

## Press Release

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### **DEMEL, RENOWNED SAND ARTIST, WILL JOIN COMMUNITY CHRISTIAN CHOIR FOR MILLSTONE CONCERT**



**“Sand Animation” by Mark Demel**

**April 27, 2008** – The Community Christian Choir has announced that Mark Demel, renowned Christian Sand Artist, will be performing his “sand animation” art at the CCC concert this Sunday, May 4th, (3 pm) at the Millstone Performing Arts Center, Perrineville, NJ. Performing its mid-season concert, the CCC will be presenting, “Center-Peace”, a festival of music combined to inspire and challenge the audience to find balance and peace with Christ. “The CCC is thrilled to have Mark join us onstage telling this special message of ‘Peace’ through Christ,” said Pat Weitz, director of the 130 member, multi-denominational contemporary Christian choir. “We heard about Mark and couldn’t wait to perform with him. Audiences rarely get an opportunity to see this combination of artists sharing the message.”

Demel, thrilling audiences all over the east coast, combines light and sand to tell a story that inspires and resonates deep inside. Recently he performed at the WinterFest Youth Rally in Gatlinburg, TN. For more information on his art, please check his website at [www.SandandLight.com](http://www.SandandLight.com).

The concert at Millstone Performing Art Center will also coincide with the “Center-Peace” Art Challenge conducted by the Community Christian Children’s Choir. Art and writing pieces (such as poetry, essays and short stories) submitted in this contest will be shown in the lobby area of the Arts Center prior to the concert. Over 50 pieces of art have been submitted for this contest. Winners will be announced at the Concert and displayed. For more information and contest details, please see the website at [www.ccchoir.com](http://www.ccchoir.com) or call 609-587-7076.

Performing benefit concerts for local charities over the last 13 years, the Community Christian Choir has raised over \$115,000 for charities. This season’s concerts are benefiting Interfaith Quiet Fund (Millstone) and Fund for Ethan (St. Martin of Tours, New Hope, PA on May 9<sup>th</sup>). The first concert in this series held at Robbinsville Seventh Day Adventist Church raised over \$1,000 for Project Freedom. Past charities have been Anchor House, Habitat for Humanities, Families In Transition, Sunshine Foundation and many more. A full list of charities can be found on the choir website ([www.ccchoir.com](http://www.ccchoir.com)).

The CCC is a multi-denominational contemporary Christian choir with a mission of excellence in choral ministry. With over 130 members ranging from age 5 to Adult, this choir has performed for 27 seasons music that has delighted young and old. As all its concerts are free, a free-will offering is collected all concerts with all proceeds going to the designated charity. For more information about the choir, please contact Pat Weitz at 609-587-7076.