



Candace Wicke - Conductor

St. Anthony's Messenger *"...it's fiery heart belongs to conductor Candace Wicke who guided the 160 voice choral group and 50-piece orchestra from beginning to end. Formidable, cantankerous, and so impassioned you can't help but love her, Wicke rocks-a true Maestro"*

The Journal News *"Wicke, recipient of the Woman of Excellence award in Arts and Humanities, has a strong passion for community service and making music accessible to all"*

Independent Press *"It was breathtaking, seeing this sort of multi-generational choir produce the sounds it produces," Holm said, "The way Dr. Wicke conducts and holds the group together is amazing...you come out knowing much more than you did coming in"*

Trenton Times *"performing in the Sistine chapel...the opportunity of a lifetime. It's amazing that Candace's connections in Rome were able to make this opportunity possible for us," Colao said.*

Fox News *"That this Pope Benedict is passionate about music is widely known. Why he is so passionate about music is not as well known. But Wicke and other musicians understand. She's conducted performances at Carnegie Hall and premiered a work by American Composer Stephen Edwards at St. Ignacio a few years ago in Rome"*

Harmony Parlor *"...When the Andre Rieu 2010 Celebration Tour invitation came to Candace Wicke she had just one week to prepare the children for the concert. The chorus did a splendid rendition of Michael Jackson's "Earth Song" and after a standing ovation were escorted to special seats for the second half to the additional resounding applause of an appreciative audience."*

The Continuo Arts Symphonic Chorus
Candace Wicke, Conductor

The New York Times*the Continuo Arts Symphonic Chorus sound marvelous: One of the signal pleasures of the show is the rich choral singing.*

Hollywood Reporter" *uncommonly complex, classically-influenced score often soars, thanks in no small part to Continuo Arts Symphonic Chorus"*

Ashbury Park Press.... "To hear the Continuo Arts Symphonic Chorus singing this music is one of the top attractions of the show."

Broadway World"the Continuo Arts Symphonic Chorus lends wonderful vocals"

Huffington Post ..." *truly excellent singing from the Continuo Arts Symphonic Chorus that certainly adds punch to the many, many climactic moments ...Those who are musically inclined will appreciate the complexity of the score, the motifs for characters that are repeated throughout and the Latin choral work drawing on classic religious melodies"*

Times Square Chronicles ..."*Continuo Arts Symphonic Chorus supplies a divine celestial choir.*"

North Jersey...." *the Continuo Arts Symphonic Choruses rich sound helps transport audience members to another realm. "*

