



Western  
Music

Don Wright Faculty of Music

**LUNCHTIME CONCERT SERIES  
WESTERN UNIVERSITY SINGERS**

Thursday, February 12, 2026  
12:30 p.m., von Kuster Hall

The Moon is Distant from the Sea	David N. Childs
Mata del ánima sola Antonia Sidiropoulos and Ian Nathaniel Balana, <i>soloists</i>	Antonio Estévez
"Come in" <i>from Frostiana: Seven Country Songs</i>	Randall Thompson
"The Pasture" <i>from Frostiana: Seven Country Songs</i>	Randall Thompson
Five Hebrew Love Songs I. Temuná II. Kalá kallá III. Lárov IV. Éyze shéleg! V. Rakút Callista Foti, Evelyn Barber, Ian Nathaniel Balana, Gavin MacKenzie, Sammy Ginsberg, Pauline Boers, and Sara McCardle, <i>soloists</i> Helen Faucher, <i>violin</i> , Matthew Cinquina, <i>tambourine</i>	Eric Whitacre
"Alleluia" <i>from Lobet den Herrn, alle Heiden, BWV 230</i>	J. S. Bach
Nyon Nyon	Jake Runestad
That Shadow, My Likeness	Francesca Hauser
River Rainbow	Jeff Newberry

## WESTERN UNIVERSITY SINGERS

Dr. Mark Ramsay, *conductor*  
Melissa Spraggs, *assistant conductor*  
Sing Yuan Liew, *pianist*  
Anna Jeong, *assistant pianist*

Sarah Abado  
Ian Nathaniel Balana  
Evelyn Barber  
Braylon Belanger  
Hayden Belcher  
Denzel Benitez-Ortega  
Angelo Billanti  
Pauline Boers  
Emma Butler  
Olivia Calbeck  
Hannah Cole  
Danté Duffus  
Callista Foti  
Owen Gariepy  
Kate Gayman  
Sammy Ginsberg  
Melissa Hambleton  
Melody Ho

Cosette Holliday  
Kayvon Kasravi  
Dominik Kawa  
Benjamin Louwerse  
Sarah Lucier  
Liam Lynch  
Gavin MacKenzie  
Cailyn Mann  
Sara McCardle  
Lidiia Permiakova  
Josephine Raffaele  
Victoria Robinson  
Antonia Sidiropoulos  
Leo Sigut  
Nicholas Skene  
Eden Volpe-Rule  
John Waterfield  
James Wright

## UPCOMING CHORAL CONCERTS

### Lunchtime Choral Series | Feb. 10-12 | 12:30pm

Take a midday break, unplug, and catch each of our faculty choirs in concert this week:

[Chorale](#) on Tuesday (PDT), [Les Choristes](#) on Wednesday (vKH),  
and [Western University Singers](#) on Thursday (vKH)

### Wednesday, April 8 | 7:30pm | von Kuster Hall

Les Choristes and Western University Singers

### Thursday, April 9 | 7:30pm | Paul Davenport Theatre

Chorale with guests Student Leadership Choral Collective

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