

THIRD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
presents



Houghton College Choir

In Concert

Dr. Brandon Johnson

Conductor

Donald Schuessler

Assistant Conductor

Bonnie Carter

Piano



**Thursday
March 29**

7:30 p.m.

**Donations will
be received**

**Third
Presbyterian
Church**

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Rochester, NY

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The 75-voice *Houghton College Choir*, under the direction of Dr. Brandon Johnson, will mark the beginning of their Spring Tour of the east coast with this performance of varied repertoire spanning several centuries. Included will be works by Samuel Barber, Edvard Grieg, Keith Hampton, Antonio Lotti, Heinrich Schütz, Ralph Vaughan Williams and Eric Whitacre among others

The Houghton College Choir was founded in 1931 by famed musician Wilfred C. Bain. Since its inception it has focused on sacred A'cappella literature and from the beginning enjoyed a reputation for performing with sensitivity and artistry.

The mission of the Houghton College Choir is: *to glorify God personally and corporately through upholding and extending a tradition of musical excellence via exposure to diverse choral literature, and to prepare students to lead and labor as scholar-servants in a changing musical world by cultivating an atmosphere of academic, musical and spiritual growth both in rehearsal and performance.*

~this mission statement was written by the 2003-2004 College Choir student board