

Chamber Singers Summer 2015 Assignment

In preparation for your performance at the Teacher Convocation on August 31st and because there are always a zillion things to learn for concerts in December, you need to learn/practice 4 songs over the summer. Use the practice tracks on my teacher webpage to help you!!

<http://fairfieldschools.org/schools/fwhs/fairfield-warde-high-school-choir/>

- 1) Nat'l Anthem- needs to be ready BY MEMORY for rehearsal on Aug. 26th
- 2) Deck the Hall- needs to be ready for 1st day of school. You may use your music.
 - a. Verses 1, 2, and 3
- 3) Joy To the World- needs to be ready for the 1st day of school. You may use your music.
 - a. Verses 1, 2, and 3
- 4) O Come All Ye Faithful- needs to be ready for the 1st day of school. You may use your music.
 - a. Verses 1, 3, and 6

The Nat'l Anthem needs to be totally ready to go and MEMORIZED when you arrive at rehearsal on Aug. 26th! ☺ Thank you!

You will be tested and graded on the 3 carols on the first day of school. Please be ready to be tested with the microphones on that first day.

Summer Calendar

Wed. Aug. 26- 10:00-1:00pm- section leader training (just for next year's section leaders).
Lunch will be served.

Wed. Aug. 26- 1:00-2:30pm- Chamber Singers rehearsal...."Nat'l Anthem" and "Tshotsholoza"

Thurs. Aug. 27- 11:00 call time, 12:00-4:00pm- Choir Workshop for Newbies
You only need to come to this if you signed up to volunteer!

Mon. Aug. 31- 7:50am call, 8:30-9:30am Chamber Singers Performance at the Fairfield Teacher Convocation, FWHS Auditorium. Report to choir room at 7:50am. Dress up please! (No jeans or sweats!)

Thurs. Sept. 3- first day of school. Tests on 3 carols

Chamber Singers 2015-2016 Parts for Summer Assignments

Soprano

Leah Boyle
Miranda Georgen
Adrienne Guzman
Caroline Ihlefeld
Tara Kotulsky
Bari Lipper (sop for now)
Sarah McAllister
Catherine Regan
Daphne Saloomey
Lizzy Winter

Alto

Maya Cromwell (alto for now)
Emily Erikson
Marie Fulda
Kylie Macchia
Colleen McGuinness
Julia Muhlenberg
Emma Ragusa (alto for now)
Olivia Seymour
Jamie Verchin
Kyla Wholley

Tenor (8)

David Bakhash
Griffin Donohue
Erich Isler
Will Morton
Dylan O'Brien
Garrett Wargo (tenor for now)
Ian Whitman

Bass (5)

Jes Bollman (bass for now)
Chris Dileo
Daniel Knorr
Daniel McAleese
Joao Paltanin
Andrew Wasserman
Harper Wise

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C. Smith

The Star-Spangled Banner

Francis Scott Key (1779-1843)

John Stafford Smith (c. 1750-1836)

1. O say! can you see, — by the dawn's ear - ly light, What so
 2. On the shore dim - ly seen — through the mists of the deep, Where the
 3. O thus be it ev - er when — free men shall stand Be -

proud - ly we hailed at the twi - light's last gleam - ing? Whose broad
 foe's haugh - ty host in dread si - lence re - pos - es, What is
 tween their loved homes and the war's des - o - la - tion! Blest with

stripes and bright stars, through the per - il - ous fight, O'er the
 that which the breeze; o'er the tow - er - ing steep, As it
 vic - t'ry and peace, may the heav'n res - cued land Praise the

ram - parts we watched, were so gal - lant - ly stream - ing! And the
 fit - ful - ly blows, half con - ceals, half dis - clos - es? *mf* Now it
 Pow'r that hath made and pre - served us a na - tion. Then —

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rock - ets' red glare, the bombs burst - ing in air, Gave —
 catch - es the gleam of the morn - ing's first beam, In full
 con - quer we must, when our cause it is just, And —

proof through the night — that our flag was still there.
 glo - ry re - flect - ed now — shines on the stream;
 this be our mot - to: "In — God is our trust!"

foco a poco Crescendo

Sub. P O — say, does that — Star - Span - gled Ban - ner — yet — wave —
 'Tis the Star - Span - gled — Ban - ner, O long may — it — wave —
 And the Star - Span - gled — Ban - ner, in tri - umph — shall — wave —

O'er the land — of the free and the home of the brave?
 O'er the land — of the free and the home of the brave!
 O'er the land — of the free and the home of the brave!

*Toughest of the 3. Give this
Some solid practice time! 40/verse

ChristmasCarolMusic.org - free Christmas carol sheet music

O Come, All Ye Faithful

Latin, John F. Wade
trans. by Frederick Oakeley and others

John F. Wade, 1751

Verses 1, 3, + 6

1. O Come, all ye faith-ful, joy-ful and tri-um-phant,
 God from ye God, Light from Light e-ter-nal,
 Sing, choirs of an-gels, sing in ex-ul-ta-tion,
 See how the shep-herds, sun-moned to his cra-dle,
 Child, for us sin-ners poor and in the man-ger,
 Yea, Lord, we greet thee, born this hap-py inor-ning,

come ye, o come ye to Beth-le-hem. Come and be hold him,
 lol he ab hors not the Vir-gin's womb. On-ly be got-ten
 sing, all ye ci-ti-zens of hea-ven a bove! Glo-ry to God, all
 lea-ving their flocks, draw nigh to gaze. We too will thi-ther
 we would em brace thee with love, and awe. Who would not love thee,
 Je-sus, to thee be all glo-ry giv'n. Word of the Fa-ther,

born the King of an-gels.
 Son of the Fa-ther, O come, let us a-dore Him, O come, let us a-
 glo-ry in the high-est.
 bend our joy-ful foot-steps.
 lov-ing us so dear-ly?
 now in flesh ap-pear-ing.

dore Him, O come, let us a-dore Him, Christ the Lord!

Joy to the World

words by Isaac Watts, alt.

tune: Antioch, George Frederick Handel
adapt. & arr. by Lowell Mason

1. Joy to the world! The Lord is come. Let earth receive her King.
 2. Joy to the earth! The Sav-our reigns. Let men their songs em- ploy
 3. He rules the world with truth and grace and makes the na- tions prove

Let ev'ry heart pre- pare Him room, and
 while the fields and ries floods, of rocks, hills and plains re-
 the glo- ries of His right- eous- ness and

heav'n and na- ture sing and heav'n and na- ture
 peat the sound- ing joy, re- peat the sound- ing
 won- ders of His love, and won- ders of His

and re and
 and heav'n and na- ture sing and
 re peat the sound- ing joy re
 and won- ders of His love and

sing joy, love, and re and hea- ven and hea- ven and na- ture sing.
 joy, love, and re and peat, re peat the the sound- ing joy.
 love, and re and won- ders, won- ders of His love.

heav'n and na- ture sing
 peat the sound- ing joy
 won- ders of His love

Deck the Hall

words: traditional English

tune: *Nos Galan*, traditional Welsh

Deck the hall with boughs of hol - ly,
See the blaz - ing Yule be - fore us,
Fast a - way the old year pas - ses, fa la la la la la la la la.

'Tis the sea - son to be jol - ly,
Strike the harp and join the chor - us,
Hail the new, ye lads and las - ses, fa la la la la la la la la.

Don we now our gay ap - par - el,
Fol - low me in mer - ry meas - ure,
Sing we joy - ous all to - geth - er, fa la la la la la la la la.

Troll the an - cient Yule - tide car - ol,
While I tell of Yule - tide treas - ure,
Heed - less of the wind and weath - er, fa la la la la la la la la.