

# the BIG SING

**a tribute to our choral legacy in Hawai'i**

**Saturday, October 18, 2014  
4:00 PM, Kawaiaha'o Church  
Honolulu, Hawai'i**

*presented by the*

**Hawai'i Chapter of the American Choral Directors Association**

*hosted by*

**The Ministry of Music & Performing Arts of Kawaiaha'o Church**

*Buddy Nalua'i, Minister of Music*

# A Choral Tribute

Sing to celebrate our choral legacy in Hawai'i

*Choral music is alive and well in Hawai'i through the dedication and artistry of hundreds of choral directors and thousands of singers over the last 50 years*

## Program

Grand Chœur Dialogue  
Brass Ensemble Mark Wong, *organ* Eugene Gigout (1844–1925)

Welcome John Alexander

Praise to the Lord, the Almighty  
Mike Lippert, *director* Brass Ensemble Mark Wong, *organ* LOBE DEN HERREN

Dona Nobis Pacem *sung in unison followed by three-part canon*  
Wanda Gereben, *director* Buddy Nalua'i, *piano* Traditional

19<sup>th</sup> Avenue Barbershop Quartet  
Mark Conching, Bryce Irvine, Rob Hartley, Tom Hutton

Shenandoah  
Bonnie McKibben, *director* Margaret Lloyd and Nyle Hallman, *piano* Buddy Nalua'i, *organ* 19<sup>th</sup> Century American Folk Song, arr. Mack Wilberg

America the Beautiful  
Aaron Mahi, *director* Mark Wong, *organ* Samuel Ward (-1903), arr. Rob Landes

I'll Remember You  
Naomi Castro, *director* Margaret Lloyd, *piano* Nyle Hallman, harp Kui Lee (1932–1966), arr. Danette Kong

### **Roll call of the departed by David Free**

Ringing of the Bells by active choral directors of today

Lux Aeterna from *Requiem*:  
Tim Carney, *director* Buddy Nalua'i, *organ* Nyle Hallman, *harp* Malia Ka'ai Barrett, *soprano* John Rutter (1945–)

*Tu Es Sacerdos*  
Susan McCreary Duprey, *director* John Renke, *organ* Brass Ensemble John McCreary (1930–2013)

Sonata IV in B-flat: *Allegro con brio*  
John Renke, *organ* Felix Mendelssohn (1809–1847)

### **Collection of Registration Forms and Donations**

*Madame Butterfly*: Humming Chorus  
*Carmen*: La Habanera aria and chorus  
Nola Nāhulu, *director* Beebe Freitas, *piano* Blythe Kelsey, *soprano* Giacomo Puccini (1858–1924)  
Georges Bizet (1838–1875)

*Sanoe*

Queen Lili‘uokalani (1838–1917), arr. Buddy Nalua‘i  
Jeremy Wong, *director* Buddy Nalua‘i, *piano, bass and guitar*

Praise His Holy Name!

Keith Hampton (b. 1973)  
Alec Schumacker, *director* Megann Salā, *mezzo-soprano* Buddy Nalua‘i, *piano*

Break Forth O Beauteous Heavenly Light, BWV 248

Johann Sebastian Bach (1685–1750)  
Esther Yoo, *director* Katherine Crosier, *organ*

*Messiah*: Hallelujah

Georg Friedrich Händel (1685–1759)  
Miguel Felipe, *director* Brass Ensemble Mark Wong, *organ*



### MAHALO

*Sponsor* Hawai‘i Chapter, American Choral Directors Association  
Christine Eilers, *President*; Miguel Felipe, *President Elect*  
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Nola Nāhulu, *Choir Director*  
Curtis Kekuna, *Senior Minister*  
Kawaiaha‘o Church Staff

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*Program Design* Katherine Crosier

*Emcee* John Alexander

*Ushers* Honolulu Chorale, Windward Choral Society

*CD & DVD Recordings* Pierre Grill

*Catering* Kristi’s Kitchen

*Refreshment volunteer* Nancy Kickertz, Adele Wilson, Nancy Schildt and Ruth Groetzinger

*Clean-Up Crew* University of Hawai‘i-Mānoa, Choral Department

*Brass Ensemble* Gregory Wills and Patrick Broadwell, *trumpet*; George Warnock, *horn*;  
Thomas Hesch, *trombone*; Thomas J. Ricer, *tuba, electric bass*; Allan Ward, *drums*

*Memorial Bell Ringers* Pamela DeBoard, Doris Dudley, Mary Chesnut Hicks, Sangeet Gelhorn,  
Keane Ishii, Debbie Kelsey, Jon Magnussen, Karen Miyamoto,  
Gloria Moore Faltstrom, Marlene Patton, Tom Poole, Doc Wilson

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# The Big Sing Ad Hoc Steering Committee

Wanda Gereben, *chair*

John Alexander, Timothy Carney, Carl Crosier, Katherine Crosier  
Susan McCreary Duprey, Miguel Felipe, Nyle Hallman, Kathy Hallman  
Betsy McCreary, Nola Nāhulu, Buddy Nalua'i

## PRaise TO THE LORD, THE ALMIGHTY

Praise to the Lord, the Al - might - y the King of cre - a - tion! O my soul,  
Praise to the Lord! O let all that is in me a - dore Him! All that hath  
praise Him, for He is thy health and sal - va - tion! All ye who hear,  
life and breath, come now with prais - es be - fore Him! Let the "a - men"  
Now to His tem - ple draw near; Join me in glad ad - o - ra - tion.  
Sound from His peo - ple a - gain; Glad - ly for - ev - er a - dore Him!

Text: Joachim Neander, 1650–2680; tr. Catherine Winkworth, 1827–1878  
Music: *Stralsund Gesangbuch*, 1685

LOBE DEN HERRN  
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## DONA NOBIS PACEM *sung in unison followed by three-part canon*

1  
Do - na no - bis pa - cem pa - cem. Do - na no - bis  
2  
pa - cem. Do - na no - bis pa cem. do - na no - bis pa - cem.  
3  
Do - na no - bis pa - cem Do - na no - bis pa - cem.

Text: Traditional Latin  
Music: *Dona nobis pacem*, traditional canon

Irr.



## ACDA-Hawai'i Chapter Presidents

|           |                        |
|-----------|------------------------|
| 1975–1977 | Robert Hines           |
| 1977–1979 | Wanda Gereben          |
| 1979–1981 | Dale Noble             |
| 1981–1983 | Kenneth Staton         |
| 1983–1985 | Henry “Bud” Klein      |
| 1985–1987 | Gloria Moore Faltstrom |
| 1987–1988 | James Smith            |
| 1988–1989 | Gloria Moore Faltstrom |
| 1989–1991 | Robert Engle           |
| 1991–1993 | Timothy Carney         |
| 1993–1995 | Wanda Gereben          |
| 1995–1997 | Joseph McAlister       |
| 1997–1999 | Nola Nāhulu            |
| 1999–2000 | Darren Hochstedler     |
| 2000–2001 | Nola Nāhulu            |
| 2001–2003 | Beth Uale              |
| 2003–2005 | Karen Kennedy          |
| 2005–2007 | John Alexander         |
| 2007–2009 | Christine Eilers       |
| 2009–2011 | Mike Lippert           |
| 2011–2013 | Esther Yoo             |
| 2013–2014 | Christine Eilers       |
| 2014–2017 | Miguel Felipe          |



## ACDA TIMELINE

|      |  |
|------|--|
| 1975 | Robert Hines founded the ACDA-Hawai'i Chapter  |
| 1975 | Hawai'i Collegiate Choral Festival founded by Robert Hines   |
| 1977 | O'ahu Church Choir Festival founded by Bud Klein, Pat Mumford, Council of Churches, Wanda Gereben, ACDA and Katherine Crosier, AGO |
| 1987 | Hawai'i All-State High School Honor Choir established by James Smith and Wanda Gereben   |
| 1989 | <i>E Himeni Kākou</i> , University and College Chorus Festival, founded by Robert Engle  |
| 1989 | Lōkahi High School Choral Festival, founded by Robert Engle  |
| 1990 | Brahms <i>Requiem</i> with Honolulu Symphony and Chorus, Robert Shaw conductor,  |
| 1992 | Hawai'i Chapter hosted the first ACDA Western Division Convention in Hawai'i   |
| 1992 | Mendelssohn <i>Elijah</i> performance with Honolulu Symphony and Chorus, Robert Shaw conductor                                     |
| 2001 | Pacific Rim Children's Chorus Festival founded by Wanda Gereben  |
| 2002 | 25th Anniversary of O'ahu Church Choir Festival, Central Union Church  |
| 2002 | Hawai'i Chapter hosted the ACDA second Western Division Convention in Hawai'i  |
| 2003 | All-Mozart Program, Sir David Willcocks conductor, St. Andrew's Cathedral  |
| 2010 | Ho'olōkahi High School Choral Festival founded by Nola Nahulu and Mike Lippert, ACDA President                                     |
| 2014 | The BIG SING   |



## O‘ahu Choral Organizations of the Past Half Century

*\* denotes founder*

### *Year Founded*

- 1979 **Bach Chamber Choir**, Carl Crosier\*
- 2011 **Cantores Hemolele**, David Kayner\*
- 1964 **Cathedral Boy Choir**, John McCreary\*,
- 1964 **Cathedral Choral Society**, John McCreary\*
- Central Union Church** *Other directors include* Melvin Gallagher, Alan Walker, Roy Hallman, Noël Lovelace, Timothy Carney and Sangeet Gelhorn
- 1972 **Central Union Oratorio Choir**, Roy Hallman\*
- 2000 **Chaminade Community Chorus**, Timothy Carney\*
- 2010 **Early Music Hawai‘i Choir**, Carl Crosier\*, Artistic Director
- 1916 **Gleemen of Honolulu**, Shigeru Hotoke \*  
*Oldest Male Chorus West of the Rockies*
- 1996 **Gleemen Plus of Honolulu**, Shigeru Hotoke\*
- 1979 **Hawai‘i Children’s Chorus**, Wanda Gereben\*
- 1979 **Hawai‘i Ecumenical Chorale**, Eileen Lum\*, Buddy Nalua‘i, Kaipō Hale
- 1960 **Hawai‘i Opera Theater Chorus**, Nola Nāhulu and Beebe Freitas. *Other directors include* Zillah Young, Ernie Veniegas, Douglas Engelhardt, Timothy Carney
- 2002 **Hawai‘i Pacific University International Chorale & Vocal Ensemble**, Susan McCreary Duprey\*
- 2010 **Hawai‘i Sacred Choir**, Dan Werning\*
- 1992 **Hawai‘i Vocal Arts Ensemble**, Timothy Carney\*, Carl Crosier\*, David Kayner\* *co-founders*
- 2003 **Hawai‘i Vocal Masterworks Festival**, Timothy Carney\*
- 1970 **Hawai‘i Youth Chorale**, Roy Hallman\*
- 1993 **Hawai‘i Youth Opera Chorus**, Nola Nāhulu, Artistic Director/Executive Director
- Hawaiian Civic Club Choruses**, *multiple directors*
- 2002 **HEARTS**—Hawai‘i Education Arts, Pamela DeBoard\*
- 2012 **Honolulu Blend Show Chorus**, Bonnie McKibben\*
- 1974 **Honolulu Boy Choir**, Roy and Nyle Hallman\*
- 1961 **Honolulu Children’s Opera Chorus**, Eileen Lum\*
- Honolulu Chinese Christian Choir**, Joyce Liao
- 1965 **Honolulu Chorale**, Don and Mary Altman\*
- 1971 **Honolulu Ensemble Singers**, Joseph Hansen\*
- Honolulu Men’s Chorus**, Bob Kamrow\*  
*Other directors include* John Lehrack, Timothy Carney, Andrew Thomas, Larry Cross, Danette Kong, and Bruce Howell
- 1978 **Honolulu Symphony Chorus**, Sidney Rothstein\*  
*Other directors include* Zillah Young, Ernie Veniegas,
- Douglas Engelhardt, Timothy Carney, Karen Kennedy, Esther Yoo
- 1963 **Kailua Madrigals**, Shigeru Hotoke
- Kamehameha Alumni Glee Club**, Dorothy Gillette\*  
*Other directors include* Debbie Kelsey, Aaron Mahi, Nola Nāhulu
- Kamehameha Boys Glee**, Dale Noble
- Kamehameha Girls Glee**, Robert Nelson
- Kanikapila Singers**, Marilyn Liu Kim\*
- 2006 **Kapolei Chorale**, Doris Dudley\*
- 1997 **Kawaiolaonāpukanileo**, Nola Nāhulu\*
- 2011 **La Sorellanza Women’s Chorus**, Diane Koshi\*
- 1973 **Maile Aloha Singers**, KCC, Robert Engle\*
- 2002 **Masterworks Chorale**, *created to sing Mozart Requiem for 9/11 1st year anniversary A national project for the rolling requiem*
- Mele Mai Ka Pu‘uwai Mai**, Marilyn Liu Kim\*
- 1995 **O‘ahu Choral Society**, Timothy Carney\* and Joe McAlister\* *Other directors* Karen Kennedy, Esther Yoo
- 2001 **Pacific Rim Children’s Chorus Festival**, Wanda Gereben\*
- Salinga Singers**, Ruth Pfeiffer\*
- Samoan Heralds**, Nada Marriott\*
- 1947 **Sounds of Aloha Chorus**, Bonnie McKibben
- St. Andrew’s Priory** *Other directors include* John McCreary, Wanda Gereben, Suzanne Ka‘upu, Vicki Gorman, Diane Koshi, Dian Hermes, Deanna Turner, Naomi Castro.
- St. Christopher’s Episcopal Church.** *Other directors include* Fay Schirmer Domke, Wanda Gereben, Tim Carney, and David Hicken
- Sweet Adelines Hawai‘i, Na Leo Lani**, Christine Wee
- 2012 **The Gay Men’s Chorus of Honolulu**, John Lehrack\*
- 2008 **The Honolulu Chamber Choir**, Esther Yoo\*, O‘ahu Choral Society
- 2012 **The Women’s Chorus of Honolulu**, John Lehrack\*
- 2007 **Voices of Aloha**, Mark Yasuhara\*
- 2008 **Windward Choral Society**, Susan McCreary Duprey\*
- 2011 **8Zero8**, Mark Conching\*

## O‘ahu Choral Directors of the Past

† *deceased*

|                       |   |                        |   |
|-----------------------|---|------------------------|---|
| John Alexander        | Lutheran Church of Honolulu   | Shigeru Hotoke †       | Kailua High School; Kailua Madrigals & The Gleemen of Honolulu, <i>founder</i>                        |
| Barbara Almquist      | St. John Lutheran Church  | Ethel Iwasaki          | Kalani High School  |
| Camille Almy †        | Windward United Church of Christ,<br>Windward Messiah Sing-Along  | Justin Kaupu           | Kapolei High School   |
| Don Altman †          | The Honolulu Chorale  | Suzanne Kaupu †        | St. Andrew’s Priory, Hawai‘i Children’s Chorus, Kamehameha Schools-Kapālama                           |
| Allen Bauchle         | Lutheran Church of Honolulu,<br>Our Redeemer Lutheran School  | Karen Kennedy          | University of Hawai‘i-Mānoa, Honolulu Symphony Chorus, O‘ahu Choral Society                           |
| Lauren Chang-Williams | Sacred Hearts Academy   | Marilyn Liu Kim        | Leeward Community College   |
| Les Ceballos          | Kamehameha Schools-Kapālama   | Henry “Bud” Klein      | Waikeola Congregational Church  |
| Mark Conching         | Sounds of Aloha   | Diane Koshi            | Mid-Pacific Institute, Hawai‘i Youth Opera Chorus, St. Andrew’s Priory                                |
| Don Conover           | Church of the Crossroads, Honolulu Chorale  | Richard Larson         | Kamehameha Schools-Kapālama   |
| Jeffrey Cooper        | University of Hawai‘i-Mānoa, Punahou School   | Noël Lovelace          | Central Union Church  |
| Carl Crosier †        | Lutheran Church of Honolulu; Bach Chamber Choir, Founder; Early Music Hawai‘i, Artistic Director                          | Eileen Lum             | Honolulu Children’s Opera Chorus, Hawai‘i Ecumenical Chorale  |
| Larry Cross           | Punahou School, Honolulu Men’s Chorus, Holy Nativity Church   | Joe McAlister †        | University of Hawai‘i-Mānoa, Honolulu Chorale   |
| Eunice DeMello        | Parish of St. Clement   | John McCreary †        | St. Andrew’s Cathedral, St. Andrew’s Priory, ‘Iolani School; Cathedral Choral Society, <i>founder</i> |
| Faye Domke †          | St. Christopher’s Episcopal Church  | Robert Mondoy          | St. John Vianney  |
| Lina Doo †            | Kapi‘olani Community College  | Gloria Moore Faltstrom | Windward Community College  |
| Christine Eilers      | Hawai‘i Youth Opera Chorus, Windward United Church of Christ, Our Redeemer and Our Savior Lutheran Schools                | Robert Nelson          | Kamehameha Girls Glee, Holy Nativity  |
| Robert Engle          | Maile Aloha Singers, Kapi‘olani Community College   | Dale Noble †           | Kamehameha Boys Glee  |
| Doug Engelhart †      | Honolulu Symphony Chorus, Hawai‘i Opera Chorus  | Corey Overland         | Punahou School  |
| Hinano Felmet         | Waipahu High School Chorus  | Robert Peters          | Punahou School  |
| Melvin Gallagher †    | Central Union Church  | Joseph Pettit          | St. Andrew’s Cathedral, Central Union Church  |
| Sangeet Gellhorn      | Unitarian Church, Central Union Church, Temple Emanu-El   | Ruth Pfeiffer †        | Salinga Singers   |
| Wanda Gereben         | St. Andrew’s Priory; Honolulu Chorale; Hawai‘i Children’s Chorus & Pacific Rim Children’s Chorus Festival, <i>founder</i> | Norman Rian †          | University of Hawai‘i-Mānoa, Leeward Community College  |
| Dorothy K. Gillett †  | University of Hawai‘i-Mānoa, Kamehameha Alumni Glee Club  | Aaron Salā             | Windward Community College, Hawai‘i Youth Opera Chorus  |
| Vicki Gorman          | St. Andrew’s Priory, Punahou School   | Rachel Samet           | University of Hawai‘i-Mānoa   |
| John Graham           | Hawai‘i School for Girls  | Sybil Schoenstein      | Kaumakapili Church  |
| Roy Hallman †         | Central Union Church; Honolulu Boy Choir, <i>founder</i>  | James Smith            | Brigham Young University-Hawai‘i, Lā‘ie   |
| Joseph Hansen         | Honolulu Ensemble Singers   | Robert Sonamura †      | Roosevelt High School, Washington Intermediate School   |
| Robert Hartley        | Sounds of Aloha   | Arlan Sunnarborg       | St. Andrew’s Cathedral  |
| Dian Hermes           | St. Andrew’s Priory   | Robert Springer        | Kamehameha Schools-Kapālama   |
| David Hicken          | St. Christopher’s Episcopal Church  | Kala‘i Stern           | Hawai‘i Pacific University, United Methodist Church, Honolulu Boy Choir                               |
| Robert Hines          | University of Hawai‘i-Mānoa; Founder, ACDA-Hawai‘i Chapter  | Malcolm Tait           | University of Hawai‘i-Mānoa, Lutheran Church of Honolulu  |
| Timothy Ho            | Kamehameha Schools-Kapālama   | Beth Uale              | Hawai‘i Youth Opera Chorus, Chaminade University Singers  |
| Leila Hohu †          | Kamehameha Schools-Kapālama, Kaumakapili Church   | Chad Williams          | Saint Louis High School, Hawai‘i Youth Opera Chorus, Le Jardin Academy                                |
| Martha Hohu †         | St. Andrew’s Priory, Kaumakapili Church   | Zillah Young †         | Kamehameha Concert Choir, Honolulu Symphony Chorus, HOT Chorus, First Presbyterian Church             |



## Some Major Works performed in Hawai‘i

|             |  |               |  |
|-------------|--|---------------|--|
| Alexander   | Requiem  | McCreary      | E Ke Makua E ( <i>Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis in Hawaiian</i> ) |
| Bach        | Mass in B Minor  | McCreary      | Hallowed is Thy Dwelling   |
| Bach        | Cantatas ( <i>numerous</i> )   | McCreary      | Hawaiian Mass  |
| Bach        | St. John Passion   | McCreary      | Hawaiian Te Deum   |
| Bach        | St. Mathew Passion   | McCreary      | Jazz Mass  |
| Bach        | Magnificat in D, Magnificat in E-flat  | McCreary      | Missa Puer Natus   |
| Beethoven   | Ninth Symphony   | McCreary      | Na Ke Akua Oe E Kia‘i  |
| Beethoven   | Mass in C, Symphony No. 9  | McCreary      | Prayer of St. Francis  |
| Bernstein   | Chichester Psalms  | McCreary      | Psalm 23 in Hawaiian   |
| Brahms      | Schicksalslied, Nänie  | McCreary      | St Andrew Mass   |
| Brahms      | Missa Canonica   | McCreary      | Te Deum  |
| Brahms      | Requiem  | McCreary      | The Lord’s Prayer (in Hawaiian & English)                        |
| Britten     | Rejoice in the Lamb  | McCreary      | Tu Es Sacerdos   |
| Britten     | Ceremony of Carols   | McCreary      | Vexilla Regis  |
| Britten     | Hymn to St. Cecilia  | Mechem        | Seven Joys of Christmas  |
| Britten     | Missa Brevis   | Mendelssohn   | Elijah   |
| Britten     | Noye’s Fludde  | Mendelssohn   | Psalm 42, Hebrides Overture                                      |
| Britten     | St. Nicolas  | Monteverdi    | Vespers of 1610  |
| Bruckner    | Mass in E minor  | Mozart        | Coronation Mass  |
| Bruckner    | Te Deum  | Mozart        | Great Mass in C minor  |
| Buxtehude   | In dulci jubilo  | Mozart        | Litaniae Lauretanae  |
| Buxtehude   | Magnificat   | Mozart        | Requiem  |
| Buxtehude   | Sicut Moses exaltavit serpentem  | Mozart        | Venite Populi  |
| Buxtehude   | Wachet auf, ruft uns die Stimme  | Mozart        | Vesperae Solennes de Confessore                                  |
| Charpentier | Magnificat   | Mozart        | Vesperae de Dominica   |
| Charpentier | Messe de Minuit pour Noël  | Olsson        | Te Deum  |
| Cherubini   | Requiem in C minor   | Orff          | Carmina Burana   |
| Durufé      | Missa cum jubilo   | Pachelbel, C. | Magnificat   |
| Durufé      | Requiem  | Pachelbel, J. | Magnificat   |
| Dvorak      | Te Deum  | Parker        | Hora Novissima   |
| Fauré       | Requiem  | Pärt Berliner | Magnificat   |
| Gabrieli    | In ecclesiis   | Pärt Berliner | Mass   |
| Gjelo       | Sunrise Mass   | Pergolesi     | Stabat Mater   |
| Hallock     | Centennial Te Deum   | Poulenc       | Gloria   |
| Hallock     | Exsultate Deo  | Prokofiev     | Alexander Nevsky   |
| Hallock     | The Last Judgment  | Puccini       | Messa di Gloria  |
| Hallock     | The Song of Moses  | Ramirez       | Misa Criolla   |
| Handel      | Gloria   | Rossini       | Stabat Mater   |
| Handel      | Messiah  | Rutter        | Mass of the Children   |
| Handel      | Ode for the Birthday of Queen Anne   | Rutter        | Requiem  |
| Handel      | Paukenmesse (Kettle Drum Mass)   | Rutter        | Gloria   |
| Handel      | Solomon  | Saint-Saëns   | Christmas Oratorio   |
| Handel      | Israel in Egypt  | Schubert      | Mass in G  |
| Haydn       | Harmoniemesse  | Schumann      | Das Paradies und Die Peri  |
| Haydn       | Lord Nelson Mass   | Suter         | Le Laudi di San Francesco d’Assisi                               |
| Haydn       | Mass in Time of War  | Telemann      | Deutsches Magnificat   |
| Haydn       | Missa Brevis in F  | Verdi         | Requiem  |
| Haydn       | Missa Brevis Sancti Joannis de Deo   | Verdi         | Stabat Mater   |
| Haydn       | St. Nicholas Mass  | Verdi         | Te Deum  |
| Haydn       | The Creation   | Vivaldi       | Gloria   |
| Haydn       | Theresienmesse   | Vivaldi       | Magnificat   |
| Howells     | Evening Canticles ( <i>Collegium Regale, St. Paul’s Gloucester Service</i> ) | Walton        | Belshazzar’s Feast   |
| Josquin     | Missa Pange Lingua   | Williams      | Dona Nobis Pacem   |
| Kuhnau      | Magnificat in C major  | Williams      | Five Mystical Songs  |
| LaMontaine  | Shepherds’ Play  | Williams      | Mass in G minor  |
| LaMontaine  | Wonder Tidings   | Williams      | Toward the Unknown Region  |
| Mahler      | Symphony No. 2   | Zelenka       | Magnificat in C  |
|             |  | Zelenka       | Magnificat in D  |



## Active Choral Directors on O‘ahu Today

### College and University Choral Directors

|                         |   |
|-------------------------|---|
| Michael Belnap          | Brigham Young University-Lā‘ie              |
| Ka‘ala Carmack          | Windward Community College                  |
| Dr. Timothy Carney      | Chaminade University                        |
| Dr. Miguel Felipe       | University of Hawai‘i-Mānoa                 |
| Beth Kammerer           | Brigham Young University-Lā‘ie              |
| Mike Lippert            | University of Hawai‘i-Mānoa                 |
| Jon Magnussen           | University of Hawai‘i-West O‘ahu            |
| Nola Nāhulu             | University of Hawai‘i-Mānoa                 |
| Soo Yuen “Sharon” Myung | Leeward Community College                   |
| Jeremy Wong             | Kap‘iolani Community College, UH-West O‘ahu |
| Dr. Esther Yoo          | Hawai‘i Pacific University                  |

### O‘ahu High School Choral Directors

|                    |                              |
|--------------------|------------------------------|
| Shari Lynn Acebedo | La Pietra School for Girls   |
| John Alexander     | ‘Iolani School               |
| Rhona Barbosa      | Moanalua High School         |
| Natalie Capino     | St. Francis High School      |
| Naomi Castro       | St. Andrew’s Priory          |
| Phil Hidalgo,      | HYOC, Sacred Hearts Academy  |
| Lee Ikeda          | Pearl City High School       |
| Keane Ishii        | Milliani High School         |
| Randy Kamisato     | Leilehua High School         |
| Debbie Kelsey      | University Laboratory School |
| Patrick Koh        | Christian Academy            |
| Michael Lee        | Hawaiian Mission Academy     |
| Jacosa Limutau     | Kahuku High School           |
| Michael Lippert    | Punahou School               |
| James Mares        | Assets School                |
| John Riggle        | Kailua High School           |
| Aaron Scholtz      | Kapolei High School          |
| Alec Schumacker    | Sacred Hearts Academy        |
| Marty Smith        | Le Jardin Academy            |
| Amanda Suiso       | Kalani High School           |
| Natasha Taketa     | McKinley High School         |
| Kalua Tataipu      | Kamehameha Schools-Kapālama  |
| Mary Taylor        | Farrington High School       |
| Alethea Train      | Mid-Pacific Institute        |
| Randal Vause       | Nānākuli High School         |
| Joy Wasmundt       | Hanalani School              |
| Steve Wilcox       | Kaimuki Christian School     |
| Celia Wright       | Mid-Pacific Institute        |
| Todd Yokotake      | Hawai‘i Baptist Academy      |
| Bobby Yu           | Kaimuki High School          |

### Elementary and Intermediate Choral Directors

|                          |  |
|--------------------------|--|
| John Alexander           | ‘Iolani School                             |
| Lynelle Bright           | Kamehameha Schools-Kapālama, Elementary    |
| Wendy Chang              | Maryknoll Elementary                       |
| Pamela DeBoard           | HEARTS                                     |
| Mia-Amor                 | Kamehameha Schools-Kapālama, Middle School |
| Evaimalo Porreca         | Middle School                              |
| Julianne Hiu             | Maryknoll Intermediate                     |
| Kendal Ledesma           | Kaimuki Middle School                      |
| Amanda Lippert           | Punahou School                             |
| Karen Miyamoto           | Makalapa Elementary, Kapālama Elementary   |
| Stacey Mailelauli‘i Naki | Kawai Hona School                          |
| Marlene Patton           | Punahou School                             |
| John Roberts             | Punahou School                             |
| Alicia Scanlan           | Punahou School                             |
| Jolinda Susilo           | Punahou School                             |

### O‘ahu Community Chorus Directors

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| Timothy Carney        | Hawai‘i Vocal Arts Ensemble                              |
| Mark Conching,        | 8Zero8   |
| Pamela DeBoard        | HEARTS   |
| Multiple Directors    | Hawaiian Civic Choruses                                  |
| Doris Dudley          | Kapolei Chorale  |
| Susan McCreary Duprey | Windward Choral Society, Kona Choral Society             |
| Desiree Fernandez     | Hawai‘i Youth Chorus                                     |
| Bruce Howell          | Honolulu Men’s Chorus                                    |
| Bryce Irvine          | HEARTS   |
| David Kayner          | Cantores Hemolele  |
| Debbie Kelsey         | Kamehameha Alumni Glee Club                              |
| Marilyn Kim           | Mele Mai Ka Pu‘uwai Mai                                  |
| Diane Koshi           | La Sorellanza, St. Louis Boy Choir                       |
| John Lehrack          | The Gay Men’s Chorus of Honolulu                         |
| John Lehrack          | The Women’s Chorus of Honolulu                           |
| Joyce Liao            | Honolulu Chinese Christian Chorus                        |
| Aaron Mahi            | Kamehameha Alumni Glee Club                              |
| Bonnie McKibben       | Sounds of Aloha Chorus                                   |
| Bonnie McKibben       | Honolulu Blend Show Chorus, Sweet Adelines International |
| Nola Nāhulu           | Hawai‘i Youth Opera Chorus, Kawaiolaonāpukanileo         |
| Karol Nowicki         | Early Music Hawai‘i                                      |
| Kaimi Pelekai         | The Honolulu Boy Choir                                   |
| Christine Wee         | Na Leo Lanī, Sweet Adelines International                |
| Dan Werning           | Hawai‘i Sacred Choir                                     |
| Jeremy Wong           | Honolulu Chorale   |
| Mark Yasuhara         | Aloha Community Choir                                    |
| Esther Yoo            | O‘ahu Choral Society, Honolulu Symphony Chorus           |

### O‘ahu Church Choir and Sacred Music Directors

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| Ken Aronowitz       | Temple Emanu-El                              |
| Karl Bachman        | Our Redeemer Lutheran Church                 |
| Ka‘ala Carmack      | Kaumakapili Church                           |
| Timothy Carney      | St. John Lutheran Church                     |
| Angie Carr          | Church of the Crossroads                     |
| Mary Chesnut Hicks  | First Presbyterian Church                    |
| Mike Dupré          | St. Mark’s Episcopal Church                  |
| Miguel Felipe       | Lutheran Church of Honolulu                  |
| Sangeet Gellhorn    | Temple Emanu-El                              |
| John Hagen          | Kailua United Methodist Church               |
| Robert Hartley      | Makiki Christian Church                      |
| Russell Ishida      | Nu‘uanu Congregational Church                |
| Leigh Johansen      | St. Christopher’s Episcopal Church           |
| Shari Leohone Magno | St. Peter’s Episcopal Church                 |
| Aaron Mahi          | Hawai‘i Ecumenical Chorale                   |
| Nada Marriott       | Nu‘uanu Congregational Church                |
| Robert Mondoy       | St. John Vianney Church                      |
| John Mount          | Kailua United Methodist Church               |
| Nola Nāhulu         | Kawaioha‘o Church, Hongwanji Choral Festival |
| Helen Noh-Lee       | Community Church of Honolulu                 |
| Grant Okamura       | Olivet Baptist Church                        |
| Tom Poole           | Calvary by the Sea Lutheran Church           |
| John Renke          | The Cathedral of St. Andrew                  |
| Alec Schumacker     | Central Union Church                         |
| Kepa Stern          | St. Anthony’s Church                         |
| Doc Wilson          | Christ Church Uniting                        |



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Kawaiaha‘o Church, established in 1836, had the first organized choir in Hawai‘i with 24 members.

Choral directors of note include:

**Hiram Bingham**, the first minister of Kawaiaha‘o Church  
**Queen Lili‘uokalani**, who also played the organ  
**Henri Berger**, Bandmaster, Royal Hawaiian Band  
**David Kalama**, most prolific composer of Hawaiian anthems  
**Sen. Daniel Akaka**, U. S. Senator (retired)  
**Nola Nāhulu**, present director

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