

SMUIN'S THE CHRISTMAS BALLET

Blue Shield of California Theater at Yerba Buena
San Francisco
December 16 - 19, 2021

All choreography by Michael Smuin except where otherwise noted

ACT I: THE CLASSICAL CHRISTMAS

MAGNIFICAT

The Company

Sponsored by Susan DuCoeur

ZITHER CAROL

12/16 & 12/18 at 7:30 pm: Cassidy Isaacson

12/17: Claire Buehler

12/18 at 2 pm: Tess Lane

12/19: Lauren Pschirrer

HODIE CHRISTUS NATUS EST

12/16 & 12/18 at 7:30 pm: Lauren Pschirrer and Weston Krukow

12/17: Tess Lane and Max van der Sterre

12/18 at 2 pm: Maggie Carey and Brandon Alexander

12/19: Terez Dean Orr and Max van der Sterre

WE WISH YOU A MERRY CHRISTMAS

Choreography: Tessa Barbour

The Company

EXCELSIS (World Premiere)

Choreography: Rex Wheeler

12/16 & 12/18 at 7:30 pm: Claire Buehler Mengjun Chen Marc LaPierre

12/17: Lauren Pschirrer Brandon Alexander Weston Krukow

12/18 at 2 pm: Terez Dean Orr Brandon Alexander Weston Krukow

12/19: Tess Lane Mengjun Chen Marc LaPierre

Sponsored by Robin Raborn & John Lazlo

VENI, VENI, EMMANUEL

The Women of the Company

RIU, RIU, CHIU

12/16 & 12/18 at 7:30 pm: Mengjun Chen

12/17 & 12/19: Max van der Sterre

12/18 at 2 pm: Yuri Rogers

FOR UNTO US A CHILD IS BORN

12/16 & 12/18 at 2 pm: Tess Lane and Max van der Sterre with the Company

12/17 & 12/19: Cassidy Isaacson and Brandon Alexander with the Company

12/18 at 7:30 pm: Terez Dean Orr and Ian Buchanan with the Company

AVE MARIA

12/16: Terez Dean Orr

12/17 & 12/19: Maggie Carey

12/18 at 2 pm: Brennan Wall

12/18 at 7:30 pm: Tessa Barbour

WINTER WONDER

Choreography: Ian Buchanan, Maggie Carey, Tess Lane, Max van der Sterre

12/16 & 12/18 at 7:30 pm: Claire Buehler Marc LaPierre Lauren Pschirrer Yuri Rogers

12/17: Mengjun Chen Terez Dean Orr Weston Krukow Brennan Wall

12/18 at 2 pm: Ian Buchanan Maggie Carey Tess Lane Max van der Sterre

12/19: Brandon Alexander Tessa Barbour Stéphano Candreva Cassidy Isaacson

LA VIRGEN LAVA PAÑALES

12/16 & 12/18 at 2 pm: Stéphano Candreva

12/17 & 12/19: Marc LaPierre

12/18 at 7:30 pm: Brandon Alexander

THE GLOUCESTERSHIRE WASSAIL

The Company

LICHT BENSH'N "CANDLE BLESSING"

12/16 & 12/18 at 2 pm: Tessa Barbour with the Men of the Company

12/17 & 12/19: Brennan Wall with the Men of the Company

12/18 at 7:30 pm: Tess Lane with the Men of the Company

DOBRA NOTSCH “SLEEP WELL”

12/16 & 12/18 at 2 pm: Tessa Barbour and Brandon Alexander

12/17 & 12/19: Brennan Wall and Max van der Sterne

12/18 at 7:30 pm: Tess Lane and Stéphano Candreva

JOY TO THE WORLD

Choreography: Nicole Haskins

The Company

INTERMISSION

ACT II: THE COOL CHRISTMAS

CHRISTMAS IN NEW ORLEANS

The Company

DRUMMER BOY

12/16 & 12/18: Marc LaPierre

12/17 & 12/19: Mengjun Chen

WHAT ARE YOU DOING NEW YEAR’S EVE?

Choreography: Amy Seiwert

12/16: Terez Dean Orr and Mengjun Chen

12/18 at 2 pm & 12/19: Cassidy Isaacson and Brandon Alexander

12/17 & 12/18 at 7:30 pm: Tessa Barbour and Weston Krukow

SANTA BABY

12/16 & 12/18 at 7:30 pm: Brennan Wall with the Men of the Company

12/17 & 12/19: Terez Dean Orr with the Men of the Company

12/18 at 2 pm: Tessa Barbour with the Men of the Company

WINTER WEATHER

The Company

Sponsored by Jason Fuchs/Aukum Management, in honor of Bruce Braden

PRETTY PAPER

12/16: Maggie Carey and Weston Krukow
12/17 & 12/19: Tess Lane and Stéphano Candreva
12/18 at 2 pm: Brennan Wall and Max van der Sterre
12/18 at 7:30 pm: Maggie Carey and Ian Buchanan

DROOPY LITTLE CHRISTMAS TREE

The Men of the Company

Sponsored by Amanda Weitman & Chris Heffelfinger

IT'S BEGINNING TO LOOK A LOT LIKE CHRISTMAS

Choreography: Tessa Barbour

12/16 & 12/19: Maggie Carey and Stéphano Candreva
12/17: Tessa Barbour and Cassidy Isaacson
12/18 at 2 pm: Maggie Carey and Cassidy Isaacson
12/18 at 7:30 pm: Tessa Barbour and Maggie Carey

Sponsored by the Friends of Smuin

J-I-N-G-L-E BELLS

Choreography: Nicole Haskins

12/16: Terez Dean Orr and Weston Krukow, Cassidy Isaacson and Brandon Alexander
12/17: Tess Lane and Yuri Rogers, Maggie Carey and Mengjun Chen
12/18 at 2 pm: Tess Lane and Ian Buchanan, Lauren Pschirrer and Mengjun Chen
12/18 at 7:30 pm: Brennan Wall and Marc LaPierre, Cassidy Isaacson and Brandon Alexander
12/19: Terez Dean Orr and Weston Krukow, Tessa Barbour and Max van der Sterre

LA CALANDRIA

12/16: Tess Lane
12/17 & 12/18 at 7:30 pm: Lauren Pschirrer
12/18 at 2 pm: Tessa Barbour
12/19: Cassidy Isaacson

CHRISTMAS TREE ROCK

Choreography: Rex Wheeler

The Company

SHOWTIME (World Premiere)

Choreography: Ben Needham-Wood

12/16, 12/18 at 2 pm & 12/19: Brennan Wall and Weston Krukow
12/17 & 12/18 at 7:30 pm: Cassidy Isaacson and Brandon Alexander

FROSTY THE SNOWMAN

Choreography: Ben Needham-Wood

12/16 & 12/19: Marc LaPierre with the Company

12/17 & 12/18 at 7:30 pm: Weston Krukow with the Company

12/18 at 2 pm: Ian Buchanan with the Company

BELLS OF DUBLIN

Tessa Barbour

SNOW DAY!

Choreography: Rex Wheeler

12/16 & 12/18 at 7:30 pm: Tess Lane Max van der Sterre Maggie Carey Ian Buchanan

12/17 & 12/19: Brennan Wall Yuri Rogers Lauren Pschirrer Brandon Alexander

12/18 at 2 pm: Claire Buehler Weston Krukow Cassidy Isaacson Marc LaPierre

WHITE CHRISTMAS

The Company