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PROUDLY PRESENTS THE 12th ANNUAL

Celebrate AMERICA

FREE CONCERT IN MILLER PARK

God Bless America (Sing-a-long)

God bless America, land that I love.
Stand beside her and guide her
through the night, with the light from above.
From the mountains to the prairies,
to the oceans, white with foam.
God bless America; my home, sweet home.

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Thank You . . .

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Celebrate America 2017



Trumpet Fanfare.....Jeffrey Holbrook

Celebrate America..... Celebrate Ensemble
Words and Music by Mark A. Brymer

Star Spangled Banner..... Kenny Prince
Flag Bearer: Mahitha Chaturvedula
Words by Francis Scott Key, Arranged by David T. Clydesdale

God Bless America..... Celebrate Ensemble & Brian Pihl
Directed by: Angela Bargmann
Sing-a-long words on back of program
Words and Music by Irving Berlin, Arranged by Joseph M. Martin

This is a Great Country Cassie Greene, Robert Hardin
Sandra Underwood & Celebrate Ensemble
Dancers: Chris Braun, Dreena Carr, Liz Palma, Emma Angles
Words and Music by Irving Berlin

God Bless the USA Joe Palma
Words and Music by Lee Greenwood

I Pledge My Allegiance His Voice
By Gloria Gaither

Heart Fred Render, Kip Hayden, Kenny Prince
& Doug Braun, Robert Hardin, Ronnie Jones, Joe Palma,
Brian Pihl, Michael Schneider, Thomas Wirsing
Music & Lyrics by Richard Adler and Jerry Ross from the musical Damn Yankees

Yankee Doodle..... Dan Brady
Emma Angles, Ivy Goeckner, Emma Williams
Words by Richard Shuckburgh

America the Beautiful Deb Phillips
Words by Katharine Lee Bantes, Music by Samuel A. Ward

Armed Forces Salute..... Celebrate Ensemble
Announcer: Doug Braun
Arranged by Joyce Eilers

Thank You, Soldiers Kids Ensemble & Emma Williams,
Ivy Goeckner, Emma Angles
Words and Music by Michael & Angela Souders

I Pledge!..... Company
Pledge of Allegiance: Bradley Ross Jackson
Words & Music by David T. Clydesdale and Deborah Craig-Claar

Let Freedom Ring His Voice
Written by Bill & Gloria Gaither

Dear Theodosia.....Michael Schneider, Kip Hayden
Music & Lyrics by Lin-Manuel Miranda from the musical Hamilton

We Won't Give Up Ronnie Jones & Celebrate Ensemble
Words by Randy Vader & Rose Aspinall, Music by Jay Rouse

Give Me Your Tired, Your Poor Sandra Underwood &
Celebrate Ensemble
Words by Emma Lazarus, Music by Irving Berlin, Arranged by Mark Brymer

Fifty Nifty United States Kids Ensemble
Words & Music by Ray Charles

Battle Hymn of the Republic..... Ronnie Jones & Celebrate Ensemble
Words by Julia Ward Howe, Arranged by Mark Hayes

Celebrate America (Reprise) Company



Celebrate Ensemble

Angela Bargmann
Doug Braun
Chris Braun
Michael Braun
Lee Brewer
Alicia Brown
Dreena Carr
Andie Fata
Cassie Greene
Robert Hardin
John Hermann
Joe Palma
Liz Palma
Deb Phillips
Brian Pihl
Kenny Prince
Fred Render
Michael Schneider
Becky Schutte
Kara Sheridan
Sandra Underwood
Katie Williams
Thomas Wirsing

Kids Ensemble

Emma Angles
Leah Angles
Elizabeth Bargmann
Nathan Bargmann
Abby Berry
Sadie Berry
Maddie Brown
Abhiram Chaturvedula
Mahitha Chaturvedula
Liliith Clemons
Natalyn Dehner
Lillian Dehner-Marcum
Brookelynn Fritts
Ivy Goeckner
Grace Hayden
Hannah Houston
Bradley Ross Jackson
Savannah Leslie
Piper Long
Riley Long
Lauren Nichols
Luna Palma
Ella Strange
Jamie Thomas
Rya Thomas
Emma Williams

Actors

(in order of appearance)

Emma Angles
Ivy Goeckner
Emma Williams
Cassie Greene
Robert Hardin
Sandra Underwood



His Voice

Abe Shoemaker
Luke Holderby
Matt Holderby
Paul Larsen
John Holderby



Special Appearance

Dan Brady
State Representative
Tari Renner
Bloomington Mayor