

ABOUT | *sounding light*

Known for its inspiring and illuminating performances, *sounding light* was recently honored with the invitation to perform at the 2017 National Convention of the American Choral Directors Association. Led by its founder, Tom Trenney, *sounding light* is committed to offering its members a spiritual and holistic approach to ensemble singing while offering its listeners a compelling and timeless experience with the choral art. Since its birth in 2003, *sounding light* has been privileged to sing with Anton Armstrong, David Davidson, Joseph Flummerfelt, Stacey Gibbs, Alice Parker, and William Weinert, and has premiered works by Carmen Cavallaro, David DiChiera, Stacey Gibbs, Jake Runestad, Tom Trenney, and Anne Wilson. As part of its fifteenth anniversary celebration in 2017-18, *sounding light* released its fourth CD recording - *Unclouded Day*. www.soundinglight.org

ABOUT | Tom Trenney - conductor



Tom Trenney is grateful to be in his 16th season as conductor of *sounding light*, an ensemble he founded in 2003. As Minister of Music to First-Plymouth Church in Lincoln, Nebraska, Tom leads four adult choirs, accompanies the congregation in worship, and preaches. In March 2017, *sounding light* and another of Tom's choirs were honored to sing for the National Convention of the ACDA in Minneapolis, Minnesota. His choral compositions are sung by collegiate and church choirs across the country. In fall 2018, Tom serves as visiting conductor of the Wartburg Choir and as Artistic Director of *Christmas With Wartburg* at Wartburg College in Waverly, Iowa. In spring 2019, he will be visiting conductor of the Doane University Choir in Crete, Nebraska.

www.tomtrenney.com

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The Chamber Choir of *Many Voices...One Song*
Tom Trenney, *Conductor*

Many Voices...One Song

Many Voices...One Song is a non-profit arts organization based in the Metro-Detroit area whose mission is to build community by sharing meaningful musical experiences.

www.manyvoicesonesong.org

2018-19 CONCERT SEASON



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*“Darkness cannot
drive out darkness;
only light can do that.
Hate cannot drive out hate;
only love can do that.”*

- Martin Luther King Jr.

SAVE THE DATE FEBRUARY 1, 2019

A shining night of cabaret, music, art and
silent auction to benefit *Many Voices...One
Song* and Gleaners Community Food Bank

Details and ticket information:
www.manyvoicesonesong.org
www.gcfb.org

For concert information, available recordings and
opportunities to support *sounding light*, please visit:

www.soundinglight.org
www.facebook.com/SoundingLightChamberChoir



PIETÀ by John Muehleisen

Friday, March 15 - 7:30 p.m.
featuring Stoney Creek High School Choir
Cathedral of St. John the Evangelist
Cleveland, OH

Saturday, March 16 - 7:00 p.m.
featuring Stoney Creek High School Choir
Our Shepherd Lutheran Church,
Birmingham, MI

Sunday, March 17 - 4:00 p.m.
featuring Stoney Creek High School Choir
First Presbyterian Church
Flint, MI

Monday, March 18 - 7:30 p.m.
featuring Stoney Creek High School Choir
St. Lorenz Church
Frankenmuth, MI

John Muehleisen's poignant and moving **Pietà** expresses how love, compassion, and mercy may become the faithful human response to tragedy and injustice. This deep, meaningful work addresses, in concentric circles, the sorrow and pain of mothers who lose their sons — the innermost being the death of Mary's son, Jesus; next, the loss of a World War I soldier; and the outermost, our losses today and the importance of healing and forgiveness in this divided world.

Lindsay Kesselman and **Brian Giebler** return as featured soloists as *sounding light* offers the Michigan and Ohio premieres of this inspired and important work.

WE WILL RISE

Friday, May 31 - 7:30 p.m.
featuring Renaissance Voices
Cherry Hill Presbyterian Church
Dearborn, MI

Saturday, June 1 - 7:30 p.m.
featuring Dakota High School Choir
First United Methodist Church
Birmingham, MI

Sunday, June 2 - 4:00 p.m.
featuring Huron High School Choir
First Unitarian Universalist Church
Ann Arbor, MI

Monday, June 3 - 7:30 p.m.
*featuring St. Thomas Episcopal
Church Choir, Battle Creek*
St. Luke's Episcopal Church
Kalamazoo, MI

The glorious voices of *sounding light* offer an uplifting program that carries a message of resilience, renewal, rebirth, and resurrection. The inspiring music of J.S. Bach, Ralph Vaughan Williams, Moses Hogan, Craig Hella Johnson, Abbie Betinis, and Tom Trenney alongside beloved hymns, spirituals, and folk songs promises to lift our spirits, revive our souls, and restore our hope.

Come to hear compelling music and an empowering message of the triumph of life and love.