

St. Peter Cathedral

Erie, Pennsylvania

Dedication Concert Series



MARILYN MASON January 15 4:00 p.m. — Univesity Organist and Chairman of the Organ Department, University of Michigan, Ann

Arbor. Doctorate in Sacred Music from Union Theological Seminary. Has taught at Columbia University and Union Theological Seminary, New York. Distinguished Faculty Achievement Award in 1972 from the University of Michigan. Distinguished recitalist, teacher, judge of organ competition and recording artists. She has performed on five continents and was the first woman organist to play in Westminister Abbey. ROBERT GRIFFITH February 12 4:00 p.m. — Assistant Professor of Music at Ohio Wesleyan University. Delaware, Ohio. Studied at Ohio



Wesleyan, the University of Michigan and the University of Illinois. Went to the Royal Academy of Music in London on a Fulbright Scholarship and won second prize at the Fourth International Organ Festival at St. Albans, England, in 1967. Has been a recitalist in the United States. England and West Germany. Mr. Griffith serves as organist at the First Community Church in Columbus, Ohio.

PETER HURFORD March 8 8:00 p.m. — Master of the Music at the Cathedral and Abbey Church of Saint Alban in England. Founder



and Artistic Director of the Inter-nations Organ Festival. Studied music at the Royal College of Music and Cambridge University. Has recorded eighteen albums, has played to excellent reviews world-wide. Termed "the best Bach player in England and one of the best anywhere." Believes that "the organ is capable of as much finesse as the violin"

and displays this in his performances.



JEAN LANGLAIS April 23 4:00 p.m. — Organist at Ste. Clotilde in Paris, First Prize Paris Conservatoire: Doctor of Music.

Texas Christian University; Former member of the faculty of the Institute des Jeunes Avuegles and Scola Cantorum. Paris. Composer, organ virtuoso. improvisor and master teacher. Officer of the French Legion of Honor and Palmes Academiques. Prix Rossini, Grand Priz du Disque, Order of St. Gregory, Rene Coty Award.

Organist and Music Director

William Herring has been music director at Saint Peters since 1971.

He studied music at the Cleveland Institute of Music, the University of Windsor, Duquesne University and the University of Pittsburgh.

Prior to coming to Erie he held positions at St. Thomas Church Cleveland, Ohio; St. Sebastian Church and Holy Innocents Church in Pittsburgh.

Besides his duties here at the Cathedral he is Executive Director of the Liturgical Commission for the Diocese of Erie and is on the Executive Board for the National Association of Cathedral Organists.

In the past he has served on the Commissions Committee for the Composers' Forum, and on the advisory board for the music in the new Sacramentary. Served on the music faculty at Mercyhurst College for two years.

He has published a booklet entitled The Role of Music in the New Rite of the Roman Liturgy which is now in its fourth printing by the American Catholic Press.

Mr. Herring will be presenting an organ recital April II as Artist-in-Residence fo Gannon College here at the Cathedral.

Senior Choir

SOPRANOS

Bulku, Susanne Caruso, Evelyn Dressner, Diane Gausman, Katherine Glowacki, Roberta Hemme, Shirley Kinsinger, Bonnie Kowalczyk, Nicoletta Lynch, Eileen Malene, Lori McLaughlin, Jeanne Postek, Linda Sicari, Annette Snider, Henrietta Wolff, Barbara

TENORS

Donatucci, Vincent Spacht, David McManus, John Tellers, John Herbst, Richard Kelvington, James .

ALTOS

Fischer, Nancy Fitting, Leslie Herring, Patricia Kelvington, Elaine Kwiatek, Karen Leopold, Virginia Scalise, Katherine Whitney, Diane

BASSES

Fraser, Robert Kuntz, Joseph M. Moser, Walter Shank, Harold Timon, Harold Fischer, Paul Kordowski, Joseph Leopold, John Weaver, leffrey Hunkele, James

Men and Boys Choir

TREBLES

Allshouse, Todd Crowner, Brian Ebach, Gary Galla, Jay Hall, Thomas Hartmann, Vincent Hollodnak, Jeffrey Hubler, James Kerner, Michael King, David Lillis, Terry Matz. Robert Overfield, Dane Palmisano, John Phillips, William Rinehardt, John Riely, Francis Rogers, Michael Scarpelli, Edward

Shields, Christopher Stroh, Michael Wright, Christopher

BASSES

Clementi, Sal Guzy, Anthony Kerner, Ronald Kuntz, Joseph Leopold, John Quirk, William Weaver, Jeffrey **TENORS**

Przepasniak, lames Riely, Frank Scalise, Charles