



Dear Friends of MCS,

To conclude its 62nd season, the Manchester Choral Society will present *The Unarmed Child* by Michael Bussewitz-Quarm. This gorgeous, deeply moving work was composed in response to gun violence against children. This work sensitively navigates this difficult subject with beautiful, poignant, healing words and music. Additionally, this piece will feature soloist Marco Gianozzi, a hip-hop artist.

The program will also include *The Cry of Jeremiah*, the first major work by African American composer Rosephanye Powell. With text from the Book of Jeremiah, the four movements follow the prophet's feelings of abandonment and redemption by God. Powell combines the ancient words with music drawn simultaneously from African American musical heritage and classical music traditions.

GOAL

Patrons may support the orchestra, soloists, or a singer from MCS. Each category has a funding goal. Donors will be recognized in the concert program booklet and on the MCS website and Facebook page if they wish. Donations of \$500 or more will receive 2 complimentary tickets. **All donations are tax deductible.**

MISSION of MCS

The Manchester Choral Society is committed to sharing and promoting the best choral music of a variety of styles and periods through vibrant performances, collaboration, and educational and community outreach. Established in 1961, MCS is a non-profit, auditioned community choir and continues to be one of the region's most respected choral organizations.

Enclosed you will find a donation form that you may return to the office with your donation information. If you have any questions, please call the office at (603) 472-6627 or contact Kirsten Mohring at kirsten.mohring@gmail.com.

Thank you for your time and consideration,

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Orchestra Sponsorship Form

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Donation: Please select one of following boxes:

Instrument: Please specify; see the list on the back of this page (if you do not have a preference, we will select one for you).

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Questions: Contact Kirsten Mohring at kirsten.mohring@gmail.com



Orchestra

Cello \$750 (1 slot available at \$750)

Percussion \$1200 (3 slots available at \$400)

Harp \$1200 (2 slots available at \$600)

Piano, Charlie Blood \$2000 (2 slots available at \$1000)

Soloist

Marco Gianozzi \$2000 (4 slots available at \$500)

MCS Singer

Sponsor a singer from the Manchester Choral Society. Sponsorship level begins at \$50.

Please note: The sponsorship amounts do not represent the actual orchestra cost. This is an interactive way to have our audience and members participate in our concert process and to support MCS.