Hopkins Christmas
Readings and Carols
Concert
ORGAN PRELUDE

CAROL IN PROCESSION, led by youngest and oldest choristers,
Audience remain seated

Alexandra Briskin, '10
Mary Piepmeier, '05

O COME ALL YE FAITHFUL

arr. Willcocks

O come, all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant,
O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem
Come and behold Him, born the King of Angels;

Refrain: O come, let us adore Him, O come let us adore Him,
O come, let us adore Him, Christ the Lord!

God of God, Light of Light
Lo! He abhors not the virgin's womb;
Very God, begotten, not created:
Refrain

See how the shepherds, summoned to His cradle,
Leaving their flocks, draw nigh with lowly fear;
We too thither bend our joyful footsteps:
Refrain

Sing choirs of angels, sing in exultation,
Sing, all ye citizens of heav'n above;
Glory to God in the highest:
Refrain

Yea, Lord we greet Thee, born this happy morning.
Jesus, to Thee be Glory Giv'n
Word of the Father, now in flesh appearing:
Refrain

GREETING

Concert Choir Co-Presidents
Ashley Bregman, '05
Christian Pikaart, '05
HOPKINS CONCERT CHOIR
Please hold your applause until the end of each group's performance

Gloria! Gloria! traditional Polish carol, Gdy Sie Chrystus Rodzi
arr. Caldwell

Choose Something Like A Star poetry, Robert Frost
(from Frostiana) music, Randall Thompson
written for the 200th anniversary of the town of Amherst, Mass

FIRST READING THE GOSPEL ACCORDING TO LUKE
Read by Clayton Hall, Mathematics Faculty,
Father of Chorister, Erin, ‘08

Ave Maria (chorus for SSATTBB))
Anton Bruckner (1847-1934)

Ding Dong! Merrily on High traditional French carol
Pianists: Sandra Antonelli, Nathaniel Nagy, ‘06
arr. Helvey

Lo! How a Rose E’er Blooming melody from 1599/arr. Sutcliffe

SECOND READING I CORINTHIANS 13
Read by Head of School, Barbara Riley,
Mother of Choristers Noah, ‘97 and Nathaniel, ‘99

Torches, Torches text from the Galician
arr. John Joubert

Zither Carol traditional Czech carol arr. Sir Malcolm Sargent

Evening Prayer and Dream Pantomime Humperdinck/Wilhousky
Scene 2 excerpt from the opera Hansel and Gretel
Sand-man: (the sleep-fairy, strewing sand in the children's eyes),
Taylor Greer, ‘05 Hansel: Kate Lupo, ‘06, Gretel: Elise Cardinale, ‘06

CAROL ONCE IN ROYAL DAVID’S CITY
First verse sung by soloist Maggie Grimes, ‘10,
H. Gauntlett
Audience and choirs join in second stanza
arr. Willcocks

Once in Royal David's city
Stood a lowly cattle shed,
Where a mother laid her baby
In a manger for his bed;
Mary was that mother mild,
Jesus Christ her little child.

He came down to earth from heaven
Who is God and Lord of all,
And His shelter was a stable,
And His cradle was a stall;
With the poor and mean and lowly
Lived on earth our Saviour holy

Not in that poor lowly stable,
With the oxen standing by,
We shall see Him; but in heaven,
Set at God's right hand on high;
When like stars His children crowned
All in white shall wait around.
THE JUNIOR SCHOOL CHORUS

And the Glory of the Lord, from Messiah
Do You Hear What I Hear?
Joy in the Mornin'
Jingle Bells
Ocho Kandelikas
  Martha Venter, guitar

Flory Jagoda revives the exciting memories of Chanukah from her childhood in Yugoslavia. On each of the eight nights of the holiday "matchmaking parties" we held; while the children sang and danced, their parents and grandparents enjoyed planning their weddings. Traditional almond-honey cakes were served as a portent of good luck and happiness, an assurance of a good match!

A Round of Carols

A CHRISTMAS CAROL

Selections read by James Bucar, Head of Advisors, English Faculty,
  Father of Chorister, Danielle, ’90

THE NINTH GRADE GIRLS DIVISION OF CONCERT CHOIR

Stars Are For Those Who Lift Their Eyes
I Give You A Song
Little Christmas
Magnum Mysterium
Let It Snow
Silver Bells
CAROL
  Audience Standing

THE FIRST NOEL

The first Noel the angels did say,
  Was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay!
In fields where they lay, keeping their sheep,
  On a cold winter’s night that was so deep.
Refrain. Noel, Noel, Noel, Noel
  Born is the King of Israel
They looked up and saw a star
  Shining in the east beyond them far,
And to the earth it gave great light,
  And so it continued both day and night.
Refrain
Then let us all with one accord
  Sing praises to our heav’nly lord;
That hath made heav’n and earth of naught,
  And with his blood mankind hath brought.
Refrain
HOPKINS CONCERT CHOIR

Wassail! Wassail!

The Very Best Time of Year
O Holy Night!
All Hopkins Alumni Singers please join us!
Hallelujah Chorus
(from Messiah)
All Hopkins alumni singers, parents, and friends who have sung “Hallelujah” are invited to join in.

CAROL IN RECESSION
Audience Standing

HARK! THE HERALD ANGELS SING!

Hark! The herald angels sing, Glory to the new-born King!
Peace on earth and mercy mild, God and sinners reconciled!
Joyful, all ye nations rise, join the triumph of the skies;
With th’angelic host proclaim Christ is born in Bethlehem!
Refrain: Hark the herald angels sing, glory to the new-born King!
Christ, by highest heav’n adored; Christ, the everlasting Lord;
Late in time behold Him come, Offspring of the Virgin’s womb.
Veiled in flesh the Godhead see; Hail th’Incarnate Deity,
Pleased as man with man to dwell; Jesus our Emmanuel!
Refrain

Mild He lays His glory by, born that man no more may die,
Born to raise the sons of earth, born to give them second birth.
Ris’n with healing in His wings, light and life to all He brings,
Hail, the Son of Righteousness! Hail the heav’n-born Prince of peace!
Refrain

You are cordially invited to a reception in undercroft following the concert.

We extend our thanks to Margie Pikaart and her committee of choir parents for this festive event!

The Concert Choir program is in great need of a parent or two to head our fundraising efforts in the next year so that our European Tour Program might continue. Many parents have volunteered to help, but we desperately need a coordinator. Please contact Mrs. Wich if you can help us in this way.
HOPKINS CONCERT CHOIR
Jo Ann Wich, Director of Choral Activities
Sandra Antonelli, Piano Accompanist
Walden Moore, Organist

SENIORS
Megan Andreassi
Ashley Bregman
Jessica DeLuca
Taylor Greer
Emily Grewal
Anne Kozakiewicz
Emily Kraus
Vanessa Mendoza
Emma Mueller
Mary Piepmeier
Christian Pikaart
Jennifer Rawlings
Sharon Taylor

Juniors
Zoe Black
Elise Cardinale
Christina Clark (LOA)
Hallie Coffin-Gould
Jamie Cohen
Elizabeth Elrick
Emilia Firtich
Zoe Gruenebaum
Victoria Havlicek
Amanda Kesselman
Katherine Lupo
Marian Marek
Artemis Niederhoffer
Aleksandra Romano
Alexander Coffey
Douglas DeLuca
Daniel Fainstein
Timothy Pasan
Lucien Harlow Dion
Evan Huggins
Lucas Kelly-Clyne
Nathaniel Nagy
Andrew Platt
LaBarron Stewart
Maximillian Taylor
Benjamin Vinograd

Sophomores
Alexandra Andrews
Emily Auchincloss
Jane Baldwin
Katie D'Souza
Kristin DeLuca
Ariel Fein
Rebecca Harper
Emma Kennelly
Katelyna Kuc
Caroline Leger
Praniece Little
Kathryn Lukach
Marissa Mayer
Kara McEttrick
Ify Okparanta
Onyi Okparanta
Kara Pellegrino
Sarah Puklin
Emily Shaw
Portia Smith
Pierre Griffith
Todd Lebov
Phineas Palmer
Joseph Quinn

Freshmen
Victoria Robinson
Marion Trumbull
Stasey Vishnevetsky
Anne Wiles
William Bray
Steven Cimino
Jonathan Ginsberg
Harrison Kim
James Lee
William Leonard
Edward Renn
Benjamin Sperling
Benjamin Watsky

NINTH GRADE GIRLS CHORUS
Ariel Dobkin
Erin Hall
Clara Kieley
Caci Massaro
Chloe Nwangwu

Jacqueline Outka
Kristina Pivazyan
Jennifer Richards
Ashley Sanders
Stephanie Teesdale
TRIPLE TRIO
• Taylor Greer
• Claire Jaffe
Emma Mueller
Sam Moffett
Zoe Grunebaum
Elise Cardinale
Kate Lupo

Ify Okparanta
Katie D’Souza
Jamie Cohen
Emily Auchincloss
Kristin DeLuca
Miriam Marek

HARMONAIRES
• Bill Kamens,
• Christian Pikaart
Evan Huggins
Dan Maffeo
Alex Coffey
Andrew Platt

Doug DeLuca
Pierre Griffith
Caleb Persham
Liam O’Brien
John Powell

SPIRENS
• Ashley Bregman
• Emily Grewal
Annie Kozakiewicz
Emily Kraus
Anna Padilla
Emmy Firtich
Lane Phillips
Aleks Romano
Lindsay Sklar
Rachel Copel
Ariel Fein
Katia Kuc

Caroline Leger
Emily Shaw
Stasey Vishnevetsky
Annie Wiles

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JUNIOR SCHOOL CHORUS
Sandra Antonelli, Accompanist

Rebecca Bagnall
Alexandra Briskin
Kathryn Carlow
Margaret Grimes
Hayley Grunebaum
Lindsay Gruskay
Gabriela Guevara
Julia Jaffe
Madeline Kern
Katherine Marcus
Meechen Okai

Madeline Pantalena
Ashley Reidy
Pamela Ross
Stephanie Ross
Jill Schoenfeld
Francesca Smith
Clarissa Sosin
Emma Taylor
Rebecca Thornquist
Helen Xu

Aidan Carr
Ben Elron
David Fantarella
Ryan Galvin
James Havlicek
Edward Kim
Edward Kovel
Thomas Leger
Jacob Miller
Stephen Wooten
Christopher Wright
Our Best Wishes
for a Happy and Healthy
New Year!