



**Hugh A. Glauser
School of Music**

Kent State Honor Choir Festival

October 18, 2025, at 5:30 p.m.
Cartwright Hall
Kent State University
Kent, Ohio

Program

Kent State University Chorale

Matthew Swope, conductor

Jingwan Huang, collaborative pianist

Exsultate Deo (1584)

Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina

*Rejoice greatly to God our helper,
shout for joy to the God of Jacob.
Take up a psalm, and bring the timbrel
and the sweet psaltery with the harp.
Blow the trumpet in the new moon,
on the notable day of your solemnity.*

Vision (2014)

Andrea Ramsey

TaReKiTa (2021)

Reena Esmail

Nova Jazz Singers

Sam Alhadid, conductor

Zach Ritzenberg, pianist

Raindrops Will Fall

Arranged by Ly Wilder

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Walk Together Children (2002)

African American Spiritual
Arranged by Anthony Leach

Intro (It's You) (2023)

Krishan Oberoi

The Gift to Sing (2021)

Marianne Forman

*With gratitude to all of the incredible student performers,
participating schools, and their directors*

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Sam Robert, Blaine Vesely, Dr. Benjamin Lorenzo, School of Music
faculty and staff, and the dedicated KSU student performers and workers*

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Shawna Hinkle, collaborative pianist

Soprano

Jurne Christine Baker
Arga Balampaki
Addison Beal
Sophia Bemmes
Grace Boozer
La'Reyna Brown
Juliana Campos
Sami Chinn
Auden Combs
Joslyn Cross
Aubrey Deanda
Mia Del Rio
Bailey Dimmerling
Sarah Dorner
Sara Elliott
Lindsay Gallavan
Liv Gibson
Kayiah Glover Bullock
Marissa Halsey
Emilee Hathaway
Damiyah Henderson
Gabby Heslop
Reese Hickman
Ella Highlander
Rachel Hormell
Laney Hunsicker
Stella Jackson
Luci Johnson
Jessi Jones
Elise Kennedy
Kylah Kiser
Alena Kraft
Arantxa Larrauri
Chyann Matheny
Elle Nussbaum
Skyler Palmer
Lila Papay
Zoey Peer
Miyah Posey
Elliana Rayman
Kristiana Recko
Abbey Riley
Chloe Rogers
Janiah JayCee Saunders

Izzy Shrader
Khayla Smiley
Amaiya Smith
Ruby Smith
Savannah June Stephan
Laine Stroom
Stefani Szokan
Maia Tennant
Hallie Thompson
Payton Timmons
Arielle Tobler
Lailah Tomasic
Makayla Troyer
Lexi Weaver
Taylor Wiley
Armani Williams
Makenzie Zsigray

Alto

Ayona Adekunle
Brooklyn Alexander
Shae' Amstutz
Rebekah Ashby
Kayla Aslaksen
Marcy Barkema
Madison Bates
Harper Bell
Casey Boehmer
Lydia Brown-Sowah
Addison Campana
Tori Cepec
Sara Chase
Alexis Crum
Caitlin Culler
Lucia Curran
Olivia Dix
Jane Eibler
Samie Elfaye
Kaylee Ellison
Alex Galindo
Khloe Garcia
Taylor Garr
Rin Harrington
Olivia Heiskell

Hailey Hendren
Iris Hite
Ariana Immel
Jerome Jackson
Liv Jones
Caroline Kandel
Clara LaGrew
Carmella Matye
Audrey Jean May
Olivia Merolla
Saniyah Morris
Grace Nagy
Jessica Neiger
Miah Palmer
Maddie Parslow
Leigha Paul
Summer Potts
Abby Rayman
Melody Rebman
Gracie Reiss
Teagan Reynolds
Eliana Rodriguez
Makenna Root
Aarya Shah
Anastasia Sheppard
Ellianna Shepherd
Bethany Sitko
Sidney Sobochan
Eros Subba
Maddie Summers
Aamir Wesley
Ari Williams
Kaylee Williams
Aaliyah Yost

Tenor

Damion Alberino
Damiere Avery
Jareth Ball
Michael Bettis
Anderson Bowers
Audrianna Bruce
Preston Budyka
Ezra Campell
Donovan Carney
Kacey Compton
Adriana Anne D'Amore
Patrick Deanda
TJ Edwards

Michael Fisher
Luke Fries
Hayden Halstead
Jeremiah Hollinger
Russell Hunt
Adam Huskey
Liam J. Kammerman
Myles Kelly
Jaiden Kendrick
Tyler Korun
Anthony Kosir
Nathaniel Kuhen
Kaylee Miller
Grady Mills
Tavion Moore
Caleb Myers
Matthew Peveto
Leah Pickering
Tyler Priester
Will Radefeld
Sophia Rapp
Jonah Riberdy
Steven Richards
A.J. Robertson
Kai Ruby
Joey Smith
Peyton Smith
Ayden Stevens
Will Turner
JaVon Wells
Abrien Tiana West
Alvin Whipple
Loryanna Williams
Yasin Rizk

Bass

Alex Anna
Noah Bader
Silas Barker
Mason Bensinger
Jon Brennan
Daniel Burse
Ashton Chapman
Joshua Chmielewski
Henry Colson
Preston Duncan
Simon Ensell
Joey Fazek
Chase Fearn

Becky Fleming
Nicky Ghiorghe
Zach Haas
Tommy Hart
Evan Hogan
Xander Jacobs
Gideon Jarzenski
Andrew Jeschelnig
Alex Johncock
John Krajewski
Mason Link
Aydin Lopez
Ben Marchant
Elisha McGuckin
Patrick McGuckin
Jonny Mix
Azzy Norris
Manny Norris
Gavin Parker
Micah Pickering
Liam Purcell
Sam Purdum
Bradyn Rapp
Flynn Renicker
Sabastian Riccio
Kiefer Schatz
Rhys Serquina
PJ Sheehan
Isaiah Stradford
Dillon Strickler
Tamlin Thomas
James Truxall
Aidan Witt

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Soprano

Kendall Barnes-Loveday
Trista Boeke
Mackenna Gigax
Karen Homza
Brianna Knapp
Hannah Lame
Macy Metzger
Aallyyah Plass
Patricia Terceros
Destiny Williams

Alto

Miles Bigham
Skylar Cinch
Isabella Clements
Alyssa Faris
Audrey Gervase
Melanie Johnson
Madelynn Kaminski
Paige Nells
Allison Remick
Emma Scherick

Tenor

Easton Harris
Connor McGahagan
Joel Modlik
Shawna Smith
Scott Sopata
Jacob Zawoyski

Bass

Shiloh Graham-Mumma
Alex Hellier
Charles Levier
Andrew Rothhaar
Charles Scott
Sam Smith
Brady Tasker
Noah Underhill

Nova Jazz Singers

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Soprano

Riley Beck
Karen Homza
Becca LaGuardia
Ariana Painter
Aaliyah Plass

Alto

Skyler Cinch
Isabella Clements
Audrey Gervase
Macy Metzger
Angel Price

Tenor

Eleanor Mercer
Shawna Smith
Noah Underhill

Bass

Dylan Eshbaugh
Andrew Rothhaar
Sam Smith

Kent State University Choral Faculty

Sam Alhadid
Shawna Hinkle
Rodney Hubbard
Matthew Swope

Kent State University Voice Faculty

Marla Berg
Tim Culver
Hannah Jencius
Sandra Ross
Lara Troyer
Jay White

Upcoming Choral Concerts

Kent State Choirs

Perspectives

October 19, 2025, at 3:00 p.m.
Cartwright Hall

Nova Jazz Singers

November 6, 2025, at 7:30 p.m.
Ludwig Recital Hall

Gospel Choir

December 4, 2025, at 7:30 p.m.
Cartwright Hall

Kent State Choirs and Orchestra

December 7, 2025, at 3:00 p.m.
Cartwright Hall

Sing With Us!

Do you have a passion for singing?

Kent State Choirs are open to students from all majors and degree programs. In addition, community members, staff, faculty, and alumni can join Kent Chorus. There is a place for everyone! For questions and additional info contact Dr. Matthew Swope (mswope6@kent.edu).



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Participating Schools and Directors

Alliance High School

Carrie Chonat

Aurora High School

Ross Downing

Berea Midpark High School

Sarah Novak

Copley High School

Scott Little

Cuyahoga Falls High School

Sam Alhadid

Dover High School

Shawna Hinkle

East Community Learning Center

Janel Darrin

Eastlake North High School

Devra Levine

Firelands High School

Wendy Johnson

Fredericktown High School

Katie Dearth

Green High School

Julie Pickering

Huron High School

Adaleine Jackson

Kenston High School

Julie Green

Louisville High School

Sarah McVane

Mogadore High School

Noah Whetstone

Nordonia High School

John Pickering

Normandy High School

Sarah Shonk-Richardson

North Royalton High School

Sydney Jahnigen

Olmsted Falls High School

Joy Kiedrowski

Revere High School

Sierra Pabon

Richmond Heights Secondary School

Molly Raimondi

Rootstown High School

Amber Hayden

Sandusky High School

Carrie Hill-Leech

Southeast High School

Joel Kithcart

Streetsboro High School

Samuel Darrin

Vermillion High School

Olivia Eldridge