

2027 PUERI CANTORES COLUMBUS

YOUTH CHORAL FESTIVAL & MASS

for Treble Choirs (grades 4-12)



Friday, March 19, 2027

10:00 a.m. - 5:15 p.m.

St. Joseph Cathedral and
Holy Cross Church

212 East Broad Street, Columbus, Ohio 43215

Bishop Earl K. Fernandes, Celebrant
TBA, Guest Conductor



8 Professional Development Credits are available for school conductors & MP3 rehearsal tracks of the Festival repertoire will be available for participating choirs.

ABOUT THE FESTIVAL

Pueri Cantores, the national student choral organization of the Catholic Church, and the Diocese of Columbus invite all parish and school treble voice choirs (grades 4-12) in the region to participate in the annual Festival & Mass. Singers will unite with their peers as one combined choir to sing beautiful music from the Church's rich historical repertoire.

[Watch this video](#) to learn more about Pueri Cantores and how best to prepare your choir for the Festival day. [Check out these FAQs](#) about our Festivals, including attire, how to access music and MP3 rehearsal tracks, and much more. The repertoire will be available in the summer.



FESTIVAL SCHEDULE

10:00	.....Registration
10:30	.....Choir Warm-up
10:45	..... Choir Placement
11:00	..... First Rehearsal
12:00	..... Lunch
Individual choirs rehearse for Choral Prelude at this time.	
12:45	.....Second Rehearsal
1:45	.....Break /Snacks
2:00	.....Final Rehearsal
3:00	.....Final Break
3:30	.....Choral Prelude begins
4:00	.....Festival Mass begins

Friends and family members are cordially invited to attend the Festival Mass.



Join us & register your choir today!

Columbus Youth Choral Festival & Mass for Treble Choirs

>>> [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER AND PAY ONLINE](#) <<<

**DEADLINE TO REGISTER:
February 19, 2027**

OR MAIL FESTIVAL FEES & MATERIALS TO:

American Federation Pueri Cantores 1188 N. Tustin St., Orange, CA 92867

Upon receipt, AFPC will send each registered choral conductor a welcome packet containing a sample repertoire music packet and important information needed to participate in this year's Festival.

FESTIVAL REGISTRATION APPLICATION

COMBINED ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP/FESTIVAL REGISTRATION FEE: \$150/choir

and PARTICIPANT FEES: \$25/singer

Participant fees include medallions, snacks & other festival expenses. (No cost for conductors & chaperones)

PARTICIPANTS MUST BRING THEIR OWN BAG LUNCHES

* Financial assistance is available through the *William H. Hannon Scholarship Fund*. Please contact the AFPC office for more information.*

Total Number of Participants (Conductors, Singers & Chaperones) _____ (1 chaperone per 10 singers requested)

of singers: _____ # Sopranos: _____ # Altos: _____

Choir Name (as it should appear in program): _____

Choir Director/s (as it should appear in program): _____

Parish/School: _____

Address: _____ City: _____

State: _____ Zip: _____ Diocese: _____ New Choir Returning Choir

Phone: _____ Email: _____

PRELUDE INFORMATION (optional)

My choir would like to sing a piece in the individual prelude portion of the festival (before the combined prelude pieces)

Choral Selection: _____

Composer: _____

Tempo: _____ Duration: _____ Key: _____ Major or Minor

Will you be requiring the services of an accompanist? Yes No A CAPELLA

*The first five choirs to submit this application form and a print copy of their 2-4 minute music selection will be accepted to sing.

LIABILITY/MEDIA RELEASE FORM

Downloadable at <https://www.pcchoirs.org/liabilityreleaseform>

Forms must be completed for all singers and signed by parent or guardian.

CHILD PROTECTION POLICY

Choir directors and chaperones must provide the AFPC office a copy of their child protection certificate of completion. To read AFPC's complete Child Protection Policy, please click [HERE](#).

Required Forms

Conductors must submit to the AFPC office the Liability/Media Release Forms and Child Protection Certificates no later than one month prior to the Festival date. Mail: 1188 N. Tustin St., Orange, CA 92867 or email info@pcchoirs.org

[Official Festival Choir Participant Cancellation & Refund Policy](#)

QUESTIONS? Contact AFPC at 714.633.7554 or visit our website at pcchoirs.org