

SOPRANO

Katy Haltvick, *Marshall*
 Elaine Hauger, *Granite Falls*
 Becky Hoffman, *Bellingham*
 Dana Miller, *Marshall*
 Mary Sue Kruger, *Montevideo*
 June Meyerhoff, *Montevideo*
 Kathryn Reese, *Olivia*

ALTO

Marti Carlson, *Spicer*
 Vickie Daub, *Wabasso*
 Mary Kay Frisvold, *Garvin*
 Dale Handeen, *Montevideo*
 Cheryl Jeska, *Marshall*
 Marsha Salfer, *Wabasso*
 Sue Selden, *Granite Falls*

TENOR

Damian Dagal, *Marshall*
 Dick Engelby, *Redwood Falls*
 Dick Hauck, *Madison*
 Steve Meyer, *Marshall*

BASS

Eric Anderson, *Spicer*
 Dan Giles, *Marshall*
 Larry Jeska, *Marshall*
 Paul Knapper, *Renville*
 Doug Pilgrim, *Marshall*
 Cheryl Jeska, *accompanist*
 Wes Myers, *bass, cello*
 Stephen Leek, *percussion*
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ABOUT THE DIRECTOR



Brandon Hurley joined Prairie Arts Chorale in 2017 as a baritone and started as director in the fall of 2018. He grew up in Dawson, MN and graduated in 2011. Brandon spent four years at Concordia College in Moorhead, MN, earning a Bachelor of Music in Vocal Education. During his time at Concordia, he studied choral conducting, composition and choral literature under the direction of both Dr. René Clausen and Michael Culloton. He participated in the Concordia Choir, the Chapel Choir, three main stage musicals, and co-created the student-led vocal ensemble, Tactus. His musical experiences there still influence his musical endeavors today.

In 2015, Brandon accepted a full time teaching position at Dawson-Boyd High School instructing 3rd through 6th grade general music and directing the 7th through 12th grade choirs. He instructs upwards of 30 students in private voice lessons, directs one-act plays, and is the head director of musicals. He has directed Legally Blonde the Musical, On the Town, Peter Jr. and Annie Jr. Brandon prides himself in his work and commits himself to his students. When Brandon is not directing PAC, you may also find him directing, choreographing or acting in plays produced by the Lac Qui Parle Players at the Prairie Arts Center in Madison, MN. Brandon also assists in directing the Agape Singers, a youth Christian choir in Dawson, MN, leading rehearsals, playing piano or electric bass, and preparing them for their annual tour. Lastly, there's nothing he enjoys more than cooking a good meal with friends!



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PRAIRIE ARTS CHORALE

Spring 2019

Presents

Broadways:

Changing the World, One Song at a Time

Montevideo:

United Methodist Church

Saturday, April 27th, 7:30 pm

*Special Guests: Our Savior's Lutheran Church Choir

Dawson:

Crossroads Lutheran Church

Sunday, April 28th, 4:00 pm

Redwood Falls:

Gloria Dei Lutheran Church

Friday, May 3rd, 7:30 pm

Marshall:

Marshall Middle School

Saturday, May 4th, 7:30 pm

Spicer:

Faith Lutheran Church

Sunday, May 5th, 4:00 pm

Singers of Southwestern Minnesota • Brandon Hurley, Director

Revolution

- The New World from *SONGS FOR A NEW WORLD* Jason Robert Brown
Vickie Daub, June Meyerhoff, Dick Hauck, Mary Sue Kruger, Sue Selden
Eric Anderson, Steve Meyer, Elaine Hauger, Marsha Salfer, Dan Giles and Chorale
- Medley from *LES MISÉRABLES* Michel Schonberg/Alain Boubil
Marsha Salfer, Doug Pilgrim and Chorale
- Make Them Hear You from *RAGTIME* Stephen Flaherty/Lynn Ahrens
Paul Knapper and Chorale
- Transition from *SONGS FOR A NEW WORLD* Jason Robert Brown
Vickie Daub
- Run, Freedom, Run from *URINETOWN* Mark Hollmann
Dick Engelby and Chorale
- Transition from *SONGS FOR A NEW WORLD* Jason Robert Brown
Becky Hoffman/June Meyerhoff
- Who Lives Who Dies Who Tells Your Story from *HAMILTON* Lin-Manuel Miranda
Sue Selden, Eric Anderson, Dan Giles, Dale Handeen, Katy Haltvick and Chorale

Relationships

- There is Nothing Like a Dame from *SOUTH PACIFIC* Rodgers & Hammerstein
Larry Jeska, Damien Dage, Dick Hauck and Men of Chorale
- I'm Gonna Wash that Man from *SOUTH PACIFIC* Rodgers & Hammerstein
Dana Miller and Women of Chorale
- One Hand, One Heart from *WEST SIDE STORY* Leonard Bernstein/Hurley arr.
- Friendship from *ANYTHING GOES* Cole Porter
Dale Handeen, Brandon Hurley
- They Say Its Wonderful from *ANNIE GET YOUR GUN* Irving Berlin
Kathryn Reese/Cheryl Jeska and Chorale
- Lida Rose from *MUSIC MAN* Meredith Willson
Dick Hauck, Larry Jeska, Doug Pilgrim, Dan Giles, Becky Hoffman
- It Only Takes a Moment from *HELLO DOLLY* Jerry Herman

Intermission

Religion

- Selections from *FIDDLER ON THE ROOF* Jerry Bock/Sheldon Harnick
Brandon Hurley and Chorale
- Medley from *SISTER ACT* Mac Huff arr.
Marti Carlson, June Meyerhoff and Women of Chorale
- All Good Gifts from *GODSPELL* Stephen Schwartz
Steve Meyer, Katy Haltvick – clarinet and Chorale

Reaching

- The Impossible Dream from *MAN OF LA MANCHA* Mitch Leigh/Joe Darion
- Seasons of Love from *RENT* Jonathan Larson
Kathryn Reese/Katy Haltvick, Paul Knapper and Chorale
- Go The Distance from *HERCULES* Alan Menken
Steve Meyer, Elaine Hauger and Chorale
- Final Transition from *SONGS FOR A NEW WORLD* Jason Robert Brown
Marsha Salfer, Eric Anderson, Marti Carlson and Chorale
- Make Our Garden Grow from *CANDIDE* Leonard Bernstein

**Join us for our Fall 2019 Concert Season
the first two weekends in November.**

Prairie Arts Chorale began in 1980, giving performances throughout Southwestern Minnesota. This ensemble, with two concert seasons, fall and spring, rehearses weekly and is open to new singers by audition. Inquiries regarding concerts and auditions may be addressed to June Meyerhoff, President, junemeyerhoff@mvtvwireless.com