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CHARLESTON, IL--Public auditions for the Eastern Illinois University Oratorio Chorus will be held Sunday, Nov. 20 at 4 p.m. in Room FAM 28 of the Fine Arts Center.

Robert E. Snyder, Director, said rehearsal schedules call for the Chorus to meet Monday-Thursday at 2 p.m., arrangements will be made for interested singers to meet at a different time that will not interfere with work obligations.

Snyder may be contacted by telephone at 581-3111 for questions or for the arrangement of a different audition time. He said the audition will include voice quality and range, and sight reading of a melody. Participants will be expected to purchase their own scores, Snyder said.

The Oratorio Chorus has been invited to sing with the Danville Symphony Orchestra on March 2. William Walton's "Belshazzar's Feast" will be performed.

Snyder said "Belshazzar's Feast is an exciting, moving and dramatic piece, and it will be a marvelous choral-orchestral experience for all who love to sing."