

# MILWAUKEE CHORISTERS CHRISTMAS CONCERT

**December 9 and 10, 2005  
St. Jude the Apostle Church**

*The Whole World Sings For Joy* is the theme of this year's Christmas Concert by the Milwaukee Choristers <http://www.milwaukeechoristers.org>. As suggested by the theme, the program will feature music – most sung in English – from cultures that span the globe. It will include a mix of classic and contemporary music and familiar carols.

The 75-voice chorus, under the direction of **Dr. James B. Kinchen, Jr.**, will present the concert on Friday, Dec. 9 and Saturday, Dec. 10, at 8:00 p.m. The chorus will return to St. Jude the Apostle Catholic Church in Wauwatosa at 800 Glenview Ave. (84<sup>th</sup> St.), where it has presented its Christmas concert since 2003.

The Choristers have introduced a season ticket, which includes both the Christmas 2005 and Spring 2006 concerts. That ticket costs \$25 for adults; \$20 for seniors; and \$10 for students.

Adult tickets for the Christmas concert only are \$15 per person. Other options include a senior ticket for \$10 and a student ticket for \$5. Tickets may be purchased from members of the chorus or by calling 414/354-1933.

Cultures whose music will be part of the program include Nigerian; Central and South American; French Canadian; Austrian; Spanish; West Indian and American Negro. The international theme will be reflected in such works as Flor Peeters' arrangements of *Four Flemish Carols* and William Grant Still's 10-selection work, *Christmas in the Western World*. The entire program is posted at the Choristers' website.

A free reception for all attendees will follow the Christmas concert.

All concert seating is general admission.

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