### Fall 2011 Concerts

- Sunday, September 25 :: 4PM Holy Cross Monastery Route 9W, West Park, NY Bach Cantata No. 17, Wer Dank opfert, der preiset mich, with chamber orchestra
- Saturday, November 5 :: 8PM Christ Episcopal Church 20 Carroll Street, Poughkeepsie, NY Kairos will present Henry Purcell's delightful 1691 semi-opera King Arthur with full orchestra and narration.
- Sunday, November 6 :: 4PM Holy Cross Monastery Route 9W, West Park, NY Kairos will present Henry Purcell's delightful 1691 semi-opera King Arthur with full orchestra and narration.
- Sunday, December 4 :: 4PM Holy Cross Monastery Bach Cantata No. 36, Schwingt freudig euch Empor, with chamber orchestra.
- Sunday, December 18 :: 3PM Holy Cross Monastery Come join us for our annual Lessons & Carols service. Kairos will perform seasonal motets, anthems and carols interspersed with readings from the Old and New

Testaments. Donations will benefit the Kingston Freeman Holiday Fund. A holiday reception follows the service and all are welcome!

Visit **www.kairosconsort.org** or call 845-256-9114 for updates, tickets and directions.

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Bach Cantata Series

Our **Bach Cantata Series** is in its sixth year and continues to receive rave reviews! We will be presenting two cantatas this fall in the sublime and beautiful Holy Cross Monastery in West Park, New York, all within the context of an evensong service and accompanied by chamber orchestra. The services are open to the public and there is a \$10 suggested donation to help support the series, which is funded entirely through your generous support.

The Fall 2011 Cantata schedule is as follows:

- Sunday, September 25 at 4PM: Cantata No. 17, Wer Dank opfert, der preiset mich
- Sunday, December 4 at 4PM: Cantata No. 36, Schwingt freudig euch empor

You can help us continue to make the Bach Cantata Series a success by becoming a Kairos "Angel". Your fully tax-deductible contribution can be earmarked for the Cantata Series; just indicate your preference on the form at left. We hope to see you at our Cantata Series performances!

### Lessons & Carols

It's that time again! Our annual Lessons & Carols service in the wonderful Holy Cross chapel will be presented on **Sunday, December 18** at **3PM**. Free-will offerings will benefit the Kingston Freeman Holiday Fund, and a holiday reception will follow the service. Come join us for this festive and wonderful event!

### Kairos CD still available!

You can still order our CD, *Christus Natus Est*, which features seasonal a cappella music from the Renaissance to the present, including *Personent Hodie*, Josquin's *Ave Maria* and Victoria's *O Magnum Mysterium*. You may order by filling out the form at left or by visiting our website at www.kairosconsort.org/orderform.htm. Be sure to order enough as gifts for family and friends!!

## KING ARTHUR

This November, Kairos will present two special concert performances of English Baroque composer Henry Purcell's 1691 semi-opera *King Arthur*, with orchestra. This whimsical tale centers around Arthur's endeavors to rescue his fiancée, the blind Cornish princess Emmeline, who has been abducted by Arthur's arch-enemy, the Saxon king Oswald of Kent. It is a delightful and humorous work, containing some of Purcell's most lyrical music, much of it inspired by French dance rhythms and adventurous harmonies.

As was common in English semi-opera, there were spoken as well as sung parts, and our performances will also feature a delightful narration of the story.

Performances are:

- Saturday, November 5, 8PM: Christ Episcopal Church, Poughkeepsie
- Sunday, November 6, 4PM: Holy Cross Monastery, West Park

Tickets are \$20 general admission; \$15 senior; and \$7 Student/Youth, with \$25 general admission on the day of the concert. You may purchase tickets by calling 845-256-9114 or visiting our website: www.kairosconsort.org

