

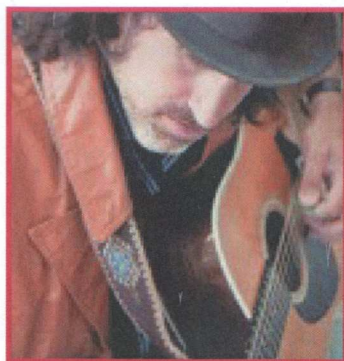
In Partnership with
 Rotary Club of
Winnipeg

 Spirit's Call
Choir

PRESENTS the

Spirit's Call Choir *Spring 2012* *Benefit Concert*

*~ Honouring
Mothers*



Musical Guest
Dan Frechette

Supporting Programs
for Inner City Youth

Saturday, May 12, 2012
7:30 pm

Knox United Church
400 Edmonton Street
Winnipeg, MB

Program

Contemplation Chant Sophia

Opening Remarks

Circle of Song Tony Turner

Breathing In Nasrudin

Be Thou Nickomo Clark & Carmina Gaedelica

A Place in the Choir Bill Staines

ABBA Forever Benny Andersson, Stig Anderson & Bjorn Ulvaeus

Musical Guest: Dan Frechette

Peace Canon Ludwig van Beethoven

Da Pacem Cordium Traditional Latin

Mother Ocean, Mother Fire Martin Turnbull

You Raise Me Up Brendan Graham & Rolf Lovland

Closing Remarks

Age of Aquarius Galt MacDermot, James Rado & Gerome Ragni

The concert is 90 minutes long. There is no intermission.

Poster and program design donated by Linda. T. Anderson.

Spirit's Call Choir

Members ~ SPRING 2012

Soprano: Diane Bauer, Merrill Berg, Maureen Bliss, Joanne Calver, Sharon Chalupiak, Valerie Clancy, Marilyn Challis Cozzuol, Katherine Cullihall, Shona Davidson, Diane Denischuk, Joan Dentry, Jennifer Didora, Martha Epstein, Helen Fast, Margaret Fast, Lily Flower, Joanne Fulford, Nancy McAvoy Gajdosik, Christina Geith, Roberta Good, Gerty Grishka, Naomi Guse, Ti Hallis, Tuula Heinonen, Bessie-Marie Hill, Catherine Hine, Dale Ingram, Jocelyn Johnson, Paula Keirstead, Andrea Kirkland, Terry Lander, Carol Ann Leschasin, Cendrine Marrouat, Debbie McCaffrey, Anne McIntosh, Judy McLean, Carol Nowostawski, Vanessa Nowostawski, Suzanne Oates, Julie Odokeychuk, Patricia Orban, Doreen Penneys, Theresa Harvey Pruden, Myrna Reinhorn, Jenny Salmon, Barbara Samson, Christine Schmidt, Juana Schoch, Penny Scurfield, Helen Shannon, Cheryl Simmonds, Atlanta Sloane-Seale, Cindy Marie Small, Erin Stewart, Margaret Tobin, Janet Wilson

Alto: Linda Anderson, Pamela Bager, Lea Bangert, Gail Bauer, Frances Biela, Shelly Blanco, Nadine Calver, Amy Campbell, Davada Carlson, Laverne Carlson, Elizabeth Challis, Laura Curbishley, Heather Emberley, Linda English, Heather Gerardy, Jan Delmonico Gibson, Louise Gillman, Lynne Hebert, Val Hewlett, Joan Hodgson, Linda Howes, Lynn Ibbitt, Norma Kerr, Diane Koch-Schulte, Janice Kraning, Gerry Krone, Cathy Larsen, Dawn Lazar, Jane Markesteyn, Audrey McBride-Christle, Iona McPhee, Dolores Minkus-Hofley, Frances Mitchell, Kathy George Moore, Germaine Norberg, Beverley Oliver, Cecily Phelan, Edna Pohl, Susanna Portnoy, Marianne Prokopetz, Betty Punkert, Donna Read, Pat Reid, Dianne Renick, Kathryn Ritchot, Marilyn Robbie, Judy Rodkin, Sabrina Rowe, Allison Murdock Schon, Leslie Schroeder, Brenda Sciberras, Lorelei Scott, Brenda Soares, Sharon Stanley, Donna Strang, Kerry Strom, Wanda Swan, Colleen Sydor, Jeanne Towle, Wendy Wagner, Dorcas Wehner, Jan Wehner, Francis Woolison, Elizabeth Wotton

Tenor: Reisa Adelman, Neil Ames, Jeannette Astleford, Wendy Beavis, Ainsley Bloomer, Sheila Bradford, Terence Caslake, Kathy Feader, Karen Feng, Keith Garvie, Wanda Gates, Carole Grier, Leona Grossman, Susan Hall, Katherine Heart, Rosemary Hood, Joe Jonker, Corry Khatiabeh, Marilynne Keil, Erika Kreis, Christopher McLaughlin, Sheila Norrie, Norm Pohl, John Redekop, Mike Reid, Ed Rzesutek, Leslie Spokes, Herbert Stewart, Margaret Sucharov, Susan Van Koughnet, Bonnie Wrighton

Bass: John Bond, John Buchanon, Gene Degen, Leonard Greenwood, Erwin Guentert, Ian Irvine, Ron May, Donald Norberg, Robert Pruden, John Sadoway, Patrick Stewart, Bob Sydor, Geoff Taylor, Alan Wilson

Musical Director: Jeremy Vallance

Program Director: Margaret Tobin

Pianist: Heajin Kim

About Spirit's Call Choir

Spirit's Call Choir is an inclusive, non-audition community choir that supports:

- *personal harmony* - singing to bring balance and joy to our inner being
- *choral harmony* - singing to create beautiful sound in our vocal community
- *global harmony* - singing to support transformation, justice and peace in our world

Spirit's Call Choir is a Winnipeg offering of Spirit's Call™ - founded in Vancouver in 1996 by Merv Campone and Dorothy Becker to contribute to the transformation of consciousness and support personal and universal harmony and balance through the integration of healing, learning and the arts. Winnipeg's Spirit's Call Choir makes real the founding vision to raise money for development work through the creative arts.

Spirit's Call Choir is happy to partner with The Rotary Club of Winnipeg again this season to continue to raise funds to support programs for inner city youth. Since November 2003, the choir has presented 2 benefit concerts a year, has raised over \$140,000 for worthy causes locally and globally and received the Mayor's Volunteer Service Award in 2010.

Spirit's Call Choir grew out of a workshop with Dorothy Becker and Margaret Tobin in November 2000 when people who believed they couldn't sing found their voices and decided to form a choir. The choir celebrated its 10th Anniversary with a special benefit concert at Pantages in December 2011. This Spirit-inspired singing experience continues to grow and thrive under the enthusiastic leadership of Musical Director Jeremy Vallance. Previous directors Lyle Eide, Michael Kurek, and Alex Kirov also made significant contributions.

Spirit's Call Choir has released 2 CD's - *One World, One Voice* (2009) and *Together in Harmony* (2005). You can give the gift of song for Mother's Day with the choir CD's and also bring the energy of this spirited singing into your homes and cars throughout the year. Choir CD's are available here tonight.

Spirit's Call Choir was founded on the principle that singing is the birthright of everyone. From 9 original members, the choir has grown to 168 voices and includes novice to accomplished singers, dancers and musicians. The choir offers a supportive environment for remembering, reclaiming and celebrating the spirit and voice of one and all and welcomes all those who want to find their voice and sing for joy!

Spirit's Call Choir invites new members for the fall season - starting Sunday, September 9th, 2012. The orientation for new members is at 1:30 pm on September 9th.

The full choir sings from 2:00 to 4:30 pm September 9th and weekly (Sunday afternoons.) Those who love to sing and those who always thought they couldn't are equally welcome! For more information or to join the choir please contact Dawn Lazar at 488-0495 or dlazar@mts.net.

The Spirit's Call Collection includes the book *Spirit's Call™ When the Spirit Touches the Soul*, the relaxation CD *Spirit's Call™ A Companion for Healing* and an original art card of the Spirit's Call logo. These items make meaningful gifts and are available here tonight with the choir CD's.

Rotary Club of Winnipeg

THE CLUB THAT MADE ROTARY "INTERNATIONAL"

Who are we?

The Rotary Club of Winnipeg, founded in 1910, was the first Club established outside of the United States. Our motto is that we are "the Club that made Rotary international." We celebrated our Centennial in 2010. Rotary International is made up of over 33,000 clubs in more than 200 countries and geographical areas. Its members form a global network of business, professional and community leaders who volunteer their time and talents to serve their communities and the world. Rotary's motto, *Service Above Self*, exemplifies the humanitarian spirit of the organization's more than 1.2 million members. Strong fellowship among Rotarians and meaningful community and international service projects characterize Rotary worldwide.

What do we do?

Our Club supports the following local and international projects:

Winnipeg:

- The Rotary Leadership Circle - summer youth leadership development program
- Camp Manitou - provides outdoor activities for young people
- Community School Investigators (CSI) - summer learning loss prevention program
- Rotary Career Symposium (Over 13,000 people attended a 2 day event in 2012)
- Model United Nations Assembly (in Winnipeg since 1957)
- District 5550 - World Peace Partners

International:

- Supported construction of a school in Afghanistan ~ www.afghanistanschool.ca
- The Ripple Effect education program in Guatemala
- Support for aids orphans in South Africa
- Osu Children's library project in Ghana
- Polio Plus - polio eradication program
- Healing workshops for youth who have been victims of violence in Zimbabwe

Our Mission: "To create community through fellowship and service, to eliminate poverty and disease and to provide knowledge and opportunity, especially for young people."

Our Vision: "Being an exemplary club in meeting its mission, through a sustainable vibrant membership."

For further information on Rotary, its projects or membership, please call Anneliese at 204-943-1427.

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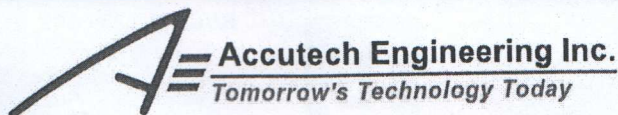
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REBECCA WATT ~ flute

MIKE REID ~ drums

Stage Manager:

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Accompanist:

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