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175th Anniversary Celebration with Joint Evensong Nashotah House and All Saints Cathedral

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NASHOTAH, WISCONSIN, (February 9, 2017) – Two of Wisconsin's most historic institutions of the Episcopal Church are coming together for a joint Evensong in celebration of 175 years of their founding and partnership. Nashotah House and All Saints Cathedral in Milwaukee were founded by Jackson Kemper, the first Bishop of Milwaukee in 1842, for the purpose of serving the Wisconsin frontier and the newly formed Diocese of Wisconsin. 175 years later, Nashotah House and All Saints Cathedral are proud to have maintained their shared dedication to choral traditions and continued success in sharing faith through music.

"Evensong is one of the best gifts the Church has to give to the world today" stated Fr. Alex Pryor, Director of Chapel Music at Nashotah House, "There's no sermon, just the chanted text that has remained essentially unchanged since the 1500s, and the rich choral tradition of anthems just like you would hear at Westminster Abbey or Kings College, Oxford. That space, that gift, to just come and sit and listen to what God might be saying is precisely what we need today."

This special celebration is open to all and offers a respite from the influences of our fast-paced, high-tech world. The solace Evensong brings is a primary reason attendance at Cathedrals across England is a growing trend....a trend Nashotah House and All Saints Cathedral would welcome in Wisconsin.

Please join us and let the sounds of Evensong and Chapel surroundings fill your heart with joy and perhaps offer a way to come to faith, or return to faith, by being drawn into the choral worship experience.

All Saints Cathedral
Joint Evensong with Nashotah House
March 5th, Organ Recital at 3:30pm, Evensong at 4:00pm
818 E. Juneau Avenue
Milwaukee, WI 53202
<http://www.ascathedral.org/>

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