

## 24TH CHILDRENS' CONCERT TUES. DEC. 15

Tuesday, December 15, will mark the official opening of the Christmas Season for some 2,500 Daytonians.

They are the people who will attend the Inland Children's Chorus 24th Annual Christmas Concert at Memorial Hall.

Many have seen and heard every concert and this 1959 presentation, which will start at 8 p.m., will be for them, the continuance of a wonderful tradition.

More than 200 boys and girls, 100 of them in the Concert group, have been prepared for the event by Director Joseph P. Geiger, assisted by Paul Ray Jones. The Chorus has been in rehearsal since the start of the new school year.

These are the same children, 8 through 16 years of age, who 9 nights later will be looking forward, perhaps a bit doubtful, to the

coming of Santa Claus, trimming Xmas trees and wrapping presents.

The setting for the opening of the year's most joyous and holy season will be practically unchanged.

Attired in their Alice Blue gowns and Eton suits, the children will sing six arrangements in each of a two part program as arranged by Mr. Geiger.

Mr. Geiger will be observing the start of his sixth year as Director of the Chorus.

Mr. J. D. O'Brien, Inland's General' Manager, will talk briefly at intermission. His timely Christmas messages are anticipated, especially so as this year, 1959, nears its close.

Tickets will be required from those attending the Concert. They are available, free, at Personnel Activities.

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Pictured on the cover are members of the Inland Children's Chorus, their Director and Accompanist. They are (L to R): 1-Bunny Loges and Don Stevens. 2-Darlene Weller, Barbara Westbrock Peggy Anderson. Lower center, Sheila Borton. 3-Bob Hamden, Michael Wirick and Ronald Rehling. 4-Paul Ray Jones, Accompanist. 5-Barbara Frederick and Sue Karen George. 6-Joseph P. Geiger, Director. 7-Members from the Howard Stevens Don, Candie and John.

Courtesy of James Lehman