

## Wartburg Choir Concert – Friday, April 27<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 pm



Coming to us from Wartburg College in Waverly, Iowa, the internationally acclaimed Wartburg Choir is a mixed a cappella ensemble under the direction of Dr. Lee Nelson. This select group is one of five choirs offered through the music department at Wartburg. Choir members are chosen by audition and represent most academic disciplines on campus. The choir makes annual concert tours throughout the US and travels abroad every three years during the college's one-month May Term performing sacred music from all historical periods and styles. In May, 2017 the Wartburg Choir toured through Germany in celebration of the 500<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Reformation, following the path of Martin Luther and the Reformation. A documentary was filmed during this tour through Germany. <https://youtu.be/Sdol8SV3ceU>

Please join us for this exceptional concert which is free and open to the public. A freewill offering will be taken to offset the choir's travel expenses which are estimated at \$3,000 per day. A suggested donation of \$20 per adult and \$5 per student will help us to reach that goal.

We are still in need of host families to provide overnight housing for the choir members after the concert. If you are willing to house 2 or more choir members in your home there are 3 ways to sign-up:

- 1) Sign-up on the poster in the Narthex.
- 2) Fill out a housing form online.
- 3) Contact [kkallansrud@sbcglobal.net](mailto:kkallansrud@sbcglobal.net) to sign up. Please indicate how many students you are able to house and what pets you have in your home.

There is also a sign-up in the Narthex for food donations to feed the choir upon their arrival as well as kitchen help to prepare the meal. You can also contact Dianne Unverfehrt at [dcbu8891@charter.net](mailto:dcbu8891@charter.net) if you are interested in helping.