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A Messiah Sing-A-Long

Nov. 25, 2013

BLOOMINGTON, III.— As a part of the "First Wednesday" Chapel Series and Illinois Wesleyan University's Week of Holiday Celebration, Evelyn Chapel will host a sing-a-long of George Frideric Handel's *Messiah*.

The event, which is free and open to the public, will take place on Wednesday, December 4 at 11:00 a.m. in the Evelyn Chapel (1301 N. Park St., Bloomington).

Originally preformed in Dublin on Apr. 13, 1742, *Messiah* is an English-language oratorio, and has become one of the best-known and most frequently performed choral works in Western music.

Provost Jonathan Green, Dr. Susan Klotzbach and student musicians will lead the audience in the singing of *Messiah* favorites.

After the performance, there will be a bring-your-own-bag lunch, with holiday cookies and a discussion about the enduring cultural and spiritual impact of Handel's masterwork.

For more information regarding the event, contact the University Chaplain's Office at (309)-556-3005.

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