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St. Norbert Handbell Choir & The Conservatory Ringers Concert (2023)

St. Norbert College Music Department

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Program

The Conservatory Ringers

- Joyous Spirit Valerie Stephenson
- Londonderry Air Traditional/arr: Cathy Moglebust
Katie Kleinhans, oboe
- Sway Pablo Beltrán Ruiz/arr: Sandra Eithun
Percussion: Michelle Campbell, Cheri Frusher,
Bob Kleckner & Katie Kleinhans
- Moonlight Serenade Glenn Miller/arr: Paul Allen
- Fantasy on *All Creatures of our God and King*
arr: Sandra Eithun
- Amazing Grace arr: Sandra Eithun
Mary Kempen, piano
Molly Lopez, soloist

St. Norbert Handbell Choir

- Sacred Silence Karissa Dennis
- Singin' in the Rain arr: Brian Tervo
- Intrada Gary R. Smoke
Mahri Hodges, piano
- Dancing Queen arr: Brian Tervo & Ron Mallory

Biographies

Dr. Philip Klickman joined the St. Norbert College music faculty in the fall of 2017. In addition to conducting the SNC Handbell Choir, his other duties include conducting the Wind Ensemble and the Concert Band, teaching courses in conducting and instrumental music education, and teaching French horn. Philip also serves as conductor of the St. Norbert Community Band and is currently the Director of the Music Discipline at the college. He previously served for 10 years as the Director of Bands at Frostburg State University in Frostburg, Maryland and also taught band for 15 years in the school districts of Naperville and Streamwood, Illinois. He is active as a horn player throughout northeast Wisconsin and is a member of the College Band Directors National Association, the National Association for Music Education, the Society for Music Teacher Education, and the International Horn Society.

SANDRA EITHUN, M.M.Ed. is a graduate of Silver Lake College in Manitowoc, WI, with an emphasis in the Kodály teaching method, keyboard, and flute. She is currently on the faculty at Holy Family Conservatory of Music in Manitowoc, WI, leading the handbell program there. She served as Director of Music Ministry, handbell director, children's choir director, organist and choral accompanist at First Congregational United Church of Christ in New London, WI, from 1992-2021.

There will be a short intermission between groups.

Conservatory Ringers

Tyler Burk	Karen Cmejla
JoAnn Kleckner	Rhonda Knoespel
Ann Arbuckle	Megan Lau
Ally Wasmer	Lisa Kliment
Sr. Elizabeth Benvie	Teresa Schroepfer
Mary Kempen	Molly Lopez
Claudia Brown	

Sandra Eithun, Conductor

SNC Ringers:

Drew Bolder	Elizabeth Brefka
Eliza Burmesch	Mileana Burmesch
Anna Heinzen	Mahri Hodges
Austin Kobylarczyk	Sarah Labinski
Emily Martin	Claire Ostowicz
Kelly Robinson	Benjamin Taylor

Philip Klickman, Conductor

She directed the Silver Lake College Handbell Ensemble from 2009-2020, is an active member of the Handbell Musicians of America and has served on their Area VII Board of Directors. She has been commissioned to write music for many events and for numerous individual handbell ensembles. Most recently, she received the honor of being given the esteemed Donald E. Allured Original Composition Award for the 2020 Week of Handbells in Bay View, MI.

She has over 600 pieces for handbells in publication as well as several sacred keyboard books and teaching collections for the incorporation of handbells in the music classroom. In 2013, Sandra had the honor of working alongside Doc Severinsen and the Fox Valley Symphony to include handbells in his holiday show, *Jingle Bell Doc*, at the Fox Cities Performing Arts Center in Appleton, WI.

Sandra's compositions have been recently featured on the PBS Christmas special, *Holiday Handbells*, as well as concerts by noted groups across the country including The Ralieg Ringers and The Bells on Temple Square in Salt Lake City. She continues to work as a handbell clinician and conductor at numerous festivals and workshops throughout the United States. She has four grown children and currently resides in Appleton, WI.