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# AMERICAN BOYCHOIR

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*EXPERIENCE THE AMERICAN BOYCHOIR  
IN CONCERT  
AT ST. MARY'S CHURCH, ROCHESTER*

Rochester, NY; October 16, 2009 – For over 70 years, The American Boychoir has been enriching the cultural life of the Nation by bringing its unique and joyful sound to people around the world. Experience the incomparable and electrifying voices of The American Boychoir under the musical leadership of Litton-Lodal Music Director Fernando Malvar-Ruiz at St. Mary's Church on Friday, November 6th, at 7:30pm. Featuring musical selections as diverse and dynamic as the boys themselves, audiences are sure to be mesmerized by a memorable performance.

The American Boychoir's 2009 Fall Tour will include music by European composers Victoria, Desprez, Schütz, Brahms, and Fauré. Also included will be works by American composers George Gershwin and Randall Thompson as well as selections by composers from Venezuela, Brazil, Korea, and Japan.

The American Boychoir is regarded as the United States' premier concert boys' choir. It continues to dazzle audiences with its unique blend of musical sophistication, effervescent spirit, and ensemble virtuosity. Boys in grades 4 through 8, reflecting the ethnic, religious and cultural diversity of the United States, come from across the country and around the world to pursue a rigorous musical and academic curriculum at the school. The American Boychoir School, the only non-sectarian boys' choir school in the nation, was founded in Columbus, Ohio, in 1937, and has been located in Princeton, New Jersey, since 1950.

Maintaining an active national and international touring schedule, the Boychoir performs with world-class ensembles including the Boston Symphony Orchestra, the Philadelphia Orchestra, and the New York Philharmonic. The Boychoir appears regularly as featured artists with James Levine at the Tanglewood Music Festival, and has performed with the internationally renowned soprano Jessye Norman, prominent jazz musician Wynton Marsalis, pop diva Beyoncé, and at Carnegie Hall with Sir Paul McCartney.

Often called upon for boy soloists, members of The American Boychoir have performed with the Baltimore Symphony Orchestra, the Berkshire Music Festival, and the Virginia Symphony Orchestra. The American Boychoir has been extensively recorded on its own label Albemarle Records and broadcast on radio and television, with over forty-five commercial recordings.

St. Mary's Church is located at 15 St. Mary's Place, near Geva Theatre, in downtown Rochester. The church is handicap accessible, and there are three parking garages within a block of the church. Ticket prices are \$20 for adults, \$10 for students, and free for children 12 and younger. Tickets may be purchased before the concert or at the rectory office during the week. For more information contact Daniel Aune, Director of Music, at 585-232-7140 or [dpaune@hotmail.com](mailto:dpaune@hotmail.com).