

THE WARTBURG CHOIR

Dr. Lee Nelson, conductor
Carter Horman '28, piano

Shadows of the Living Light

Homecoming Concert 2026

Phos Hilaron (excerpt from *The Song of the Light* – Phos Hilaron) Owain Park

Knowee (*Sun Spirit of the Great South Land*) Stephen Leek

Gaude et Lactare (from *Cantiones Sacrae, 1619*) Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck

Sung in Latin

*Rejoice and be glad, O Jerusalem; behold, your King is coming:
whom the Prophets foretold, whom the Angels adore,
whom Cherubim and Seraphim proclaim, Holy, Holy, Holy.
- Antiphon for Second Vespers on the Feast of the Nativity*

Credo in Spiritum Sanctum, IIIId. (from *Missa Rigensis*) Uģis Prauliņš

Sung in Latin

*I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord and giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son;
who with the Father and the Son is worshipped and glorified, who spoke through the Prophets.
I believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. I acknowledge one baptism for the remission of sins.
And I look for the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come.
Amen.*

In Peace and Joy James Fritschel '52

*Dedicated to the life and work of Dr. James Fritschel, member of the
Wartburg Choir from 1949-1952 and conductor of the choir from 1968-1983.*

So Breaks the Sun Shavon Lloyd

*So breaks the sun earth's rugged chains, wherein rude winter bound her veins;
So grows both stream and source of price, that lately fettered were with ice.
So naked trees get crisped heads, and colored coats the roughest meads,
And all get vigor, youth, and sprite, that are but looked on by his light.*

- Ben Jonson (1572-1637)

O! What a Beautiful City arr. Shawn Kirchner

Hark, I Hear the Harps Eternal arr. Alice Parker

*Give Me Jesus arr. L.L. Fleming

**Wartburg Choir alumni are invited onto the risers and into the circle to sing.*

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