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AUDITIONS SLATED FOR DAYTON BACH SOCIETY

DAYTON, Ohio -- The Dayton Bach Society will hold auditions for new singers for the 1991-92 season on Tuesday and Wednesday, Sept. 3 and 4, in the Music/Theatre Building on the University of Dayton campus. Call (513) 229-3986 to schedule an audition time.

"The coming season will be one of our most varied," said Richard Benedum, conductor of the Bach Society and professor of music at UD. "The first program will combine one of Johann Sebastian Bach's most impressive yet little-known church cantatas with Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart's 'Coronation' Mass. Later programs in the season will include the traditional 'Messiah' sing-in and other holiday concerts, the 'St. Matthew Passion' by Bach and a lighter program in the spring featuring the choral waltzes of Johann Strauss."

The audition will consist of checking voice range, voice quality and sight-singing. Prospective singers need not prepare an aria or solo. There are openings in all sections.

For more information, contact the Dayton Bach Society at (513) 256-BACH or general manager Lin Baer at (513) 873-8101.