

# I Hear America Singing

First Presbyterian Church  
McAllen, TX  
Monday, July 2, 2018  
7:00 p.m.

First United Methodist Church  
Brownsville, TX  
Tuesday, July 3, 2018  
7:00 p.m.

Dr. Eric Posada, conductor  
Ruben Reyes, piano

The Star-Spangled Banner \_\_\_\_\_ arr. Eric Whitacre

° My Country 'Tis of Thee #337/#697 °

Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star \_\_\_\_\_ arr. Daniel Elder

Battle Hymn of the Republic \_\_\_\_\_ arr. Peter J. Wilhousky  
**Jesus Cervantes, Jr., percussion**

Dawn \_\_\_\_\_ Eric William Barnum

Deep River \_\_\_\_\_ Traditional Spiritual/arr. Roy Ringwald

I Hear America (Quoting the spiritual "Walk Together Children") André Thomas  
**Jesus Cervantes, Jr., percussion**

Even When He Is Silent \_\_\_\_\_ Kim André Arnesen

° ° ° Intermission ° ° °

° Please stand and join as you are able.

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Sweet Rivers \_\_\_\_\_ Traditional Spiritual/arr. Regina K. Unterseher  
**Men's Ensemble**

High Flight \_\_\_\_\_ Karen Linford Robinson  
**Treble Ensemble**

° This is My Song #340/#437 °

God Bless the USA \_\_\_\_\_ Lee Greenwood  
arr. David Schmidt

I Want Jesus to Walk With Me \_\_\_\_\_ Traditional Spiritual/arr. Moses Hogan

A Tribute to the Armed Services \_\_\_\_\_ arr. Lloyd Larson

Ezekiel \_\_\_\_\_ Traditional Spiritual/arr. Stacey V. Gibbs

## About the Choir

Pasión is a professional chorus that unites singers from the Rio Grande Valley with those from across the United States, all under the direction of Dr. Eric Posada. These choristers represent music-making and friendships from different stages of Posada's life. The bond they collectively share with Dr. Posada and each other is truly palpable, special, spiritual, and emotionally charged.

On June 22, 2017 Pasión presented its inaugural concert "Noche de Lluvia" in McAllen, TX. The concert weekend was received by three thunderous standing ovations and a tangible outpouring of love, support, and anticipation from the community. December marked the choir's debut on Telemundo, and they performed their Christmas Concert "Sing We All Noel". Pasión's first album Light Shines in the Darkness was released in January 2018 and soared to #11 on the iTunes classical music charts. Finally, Pasión has begun collaborating with community organizations such as "Mujeres Unidas/Women Together" and "Bebo's Angels" to support noteworthy causes and bring joy into people's lives.

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