# **Calgary Philharmonic Chorus**

# 2023-2024 Season Auditions (Returning and New Choristers – all voice parts)

Thank you for your interest in pursuing musical excellence and making a difference in the Calgary community through performance with the Calgary Philharmonic Chorus. We are delighted to have an opportunity to hear you sing and to get to know you as a musician. Although auditions can be challenging, we will be looking at the whole picture, which includes your potential for growth. Thorough preparation will help you to do your best.

Sincerely, Brendan Lord Interim Chorus Director Evan Mounce Assistant Chorus Master Calgary Philharmonic Chorus

# How to Apply

Please follow the link <u>here</u> to complete the <u>online Application Form</u> before the **deadline** of May 26, 2023. The Calgary Philharmonic will contact candidates directly by email or phone to take part in auditions.

### **Audition Process**

Each individual audition will last 10 minutes. You will be asked to perform the following and will be accompanied on the piano:

- 1. Sing a series of simple vocal exercises to display your vocal range, colour, and timbre.
- 2. Sing your own voice part in the prepared piece, "And the Glory of the Lord". Please be prepared to sing on sing to a neutral syllable of your choice (eg. lah, nah, loo, noo), as well as on the text.
  - NEW MEMBERS "And the Glory of the Lord" from Handel, Messiah (see attached).
  - RETURNING MEMBERS "Coronation Te Deum" by William Walton bars 141-186 (see attached)
- 3. Sing-back intervals and short melodies played on the piano.
- 4. Sight-read a brief melody.

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In the audition, we will evaluate the following:

- 1. Vocal timbre, colour, and range.
- 2. Intonation.
- 3. Rhythm.
- 4. Ability to follow musical instructions.
- 5. Flexibility and ability to learn.

#### **Audition Schedule**

Auditions to take place:

Tuesday, May 30: 6:30pm – 9:30pm Tuesday, June 6: 6:30pm – 9:30pm Wednesday, June 7: 2:00pm – 4:30pm, 6:30pm – 9:30pm Tuesday, June 13: 6:30pm – 9:30pm Wednesday, June 14: 2:00pm – 4:30pm, 6:30pm – 9:30pm

#### **Chorus Fees**

An annual fee of \$200 is charged for membership in the Calgary Philharmonic Chorus. The fee is payable at the beginning of each season or in two installments and is payable to the **Calgary Philharmonic Society**.

A \$25 refundable deposit is collected by the music librarians and returned at the end of the season once all Calgary Philharmonic music scores are returned.

The Calgary Philharmonic Chorus is committed to accessibility. Financial assistance is available for those who may require it. Please email Katt Hryciw (Chorus Administrator) at <u>chorus@calgaryphil.com</u> with your request.

1. "And the Glory of the Lord"



"The Messiah" Choruses

George Friderick Handel

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George Friderick Handel "The Messiah" Choruses



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# CORONATION TE DEUM

### COMPOSED FOR THE CORONATION OF

#### H. M. QUEEN ELIZABETH II

IN WESTMINSTER ABBEY

ON TUESDAY, 2 JUNE 1953

#### INSTRUMENTATION

Full orchestra and organ. The triple woodwind may be reduced to double woodwind if necessary. Additional parts for 4 trumpets, 3 trombones, and side-drums are optional. Full score and orchestral parts on hire.

Duration, 7 minutes 45 seconds



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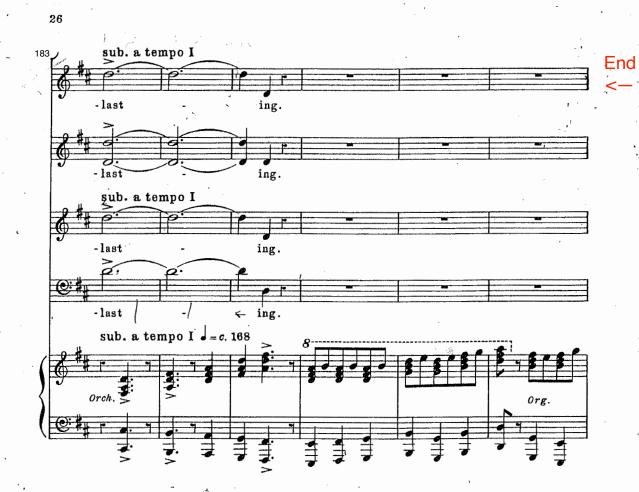








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