An Invitation to Honor Your Saints

On Friday, February 28, St. Paul’s Chancel Choir, along with the St. Vincent Camerata of St. Vincent College and the Schola Cantorum Franciscana of Franciscan University, will present the premier of Douglas Starr’s All Saints Requiem. The Requiem will be conducted by Father Stephen Concordia, O.S.B and feature soloists Katy Shackelton Williams (soprano), Valerie Vernon Thomas (mezzo soprano), Rich Williams (tenor), and Daniel Teadt (baritone). This deeply personal piece reflects the influence of Dr. Starr’s musical heroes, from J.S. Bach to Bill Evans. The Requiem also incorporates the thoughts and words of his personal saints. The text sets one of his mother’s poems over the words of the Recordare and weaves his father’s theological reflections into the Agnus Dei. This work, however, is not only biographical. In its broad musical influences, its sweep and warmth, this Requiem is meant to honor *all* saints. In that spirit, we wish to present this Requiem in memory of all our saints and loved ones.

The names of those remembered and honored, and the donors, will be printed in the Requiem Concert Program. At a dedicated moment in the concert, donors will also be invited to light candles in memory of their loved ones. On the form below list the full name(s) of those you would like to have included and your name as you wish it to be acknowledged in the program. Return this form to the churchby Wednesday, February 19, to ensure inclusion in the Concert Program. A contribution of $15 for each name is requested, with checks payable to St. Paul’s Episcopal Church, Friends of Music; please specify All Saints Requiem on the memo line. Donations will also be accepted online. (URL address here)

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***All Saints Requiem***

To the Glory of God

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In Loving Memory of

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Make checks payable to **St. Paul’s Episcopal Church, Friends of Music with All Saints Requiem on memo line.**

Please return this form by **Wednesday, February 19** to St. Paul’s Episcopal Church, 1066 Washington Rd., Pittsburgh, PA 15228 attn: Friends of Music by mail, or directly to the church office.