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**YOUNG WOMEN'S CHORAL PROJECTS OF SAN FRANCISCO
PRESENTS *BOUNDLESS GRACE*
IN PARTNERSHIP WITH GRACE CATHEDRAL,
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 2022**

SAN FRANCISCO (January 13, 2022) – Today, **Young Women's Choral Projects of San Francisco (YWCP) Founding Director Susan McMane** announced the program for *Boundless Grace*, featuring YWCP's premier ensemble, the **Young Women's Chorus**. Presented in partnership with **Grace Cathedral**, *Boundless Grace* is part of YWCP's 10th anniversary season, happening on **Saturday, February 19, 2022 at 4 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.** The Young Women's Chorus will join forces with the San Francisco Ballet School Training Ensemble and guest instrumentalists including string quartet, flute and harp. Performers will be featured in the center of the cathedral, with audiences in the round, offering a fresh, intimate experience, without the traditional pews. Tickets are \$15–60 and are available online at ywcp.org.

"The overarching theme of *Boundless Grace* is the search for one's full potential. I see the production like a walk through a labyrinth," says Dr. McMane. "Audiences will experience comforting, traditional beauty and form alongside more contemporary sounds that challenge and push boundaries. *Boundless Grace* will feature sacred compositions of prayer and praise, reflections on dreadful darkness with light still shining through, and contemporary pieces by women composers **Christine Donkin, Mia Makaroff, Katerina Gimon, and Reena Esmail**. The performance presents a journey of courage and limitless grace found through a compassionate, musical community."

YWCP's 10th anniversary season will also be the final season with Founding Director Dr. McMane at the helm, as she will retire at the end of the season. After launching in 2012, YWCP has grown to six ensembles of more than 100 young women, ages 4 to 18. The Board of Directors will appoint an interim director for YWCP's 2022-2023 season, when it will launch an international search for the next artistic director.

Full vaccination is required for all attendees of *Boundless Grace* and a face covering is required for entry. Full vaccination is defined as two doses of Pfizer or Moderna vaccines, completed by February 5, 2022, or one dose of Johnson and Johnson vaccine completed by February 5, 2022.

CALENDAR EDITORS, PLEASE NOTE:

Boundless Grace

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Young Women's Chorus of Young Women's Choral Projects

Grace Cathedral, San Francisco

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Tickets: \$15–60

About the Young Women's Choral Projects of San Francisco

The Young Women's Choral Projects of San Francisco, led by Artistic and Executive Director Susan McMane, is recognized as a world-class choral organization for young women. Founded in 2012, YWCP includes six levels of choral experience for young women ages 4-18 from across the San Francisco Bay Area. YWCP's mission is to transform the lives of young women through exceptional artistry in choral performance and bring the expressive power of their music to the community, the nation, and the world. Through YWCP, participants of diverse backgrounds find their voices as singers, artists and women in a nurturing environment that empowers them to achieve artistic and personal excellence. The collaborative experience of high-quality music education and choral performance foster the development of each individual young woman and teach her important life skills. Learn more at www.ywcp.org.

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