February 3rd, 2015
Green B. Trimble Technical High School
7:30 PM

Dr. Raymond Wise - Clinician/Director

Fort Worth ISD High School Choirs
Carmina Barnett - Emcee
Fort Worth Independent School District
Choir Directors

Arlington Heights HS - L. K. Fletcher
Benbrook HS - Charles Mason
Carter Riverside HS - Bryce Myerhoff
Diamond Hill Jarvis HS - Kathleen Reimer
Dunbar HS - David Rhone
Eastern Hills HS - Joshua Ezell
North Side HS - Hans Grim
Polytechnical High School - Lori Hawkins
South Hills HS - Rocky Buchanan
Southwest HS - Debbie Pesnell
Trimble Tech HS - Isaac Ristow
Western Hills HS - Debra Rue
O. D. Wyatt HS - Brian Stratton
Young Women's Leadership Academy - Jonathan Ratzlaff
Program Selected From

“Great God”  
written by Deitrick Haddon  
performed by the “East Side Unity Choir”  
performed by comprised of Eastern Hills, Dunbar, Polytechnic and O. D. Wyatt High Schools

“I’m Gonna Rise (When the Son Comes Down)”  
written by Paul Marsena  
performed by Carter Riverside, Diamond Hill-Jarvis and North Side High Schools

“In the Sanctuary”  
written by Kurt Carr  
performed by Benbrook, South Hills, Southwest, and Western Hills High Schools

“Lean On Me”  
written by Kirk Franklin  
performed by Arlington Heights, Trimble Tech High Schools and the Young Women’s Leadership Academy

Mass Gospel Choir Selections

“Hallowed Be Thy Name”  
words and music by Kurt Lykes and Kenneth Knight

“I’ve Got a Robe”  
Traditional Spiritual arranged by Raymond Wise

“I Opened My Mouth To The Lord”  
Traditional Spiritual transcribed by Raymond Wise

“This is the Day”  
written by Arvis Strickling-Jones; transcribed by Raymond Wise
Rev. Raymond Wise, Ph. D., a native of Baltimore, Md., is the son of C. Dexter Wise Jr. and Rev. Julia Virginia Wise. He began his musical career at the age of three, singing gospel music with his family singing group "The Wise Singers." Rev. Wise was educated through the Baltimore City Public School System. He then went on to Denison University (Granville, Ohio) where he reorganized the Black Student Union Choir, started the Black Student Union Ensemble and Dance company and earned a B.F.A. in Music. From there he went on to study Opera, Art, and German at the Institute for European Studios in Vienna, Austria, then on to study African-American History, Music, and Dance at San Francisco State University in San Francisco, California. He completed an apprenticeship in the business and recording of Gospel Music with the Walter Hawkins Corporation in Oakland, California. Rev. Wise was awarded a Graduate Fellowship from the Ohio State University in Columbus, Ohio where earned his Masters in Music Education and Ohio Teacher's Certification. In addition he also completed a Doctorate in Music Education at the Ohio State University for which his dissertation topic is "Defining African American Gospel Music by Tracing its Historical and Musical Development from 1900 to 2000."

Carmina Barnett has always had a love for Gospel Music, so it seemed to be a natural progression for her to pursue a career where she could share the music she loves. She began her broadcasting career in 2000, and after a year of growing and perfecting her skill, the door opened for her to join Dallas and Fort Worth's only 24-hour Gospel Music Station, Heaven 97 KHVN. Since then, she has become the host of the Praise Drive heard each weekday from 2 pm to 6 pm. She also hosts the Homegrown Gospel Show on Saturdays, 9:00 am to 10:00 am. Homegrown Gospel has been a tradition at KHVN for many years. As of September 2010 Carmina became the Program Director for KHVN. She also coordinates the station promotions, production and music programming. Carmina also serves as Director of Education for the Dallas Chapter of the Gospel Announcer's Guild, and is a Board Member for the Texas Gospel Announcer's Guild, a division of the Gospel Music Workshop of America, Inc.

**Instrumentalists**

**Piano** – Nathan Young

**Keyboard** – Clark Joseph

**Bass Guitar** – Donell Davis

**Drummer** – Cedric Shelton