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Angelica Cantanti Youth Choirs selected to perform at National Choral Conference in Dallas, TX

The Cantanti Singers have received the prestigious invitation to perform at the 2025 American Choral Directors Association (ACDA) National Conference to be held in Dallas, Texas in March. The 64 member high school age group, is one of 10 Angelica Cantanti Youth Choir ensembles that rehearse once a week in Bloomington. The selection process is highly competitive with hundreds of applications. The chorus auditioned by submitting audio recordings from the past three years that were reviewed and judged by a highly respected peer jury panel. Invited performing choirs are recognized for quality and the consistent strength of their programs.

“In the choral world, we’ve made it to the Super Bowl and we couldn’t be more honored and thrilled for our singers to represent Minnesota and perform for a large audience of choral directors, educators and composers from all over the world.” said Executive Director, Audrey Riddle.

The Angelica Cantanti Singers will perform two 25-minute solo concerts on Wednesday, March 19, at 10:00am at Winspear Opera House and 1:45pm at Meyerson Symphony Center in the Arts District of downtown Dallas, Texas.

About the Cantanti Singers

The Cantanti Singers are soprano, alto, tenor and bass voices in grades 9 – 12 with members that represent 30+ different high schools and communities from all over the Minneapolis, St. Paul and surrounding area. The choir rehearses once a week, September – May in Bloomington, MN. Philip Brown is in his 15th season as the director of the of the high school choirs. Under his leadership, the Angelica Cantanti Youth Choirs have been featured at regional and national conferences of ACDA.

About the Angelica Cantanti Youth Choirs (ACYC)

Founded in 1980, ACYC is a Twin Cities leader in high quality choral music education with excellence in performance. The ensembles include music and singing opportunities for youth in grades K -12, an adaptive class for singers with special needs and an alumni adult chorus. Singers in ACYC performed at the 2018 Super Bowl at US Bank Stadium in Minneapolis and the organization was recently voted “Best Community Choir in MN” by WCCO-TV. www.angelicacantanti.org

About ACDA

The America Choral Directors Association (ACDA) is a nonprofit music-education organization that inspires excellence in choral music through education, performance, composition, and advocacy.

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