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ORLANDO GAY CHORUS PRODUCES BIG BULGING BASKETS

OGC to distribute baskets filled with holiday staples and treats for Thanksgiving

Orlando, Florida, October 31, 2017— The Orlando Gay Chorus (OGC) is proud to announce that it will once again create and distribute its Big Bulging Baskets for Thanksgiving. These baskets will be given to Children’s Home Society (CHS) of Central Florida to help local Florida families celebrate a better Thanksgiving.

Additional to performing music and singing the world to a better place, the Orlando Gay Chorus offers humanitarian services throughout the year. Every November, for over twenty years, OGC’s five chorus sections — support, sopranos, altos, tenors and basses — join with the CHS Central Florida office to provide families in need with Thanksgiving Day meal baskets. The Big Bulging Baskets contain holiday staples and treats, as well as necessities — ranging from toothbrushes and toilet paper to crockpots and microwaves.

OGC has partnered with Children’s Home Society for over 20 years. Caseworkers will come the Wednesday before Thanksgiving and pick up the donations and deliver them to the selected families. Families are selected as some of the neediest families for which CHS is providing case management services.

ABOUT ORLANDO GAY CHORUS

The Orlando Gay Chorus (OGC) is a 501(c)(3) not-for-profit arts and humanitarian organization and one of the largest mixed gay choirs in the country. The men and women of the chorus, now 164+ strong and comprised of gay, straight, bisexual, and transgender individuals, feel thankful to be able to carry on our mission and vision. Our musical artistry speaks directly to our pride in ourselves, and offers the world a chance to see beyond headlines and contentious social issues to build bridges of understanding and love.

Founded on Valentine’s Day in 1990, OGC has been a fixture in the Central Florida area for over 27 years. In addition to the full chorus, OGC has four ensembles that perform at the annual concerts and cabarets, as well as outreach events: OUTLOUD!, the oldest running ensemble; Nothin’ But Treble, the all-female ensemble; Menage, the jazz ensemble; and Spectrum, the mixed ensemble.

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