

BELLS AT TEMPLE SQUARE

Life's Journeys

LEANNA WILLMORE
Conductor

GEOFF ANDERSON
Associate Conductor

Friday, June 17, 2022
7:30 p.m.
Salt Lake Tabernacle



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TEMPLE SQUARE ORGANIST

Joseph Peeples

MEMBERS OF THE ORCHESTRA AT TEMPLE SQUARE

Becky Fullmer, *violin*
Emily Rice, *violin/string bass*
Abby Kagie, *viola*
Jonny Stewart, *cello*
Robert Oldroyd, *percussion*

PROGRAM

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WELCOME AND PRAYER

PRAISE

Acclamation in G Minor Karen Thompson

Ring His Glorious Praise. Patrick W. Meyer

Toccatà on "Lobe den Herren" Craig Phillips
Organ Solo

Life's Journey Jason Krug

The King of Love My Shepherd Is. Irish melody St. Columba
arr. Cathy Moglebust

ILLUMINATION

The Italian Symphony Felix Mendelssohn
transcr. Kevin McChesney

Concerto in A Minor (after Vivaldi), BWV 593 ... Johann Sebastian Bach
Allegro

Organ Solo

P R O G R A M

Sabre DanceAram Khachaturian
arr. Martha Lynn Thompson

The Prayer..... Carole Bayer Sager and David Foster
arr. Joel Raney

Soon and Very SoonAndraé Crouch
arr. Hart Morris

Fanfare for the Common ManAaron Copland
Timpani and Organ Duet

CELEBRATION

SpiritfireBenjamin A. Tucker

Jazzin' Kathleen Wissinger

Waltzing MatildaChristina Macpherson
arr. Stephan Koncz

String Quartet

Them Basses Getty H. Huffine
arr. William H. Griffin

Pirates of the Caribbean Klaus Badelt
arr. Kevin McChesney

BIOGRAPHY

BELLS AT TEMPLE SQUARE



In March 2005, a new sound was added to the musical tradition of Temple Square with the creation of the Bells at Temple Square, part of The Tabernacle Choir at Temple Square organization. Like the members of The Tabernacle Choir, Orchestra at Temple Square, and Chorale at Temple Square, all the bell ringers are volunteer musicians. The bell choir holds weekly rehearsals for a variety of performances under conductor LeAnna Willmore and associate conductor Geoff Anderson. These performances include two yearly concerts that showcase the broad spectrum of the handbell repertoire. In addition, the Bells at Temple Square often takes part in the weekly *Music & the Spoken Word* broadcasts of The Tabernacle Choir and plays a major role in the Choir's annual Christmas concerts.

B I O G R A P H Y

LEANNA WILLMORE, Conductor

LeAnna Willmore was named conductor of the Bells at Temple Square in June 2011 after serving as the associate conductor since the formation of the group in 2005. She holds a bachelor of science degree from Weber State University and master of music degree from the University of Utah. A choir teacher in the Utah area for nearly 40 years, she devoted 20 of those years also instructing handbell choirs and serving in various state and national leadership positions. Having won many state awards as a music educator, LeAnna Willmore is a frequent guest conductor and adjudicator. Her husband, Ken, is a retired structural engineer.



GEOFF ANDERSON, Associate Conductor

Geoff Anderson was appointed associate conductor of the Bells at Temple Square in May 2017. He earned his bachelor's degree from Southern Utah University and master's degree from Boston University. He is currently the director of choirs at Fremont High School, with responsibility for vocal ensembles and the handbell choir as well as advanced placement and concurrent enrollment music courses. He is an active member of the Handbell Musicians of America and the National Association for Music Education and currently serves as the Utah Music Educators Association all-state chair. He and his wife, Marita, are the parents of three daughters.



JOSEPH PEEPLES, Temple Square Organist

Joseph Peeples was called as a Temple Square organist in April 2019. Prior to his appointment, he was the university organist at California Lutheran University. He received his master's degree in organ performance from Brigham Young University. He has completed coursework for a doctorate at Indiana University Jacobs School of Music. Peeples is on the faculty for the annual Brigham Young University Organ Workshop and through the years has taught a wide variety of courses in music theory and musicianship at Pepperdine University, Indiana University Jacobs School of Music, and Brigham Young University.



