** 

Desarea Murray

Anjali Nambiar

Lauren Parker

Mandi Sadler

Catherine Swindle

Hilary Taylor

Nina Toscano

Caroline Watson

Kathrvn Whitbeck

Jordan Wilcox

# Soprano I

Elaina Benton Natasha Bhatia Kathrvn Boswell Susanne Burgess Kara Dunlevy Aimee Foster Sarrah Galentine Catherine Goode Marlie Henry Rebekah Howell Katie Hunter Amber Jamison Valerie Jeannin Anna Jones Rebekah Kreiger Erica Laney Melissa Lubecke Ashlev Morrison Kimberly Olson Cara Peyton Maxwell Porterfield Hannah Roberts Sabrina Romero Frica Rubio Dinah Smith Jessica Teller Shelby Thiedeman **Dominique Williams** 

Alto I Sierah Ayala Casey Bachus **Audrey Bounds** Allie Bryan Julie Campbell Alissa Ebong Jessica Farley Katelyn Freeman Maggie Hires Callie Johnson Catherine Klassen Stephany Lorber Claire Lucke Connor Lyon Vanessa Marroquin Kimberly Martinez Hannah Miller Mandy Murphy **Brittney Nixon** Whitney Norman Katie Porterfield Stephanie Reves Paige Reynolds Natalie Riggs Kaitlin Riley Deborah Seitter Katherine Webb

**Brooke Whelan** 

### Alto II

**Brittany Arrambide** Chelsea Berner Jordan Bice Katie Butler Elizabeth Conger Kathrvn Esau Kaitlyn Firkins Olivia Fisher Sarah Garcia Yvonne Garcia Vanessa Garza Analysa Gonzales Samantha Helferich Allie Herrera Liz Hilton Blythe Hopson Mary Kenney Olivia King Hannah Lane Lindsay Lymer Lauren Manza Stephanie Matanga Audra Matar Veronique Medrano Anna Menger Jessica Parrish Kelly Springer Mary-Catherine White

## Tenor I Michael Alonzo **Zachary Barba** Anik Bhattacharva Matthew Brewer Alex Bruce Adrian Chapa Adam Combiths Cason Corbitt Rvan Frenk George Garcia Jose Garcia Nicholas Garza Jesse Gore Tom Hamlett Jonquel Holiday Gavin Lane Nicholas Lopez Darrell Morris Oluwasegun Oluwadele

Pevton Patterson

Sid Quinsaat

**Jordan Rogers** 

Gary Sellers

Sean Stultz

Dain Ussery

Guillermo Vasquez

**Taylor White** 

Trevor Whitworth

# Tenor II Jacob Angel Samuel Baker Aaron Casev Edelmiro Cavazos Joshua Contreras Danny Coonce Nathan Goodrich Mitch Grassi Cooper Green Hunter Hendrickson Nathan Hodgson Charles Hunter Sean Jackson Paul Kroeger **Robert Lewis** John-Michael Lyles

Matt Mazzola

Matthew Morales

Gerald Nicholas

Lance Orta

Caleb Overstreet

Ben Peters

Matthew Phaneuf

RubÈn Revna

Reyes Rodriguez III

Jason Schilder

Kevin Smith

Kyle Yarbrough

## Bass I Daniel Bentzel Stephen Bolduc **Daniel Bouchard** Jon Corya Samuel Davis Peter Doby Steven Garza Adrian Gonzalez Eric Heatley Scott Hoying Evan Key Blake Krienke Colby Lemieux Joshua Levine Connor Lidell Ezeguiel Lyra Cairee Mayfield Heath Mavo Robert Noble Mackenzie Orr Nathan Rhoden Nick Szoeke Ben Terry Ray Villarreal

Jeremy Walder

Will Watson

**Aaron West** 

William Whitley

**Andrew Burns** Richard Coleman **Austin Crumrine** Castillo del John Dorin Will Douglas Christion Draper Vincent Fleo James Hayden Lee Henry Clark Hibbs Jordan Ing Sam Irwin Ouiterius Jackson Marcus Kang Shawn Kilpatrick Jon Knott Joey Loftis Joe Lopez Rvan Loveland Jedidiah Payne Robert Quigley Cole Seifert Jonathan Shouse Nathan Tamborello Travis Threlkeld **Brady Weldon** 

Bass II

Lee Baker

Section Leaders: Shari Riley, Dorothy Wilson, Michael Murphy, Christopher Rhodes

The Vocal Division expresses its appreciation to members of the University of Texas Symphony Orchestra, Gerhardt Zimmermann, conductor; to Peggy Graff for organ accompaniment; and to Sally Schott for providing the program notes.

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"I Am In Need of Music"	
1. Star Spangled Banner Hope Publishingarr. Lloyd Pfautsch	1:35
Conducted by Denise Eaton, TMEA Vice-President and Vocal Division Chair	
– Music for Celebration –	
2. Sing Joyfully Public Domain William Byrd	2:24
3. Cantate Domino from <i>Dorchester Canticles Novello &amp; Co./MSC</i>	5:24
4. Jubilate Deo Oxford University Press Benjamin Britten/ed. David Willcocks	2:55
– Music as Storytelling –	
The World Beloved: A Bluegrass Mass Boosey & Hawkes w. Marisha Chamberlain/m. Carol Barnett	
5. IV. Gloria	2:47
6. VII. Sanctus	3:21
David Dyer, Mandolin; Tim Paco, Bass; Keith Kimball, Banjo; Paul Harper, Guitar; Amy Hermes, Fiddle	
7. Doluri (Drum Dance) earthsongs loseb Noneshvili/Alexi Matchavariani/ed. Clayton Parr	2:16
– Music and Struggle –	
8. Hard Times JEHMS/Alliance Stephen Foster/arr. Craig Hella Johnson	6:30
9. Dan-u-el from <i>Song of Slaves, Op. 51, a G. Schirmer.</i> w. Traditional Spiritual/m. Kirke Mechem <i>Terry Morris, Baritone</i>	4:44
– Music as Reconciliation –	
10. I Am In Need of Music Boosey & Hawkes w. Elizabeth Bishop/m. David L. Brunner	6:28
11. Dona Nobis Pacem from <i>Mass in B Minor JEHMS/Alliance</i> Johann Sebastian Bach/ed. Jonathan Reed	4:04

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