#### 600<sup>th</sup> SHOW!

Jennifer Perez soprano Sarah Nickerson mezzo Tjett Gerdom tenor David Felberg violin Kim Fredenburgh viola Dana Winograd, Lisa Collins cello Jesse Tatum flute Judith Gordon piano

#### Share for flute and piano (2003) Belinda Reynolds (b.1967)

Stabat Mater for string trio and three voices (1985)

Arvo Pärt (b.1935)

## Iris Gersh Spoken Word

Iris Gersh grew up in the Catskills and has lived in Boston, Taos, Fort Lauderdale, Greece, and Albuquerque. Lover of the high desert, avid traveler, writer, and teacher, she has been published in several literary magazines and has written stories for cruiseship magazines. She is in *The Packinghouse Review,* Ekphrastic Issue. She has her MFA from Florida International University and has taught college classes in English Composition and Creative Writing. Since moving to NM, she has trained for eight jobs, sometimes more than once. She serves on the New Mexico State Poetry Society's board and is part of Dime Stories and Fixed and Free readings.

Celebration of Silence :: Two Minutes

Slavonic Fantasy for violin and piano (1914) Antonín Dvorák / Fritz Kreisler (1841–1904) / (1875–1962)

### Bohemian Rhapsody for solo cello, piano and string quartet (1975)

Freddie Mercury (1946–1991) (arr. Brooklyn Duo)

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#### Stabat Mater Arvo Pärt (translation © Hans van der Velden)

Stabat Mater dolorosa luxta crucem lacrimosa Dum pendebat Filius.

Cuius animam gementem Contristatam et dolentem Pertransivit gladius.

O quam tristis et afflicta Fuit illa benedicta Mater unigeniti!

Quae moerebat et dolebat, Pia Mater, dum videbat Nati poenas incliti.

Quis est homo qui non fleret, Matrem Christi si videret In tanto supplicio?

Quis non posset contristari, Christi Matrem contemplari Dolentem cum Filio?

Pro peccatis suae gentis Vidit lesum in tormentis, Et flagellis subditum.

Vidit suum dulcem natum Moriendo desolatum Dum emisit spiritum.

Eja Mater, fons amoris Me sentire vim doloris Fac, ut tecum lugeam.

Fac, ut ardeat cor meum In amando Christum Deum Ut sibi complaceam.

Sancta Mater, istud agas, Crucifixi fige plagas Cordi meo valide.

Tui nati vulnerati, Tam dignati pro me pati, Poenas mecum divide.

Fac me tecum, pie, flere, Crucifixo condolere, Donec ego vixero.

Juxta crucem tecum stare, Et me tibi sociare In planctu desidero.

Virgo virginum praeclara, Mihi jam non sis amara Fac me tecum plangere.

Fac, ut portem Christi mortem Passionis fac consortem, Et plagas recolere.

Fac me plagis vulnerari, Fac me cruce inebriari, Et cruore Filii.

Inflammatus et accensus Per te, Virgo, sim defensus In die iudicii.

Fac me cruce custodiri Morte Christi praemuniri Confoveri gratia.

Quando corpus morietur, Fac, ut animae donetur Paradisi gloria. Amen. The grieving Mother stood weeping beside the cross where her Son was hanging.

Through her weeping soul, compassionate and grieving, a sword passed.

O how sad and afflicted was that blessed Mother of the only-begotten,

who mourned and grieved, seeing and bearing the torment of her glorious child.

Who is it that would not weep, seeing Christ's Mother in such agony?

Who could not feel compassion on beholding the Holy Mother suffering with her Son?

For the sake of his peoples' sins, she saw Jesus tormented, and subjected to whips.

She saw her sweet child die desolate, as he gave up His spirit.

O Mother, fountain of love, make me feel the power of sorrow, that I may grieve with you.

Grant that my heart may burn in the love of Christ my God, that I may greatly please Him.

Holy Mother, make the wounds of the Crucifixion in my own heart.

Let me share the pain of your own wounded Son who chose to suffer so much for me.

Let me weep with you, O pious one, and show compassion for the crucified as long as I live.

I wish to stand with you next to the Cross and to be your companion in lamentation.

Most illustrious virgin of virgins, Do not be harsh with me, allow me to weep with you.

Grant that I might bear the suffering and death of Christ, and receive his wounds.

Wound me with his wounds, make me drunk with the Cross and the blood of your son.

Burning and on fire, let me be defended by you, O Virgin, on the Day of Judgment.

May I be guarded by the cross, protected by Christ's death, nurtured by grace.

When my body dies, let my soul be given the glory of paradise. Amen.

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#### 2002–2008 (the early years)

In 2002, Chatter is organized by David Felberg and Eric Walters, and in 2003 the newly created organization presents the first concert with music of Adams, Schoenberg and Walters, in keeping with the then-mission of presenting music of the last century, with "an emphasis on the Second Viennese School." Over the subsequent five years, Chatter expanded musically in every direction and presented several concerts a year.

## 2008

On February 10, 2008, cellist and Chatter member Felix Wurman begins the Church of Beethoven series at the Filling Station on 4<sup>th</sup> Street in Barelas. Tony Hunt suggests the addition of poetry to the morning and becomes the first CoB poet. Church of Beethoven outgrows the Filling Station and moves to The Kosmos on  $\mathbf{5}^{\text{th}}$  Street.

## 2009

May 24, 2010 – Chatter, A Chamber Ensemble and Church of Beethoven, merge under the legal name Ensemble Music New Mexico. James Shields joins the team as Associate Artistic Director. Chatter inaugurates our annual summer series of free concerts at the series of four free summer concerts at the Albuquerque Museum, a tradition that has continued for eleven years!

Chatter Cabaret is born as Club Beethoven at the Hotel Andaluz.

## 2011

2010

Church of Beethoven becomes Sunday Chatter! Chatter commissions and performs the world premiere of Roberto Sierra's Caprichos to honor the New Mexico Statehood Centennial.

2012

2013

2014

Chatter presents Slow Down Albuquerque, a festival of mindfulness and contemplation through music.

Chatter is the very first organization to hold a public event in the Albuquerque Railyards – a concert of Bach, Schnittke and Part in the old blacksmith shop.

September – Chatter presents a redux of our Railyard concept on top of the Acropolis parking garage downtown. October – After a solid year of sold out performances, Chatter moves a few blocks to Las Puertas on 1<sup>st</sup> Street, our current home, increasing seating by 40%.

Chatter begins our 8<sup>th</sup> floor LateWorks series of occasional late night concerts. Chatter Cabaret moves to the Albuquerque Museum of Art & History.

2016

2015

LateWorks becomes Chatter @ Dialogue!

2017

2018

January of 2018 Chatter (in)SITE Santa Fe series inaugurated. Chatter begins our emerging composer fellowships, Luke Gullickson is the first composer commissioned.

Chatter begins a 16 month Beethoven quartet cycle!

2019

After months of sold out performances, Chatter completes a minor renovation of our space at Las Puertas, adding 20% more seating.

2020