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Mark your calendar! Russell's next concert will be on Sunday, May 18, 2025 at 2:00 PM.

Donations collected after the concert will go to Sister Paulanne's Needy Family Fund.







Pilgrims of Hope

A Prayer Concert

Directed by Russell Stern

with the

OLPH Festival Choir

&
The Children's Choir

Featuring
Russell Stern - Piano
Santi Robles-Berthier - Cello
Matthew Nerenberg - Oboe
Anthony Kawalkowski - Violin
Brian Poshard - Guitar

Presented by Guild 22

Our Lady of Perpetual Help Church 1775 Grove Street, Glenview Sunday, March 16, 2025 at 2:00 pm



Program

He Watching Over Israel from *Elijah*, Op. 70 Felix Mendelssohn

The Lord is My Shepherd from *Requiem* John Rutter

Pie Jesu from *Requiem* John Rutter

Laura Ashley - Soprano

Out of the Deep from Requiem John Rutter

God of the Deep Dan Forrest

Song of the Wanderer Dan Forrest

Sholom Dan Forrest

Alison O'Brien - Soprano Doug Welch - Tenor

Blessing of Return Words by Jay O'Brien
Music by Russell Stern

Ernesto Valenzuela - Baritone

Callum Brueck, Jenna Muskivitch & Emma Mason - Youth Cantors

Home Russell Stern

Living Hope Phil Wickham

Margaret Pasquesi - Soprano

-Intermission-





Gabriel's Oboe from the *Mission* Ennio and Andrea Morricone Matthew Nerenberg - Oboe

Lux Beata Trinitas Ola Gjeilo

St. Thomas Aquinas Merry Beggars (saintspodcast.com)

recited by Thomas Tirpak

Cello Concerto in E Minor, Op. 85 Edward Elgar

1. Adagio-Moderato

Santi Robles-Berthier - Cello

Pilgrims of Hope Poem written and recited by Margie André

Pilgrims of Hope Original text: Pierangelo Sequeri

Music: Francesco Meneghello

Margie Andre and Elizabeth Collins - Sopranos

Julie Sampson - Alto

Hope of the Nations Brian Doerksen

Brian Poshard - Vocals and Guitar

Jacquie O'Brien - Alto

Hope is the Thing With Feathers Words by Emily Dickinson

Music by Penny Rodriguez

OLPH Children's Choir

Lord of All Hopefulness Edward Eicker

OLPH Combined Children's Choir and Festival Choir

We'll Rise Above Words by Jeannine Lasky

Music by Masa Fukuda

Kaylee Lentino- Soprano

Anna Pataky and Stephanie Tirpak - Teen cantors OLPH Combined Children's Choir and Festival Choir

