

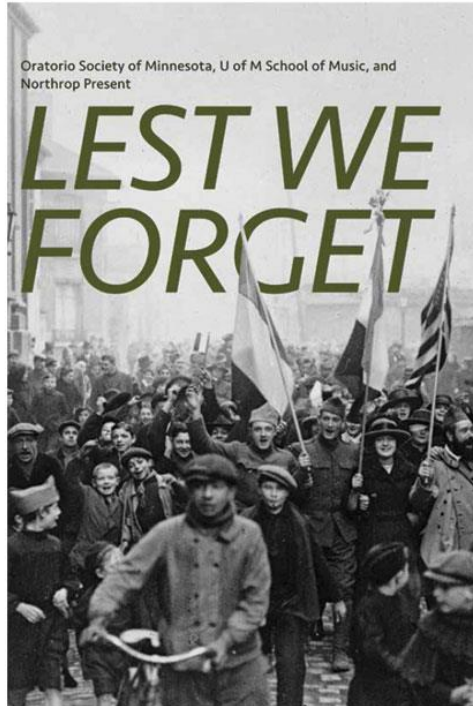
ORATORIO

SOCIETY of MINNESOTA

MATTHEW MEHAFFEY - Artistic Director

We invite you to join the Twin Cities' "... foremost presenter of large-scale works for chorus and orchestra"* for our 2018/2019 Season
For information and to schedule an audition, contact Matthew Mehaffey, Artistic Director at (612) 432-7398 or mehaffey@umn.edu

Commemorate



Featuring the Oratorio Society of Minnesota Chorus and the U of M Men's and Women's Choirs and the U of M Wind Ensemble with soloists, orchestra and Northrop's newly restored, historic Aeolian-Skinner Pipe Organ.

With the signing of the Armistice, World War I ended on Nov. 11, 1918, at the "eleventh hour on the 11th day of the 11th month." To commemorate this milestone in world history, this Veterans Day concert will present the joint United States premiere of composer Patrick Hawes' *The Great War Symphony*—a four-movement, hour-long work for soloists, chorus and orchestra.*

*The world premiere of *The Great War Symphony* will be Oct 9 at London's Royal Albert Hall, and the joint United States premiere will be Nov 11 at Northrop and Carnegie Hall.

Songs of the Great War

When Johnny Comes Marching Home /
Keep the Home Fires Burning

Poème Héroïque

Dirge for Two Veterans
from *Dona nobis pacem*

I Vow to Thee, My Country

Various, arr. Rob Wiffen

Traditional / Ivor Novello
arr. David Zabriskie

Marcel Dupré

Ralph Vaughan Williams

Gustav Holst
arr. Geoff Knorr

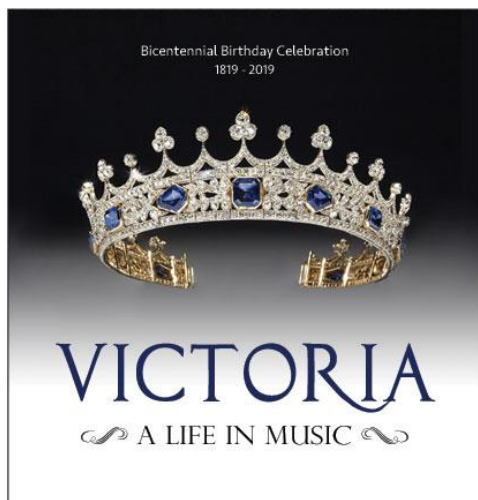
featuring

Joint U.S. Premiere **The Great War Symphony** Patrick Hawes 2018

Sunday, November 11, 2018, 4:00 p.m.

Northrop
Minneapolis

Celebrate



Join us for an unforgettable evening of stories and music from the Victorian era as we celebrate the bicentennial year of Queen Victoria's birth.

With the popularity of the PBS "Victoria" series and the strong support received for our "Downton Abbey" concerts in 2014, we have created a unique program of music which has been carefully researched and sourced from libraries throughout the U.S. and England.

Victoria - A Life in Music will include actors, soloists, chorus, orchestra and organ and will focus on milestones from the Queen's incredible reign of almost 64 years. Songs, instrumental selections and works for chorus and orchestra will feature music by Martin Phipps (PBS "Victoria" theme), Handel, Strauss Sr., Mendelssohn, Wagner, Gounod, Albert (Prince Consort), Stanford, Sullivan, Elgar and Parratt along with traditional Irish and Scottish tunes.

Saturday, April 13, 2019, 7:30 p.m. **Sunday, April 14, 2019, 2:00 p.m.**

St. Mark's Episcopal Cathedral
on Loring Park
Minneapolis

Hamline Church
United Methodist
St. Paul