

NEST Benefit Concert Spirit's Call Choir

& special guest artist

JAMES KEELAGHAN

To Support Refugee Sponsorship

SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 30, 2003, 7:00 PM LUTHERAN CHURCH OF THE CROSS, 560 ARLINGTON ST., NORTH OF ELLICE AVE.



North End Sponsorship Team (NEST) is a registered charity, welcomes donations and will issue taxdeductable receipts. Dona Nobis Pacem (Latin chant) Source Unknown

Bismillah (Sufi chant) Nickomo Clark

Confitemini Domino (Latin chant) Psalms 105 and 117

Pachelbel's Meditation arranged by Denis Donnelly

Providence Ferry Joe Charron, arrranged by Ed Henderson

Coming Home Words and music by Jay Althouse

SIERRA LEONE MUSIC GROUP
Juliana Cowan, Margaret Cowan, Janet Cowan,
Francess Cowan, and Rosamond James.

INTERMISSION

JAMES KEELAGHAN (Special Guest)

COME FOLLOW ME Don Besig and Nancy Price
WOOD RIVER Connie Kaldor, arranged by Willi Zwozedsky
Y'A LES MOTS, Joelle Bremault (solo), Francine Raymond
BREAKING UP IS HARD TO Do arranged by Nickomo Clark,
adapted by Denis Donnelly

SIYAHAMBA South African oral tradition Freedom Song

Drum Solo Henry Zacharias

GABI, GABI South African Freedom Song (English lyrics by B. McCormack)





ALTO
Carole Basarab
Carol Carver
Carol Churko
Jan Dalmyn
Barb Degen
Helge Doermer
Heather Emberley
Fruma Farago

Gavriela Geller Heather Gerardy Jenny Gerbais Janet Jamieson Vetta Kardami Rachel Kosatsky Florence Landygo Dawn Lazar Mary-Ann Maurice Kim McCallum Shyn Otte Ginger Patchen Pat Reid Carol Runions Penny Scurfield Lisa Seymour Elaine Szymanski Janet Taylor Ingrid Toews Dorcas Wehner Bev Witt Sid Wittman

TENOR
Nicholas Burns
Bea Cherniack
Eileen Gallant
Deb Hnatiw
Susan Hurrell
Marilyn Keil
Clark Kenyon
Esther Korchynski



Jacinthe Labbe

Bass
David Alpert
Richard Bredsteen
Gene Degen
David Martin
Brian Migie
Henry Zacharias

MARGARET TOBIN Choir Coordinator

Lyle Eide Choir Director

Yannick Legrand Polejewski Dancer

LISA REMPLE Piano

CLARK KENYON Guitar

Asa Helga Hjoleifsdottir Flute

SHEILA BRADFORD Harmonica

HENRY ZACHARIAS
Percussion

NEWS FROM NEST

Started in 1986 by three Lutheran churches in Winnipeg's North End, today NEST is a cooperative ministry of five Lutheran and two United churches plus other groups and individuals, not just from the North End, who want to invest time, energy or material resources to provide safe haven for refugees in Canada.

We began with the sponsorship of a mother and daughter from Eritrea, and in the past 17 years we have sponsored over 100 persons in 20 families from 15 countries. This year on May 28, we completed the sponsorship of the Mateus family from Columbia (mom, dad, two daughters). We welcomed Margaret Cowan from Sierra Leone on July 24, with her daughter Rosamond and nieces Jannette and Francess. Also in July we provided safe haven for a family of four, at risk, from eastern Europe. We are awaiting the arrival of a family of three from the Democratic Republic of Congo, and a family of five from Togo. As well we are facilitating six family linked sponsorships.

Each family is provided with a team of "caregivers", people like you, who assist newcomers in adjusting to life in Canada. Presently teams at Epiphany Lutheran and Transcona Memorial United are helping with such things as finding a place to live, banking, transportation, schooling, shopping, medical care, etc. As we have been told by refugees, this help and friendship makes all the difference in the world.

The more caregivers we have, the more refugees we can sponsor. If you are interested in sharing your time, talents and financial resources with the NEST team, please call Jim Mair (chair) at 632-4757.

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JIM MAIR Chair

NORM E. SANDERS Vice-chair

CLAUDIA EISBRENNER Secretary

DOREEN THORLACIUS Treasurer

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