Chicago Puppet Fest presents:

Bread & Puppet Theater: Aeschylus' THE PERSIANS
January 28-29, 2022
Epiphany Center for the Arts
201 S. Ashland Ave.

PROLOGUE: Homo sapiens, Humanity, and the Chair
Part 1: Battle
LIBATION #1
CURTAIN #1: Atossa's Dream
Part 2: Chairs & Clowns
LIBATION #2
CURTAIN #2: A Pale face in the Window
Part 3: A Sea of Bodies
LIBATION #3
CURTAIN #3: Xerxes
Part 4: "Erbarme Dich" Mercy

MUSIC
"Erbarme dich, mein Gott," from St. Matthew Passion by Johann Sebastian Bach
"Hell Broke Loose in Georgia," Trad.
"Agincourt Carol," Anonymous
"O du schöne Rose/O you beautiful rose," Text: Mechthild von Magdeburg, translated by Peter Schumann; music: Joshua Krugman

MUSICIANS
Gideon Crevoshay, voice
Matthew Shiffrin, voice
Melanie Henley Heyn, voice
Nessa Rabin, voice
Tomas Majcherski, saxophone

COMPANY
Esteli Kitchen, Homo sapiens
Iñaki Blanco Sáenz, Humanity

Amelia Castillo
Clare Dolan
David Guzman
John Bell
Joshua Krugman
Louisa Parker
Sofía Padilla
Tom Cunningham
Torri Lynn Ashford
Trudi Cohen
Uriel Najera
CHICAGO VOLUNTEER PERFORMERS
Angela Allyn
Ellen OKeefe
Mark Buettner
Kate Smith
David Steinman
Charlie Miller
Spiro Dousias
Rebekah Dousias
Cyndi Parr
Peach Gallant
Jungsuh Sue Lim
Dania Einhorn
Felicia Cooper
Ana Perezagua
Jaqueline Wade
Amber Creger
Julia Cavagna
Molly Wickes
Sheri Doyel

SCENIC DESIGN
Uriel Najera

FRONT OF HOUSE
Sivan Spector
Caitlin McLeod

ESSENTIAL SUPPORT
Bear Bessette of Dona's Car Store & Wildcat Busing, tour bus support
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