

THE PEMBROKE COMMUNITY CHOIR

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KEVIN NIEMAN, A.Mus. (Perf.) - Choral Director:

Kevin is in his 15th year as the Choir's Choral Director. He is an associate of the Western Conservatory of Music, University of Western Ontario. His musical studies have included voice (solo performance), piano, organ, oboe and cello. Kevin has been choir director and choir director/organist for Christ Lutheran Church, Petawawa over the past 25 years, as well as musical director, performer and conductor for the Pembroke Musical Society.

JAMES MAYHEW - Accompanist

DARLENE MILLAR - Percussionist

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THE PEMBROKE COMMUNITY CHOIR, now in its 40th year, rehearses every Monday evening at 7:30 p.m. in the Wesley Community Church, 210 Renfrew St., Pembroke. New members are most welcome. They take part in the Kiwanis Music Festival. The Choir is a member of the Valley Arts Council and The Ontario Choral Federation.

A Special Thank you to Cassidy's Transfer & Storage for giving us "drive", actually, moving and storing our risers for us. To Dan and all the guys, thanks again!



The Pembroke Community Choir
presents ...

HARMONY OF AFRICA

**SUNDAY,
APRIL 18, 1999
FESTIVAL HALL
PEMBROKE, ONT.
8:00 p.m.**

**KEVIN NIEMAN - Director
JAMES MAYHEW - Accompanist
DARLENE MILLAR - Percussionist**

AFRICAN MASS NORMAN LUBOFF

1. Kyrie

Kyrie eleison. Christe eleison. Kyrie eleison.

2. Gloria

Gloria in excelsis Deo.

Et in terra pax hominibus bonae voluntatis. Laudamus te. Benedicimus te. Adoramus te. Glorificamus te. Gloria Deo. Gratias agrimus tibi propter magnam gloriam tuam. Domine Deus, Rex caelestis, Deus Pater omnipotens. Domine Fili unigenite Jesu Christe. Domine Deus, Agnus Dei, Filius Patris. Qui tollis peccata mundi, miserere nobis. Qui tollis peccata mundi, suscipe deprecationem nostrum. Qui sedes ad dexteram Patris, miserere nobis. Quoniam tu solus sanctus, Tu solus Dominus, Tu solus altissimus. Jesu Christe. Cum Sancto Spiritu in gloria Dei Patris. Amen.

3. Credo

Credo in unum Deum. Patrem omnipotentem, factorem caeli et terrae, visibilium omnium, et invisibilium. Et in unum Dominum Jesum Christum, Filium Dei unigenitum.

Et ex Patre natum ante omnia saecula. Deum de Deo, lumen de lumine, Deum verum de Deo vero. Geni tum non factum, consubstantialem Patri: per quem omnia facta sunt. Qui propter nos nomines, et propter nostram salutem de scendit, de caelis.

Et in carnatus est de Spiritu Sancto ex Maria Virgine: Et homo factus est. Crucifixus etiam pro nobis: sub Pontio Pilato passus, et se pultus est.

Et resurrexit tertia die secundum Scripturas, Et ascendit in caelum sedet ad dexteram Patris. Et iterum venturus est cum gloria, judicare vivos et mortuos: cu jus regni non erit finis.

Et in Spiritum Sanctum, Dominum, et vivificantem: qui ex Patre et Filioque procedit. Qui cum Patre et Filio simul adoratus, et con glorificatur: qui locutus est per Prophetas. Et unam sanctam catholicam et apostolicam Ecclesiam. Confiteor unum baptisma in remissionem peccatorum. Et ex spectro resurrectionem mortuorum. Et vitam venturi saeculi. Amen.

4. Sanctus

Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth.
Pleni sunt coeli et terra gloria tua.
Sanctus, Sanctus, Sanctus Dominus Deus Sabaoth.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in excelsis.

5. Benedictus

Benedictus, benedictus qui venit in nomine Domini.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in excelsis.



6. Agnus Dei

Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi: miserere nobis.
Agnus Dei, qui tollis peccata mundi: dona nobis pacem.
Pacem, Dona nobis pacem.

INTERMISSION - 15 MINUTES

1. SOMAGWAZA

Arranged by: Lawrence Kaptein & Caroline Lyon
"One who is old enough to carry one's own spear, no longer needs one's mother."

2. JABULA JESU

Zulu folk song / Arrangement: Stephen Hatfield.

3. KUIMBA ASANTE

(Sing Thanks! - Swahili) Words and Music by Dave & Jean Perry

4. FOUR AFRICAN HYMNS

1. Mwamba ni Yesu. LEADER: MARK FERRIER
Traditional Swahili chorus / Arranged by J. Nathan Corbitt
2. Hosanna, Aja Kwa Jina la Yesu / Adapted by J. Nathan Corbitt
3. Utukufu Mbinguni Juu. LEADER: MARK FERRIER
Abaluyia victory song / Adapted by J. Nathan Corbitt
4. Psalm 136 / East African Litany; Hymn of Thanks. LEADER: PAT CHARETTE
Kihaya meloda / Arranged by Mwalimu Glenn T. Boyd and Nathan Corbitt.

5. WE ARE SINGING FOR THE LORD IS OUR LIGHT

Zulu Traditional Song / Based on Psalm 27: 1-4
Arrangement: Hal H. Hopson.

6. YES, JESUS IS MY SAVIOR

Swahili Song from Kenya / Based on Philipians 2:1-11
Arrangement: Hal H. Hopson

7. CHRIST CAME TO LIVE HERE AMONG US

Traditional Cameroon Tune & Text
Original Music & Arrangement by Hal H. Hopson

8. WE ARE SINGING FOR THE LORD IS OUR LIGHT REPRISE

1. The Lord is the strength of our lives!
of whom shall we be afraid?
Though foes may be near to destroy;
the Lord may be our light.
2. One thing have we asked of the Lord,
yes, this is the thing we seek:
To dwell in the house of the Lord,
to live with God forever.
3. When burdens are heavy to bear,
our shelter is God alone.
Our feet are lifted high,
yes, high upon a rock.
4. We walk in the strength of the Lord,
God's love is ever sure.
We shout that the world may hear,
we sing a joyful song.

CHORUS:

*See yah hahm buh kookah nigh nee
kwen kohs. (Repeat 3 times)*

*We are singing, singing, we are singing,
singing, we are singing, for the Lord is our
light, Lord is our light.*

*We are singing, singing, we are singing,
singing, we are singing, for the Lord is our
light.*

