

# The Women's Fund proudly presents...

## *women on stage*

Thursday, June 15 • 6:30-10 p.m., • Holiday Inn

Admission: \$20 - prepaid

Featuring dynamic jazz music group "The Girls"

(But the boys are welcome too!)

For more information call 320-253-4380

• All Proceeds go to the Women's Fund



## *what's been happening...*

### Her Story~Her Song

An annual concert of poetry and song, is the result of collaboration and friendships among women faculty members in the SCSU Music Department. It is a celebration of the rich and diverse life experiences of women and girls around the world, featuring the music, poetry and performances of women and girls. This year's concert held on April 20th at Bethlehem Lutheran Church featured the SCSU Women's Choir, conducted by Mary Jo Bot; Cantabile Girls' Choir, conducted by Jane Oxtom; music faculty Melissa Krause, Carmen Wilhite, Marion Judish, Marcelyn Smale and Catherine Verilli.

This year's community connection  
for the concert was

The Women's Fund of the Central Minnesota Community Foundation. Members of the Women's Fund Steering Committee visited the SCSU Women's Choir, Cantabile Girls' Choir, and Cantabile parents. A survey was taken by the 6th through 8th grade girls in Cantabile to identify for the Women's Fund issues and concerns important to middle school girls.

The Women's Fund Grants Committee is reviewing the first set of grant applications that were received by April 16th. \$5,000 is available to grant and will be directed to agencies that benefit middle school-age girls, women in transition, or older women. Results will be publicly announced on June 15th at Women on Stage.

### FUNDRAISING

results as of April 1:

**\$219,938**

given or committed by individuals.

With the \$100,000 challenge grant from Otto Bremer Foundation, the total will be \$319,938.

**Goal: \$1,000,000**