

MACDOWELL MUSIC CLUB



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The MacDowell Music Club of Canton celebrates 117 years of promoting music. We present programs free to the public, and support young musicians through college scholarships and performance opportunities. We bring you cultural information, and we encourage

MUSIC FOR LIFE!

Dear Music Lovers,

We wish you a sparkling holiday season! Many organizations have special musical offerings. Especially note our concert on December 15 (see program at right), which promises to be great fun!

If you know of anyone wishing to receive the e-mailed newsletter who is not on our list, please send their e-mail address (or ask them to send it) to me, Barbara Bond, at this address: RevBLBond@msn.com

Musically yours,

Barbara Bond

Parking is free at the Cultural Center for attendees of MacDowell Club events. Tell the attendant that you are there for a MacDowell concert!

**Next concert: December 15, 3 pm
Cable Recital Hall, PB&J & Friends.
Paige Burris, soprano, Jacob Jaworsky,
guitar. Reception follows.**

**The Carol of the BirdsJohn Jacob Niles
I wonder as I wanderJohn Jacob Niles
Paige Burris and Curtis Tate**

**Jingle Bells James Pierpont
Isabella Sherman, Gabriella Sherman, Eliza
Strader, Julie Slabaugh, Addie Novak, Ave
Barnes, Ella Barnes, Jack Barnes, and Parker
Groman**

**Joy to the WorldGeorge Handel
Jacob Jaworsky and Hope Knight**

**Sussex Mummers Christmas Carol.Grainger
Curtis Tate**

**Away in a Manger.....English Carol
Adi Price, Alexis Cummings, Ashton Ross, and
Kaitlyn Sinley**

**Hall of the Mountain KingEdvard Grieg
Ashton Ross**

**Nocturne In C Minor.....Frederic Chopin
Rayna Jones**

**Jesus Jesus Rest Your Head.....JJ Niles
What Songs Were Sung.....JJ Niles
Paige Burris and Curtis Tate**

Jolly Old Saint NicolasEnglish Carol

Harper Midock, Amara Boyd, Jayla Boyd, Millie Mulheim, Violet Christopher, Sunny Christopher, Layna Moldovan, and Parker Groman

Little Drummer Boy.....Katherine Davis

Alexander and Oliver Yeager

Carol of the BellsMykola Leontovych

Jacob Jaworsky and Rion Van Zile

Good King Wenceslas.....John Mason Neale

Sadie McConnell, Sofia McConnell, Amara Boyd, Jayla Boyd, Ali Price, Addie Novak, and Parker Groman

Here Comes Santa ClausGene Autry

Finn Harvey

We Wish you a Merry Christmas....A.Warrell

Jacob Jaworsky and Paige Burris

MacDowell Concerts 2024-2025

February 2: Christ Presbyterian Church, 3 pm

Jean Couchie Burnquist, Catherine Elsass Dillon, sopranos, Heather Cooper, organ, Mary Bontrager, violin, Brent Schloneger, piano,

March 16: St Timothy's, 3 pm, Andrew Bolden, tenor; Laurel Seeds, soprano; Linda Hannah and Kevin Kutz, piano four hands

April 6: Cable Recital Hall, 3pm. Kenneth Kramer, bass, Paige Burris, soprano, Marian Henderson, voice and piano, Bohdan Subchak, violin.

April 27: Cable Recital Hall, 2 pm
Junior MacDowell

May 18, Sunday, 1:00 pm Annual luncheon,
2:00 pm Concert by scholarship winners, Zion UCC Church, North Canton.

Ballet Theatre of Ohio

Akron Civic Theatre

Nov 30 – December 8 The Nutcracker

May 3-4 The Little Mermaid

Canton Ballet, Palace Theatre

Dec 13 – 15 The Nutcracker

Canton Symphony live for all performances

Dec 13 & 14, 7 pm; Dec 14, 15: 2 pm

April 3 – 5 Cinderella

Christ Presbyterian Church

2024-25 Concert Series

Dec 15 4 p Christmas Pipes, John Schwandt, organ

Feb 21 7 p Caroline Oltmanns, piano

Mar 14 7 p Rutter Requiem, Chancel Choir

Mar 28 7 p Astralis Chamber Ensemble

May 16 7 p Choral Evensong, Chancel Choir

Metropolitan Opera in HD

Performances shown at Cinemark Bistro at 1 pm Saturdays, encores Wednesdays 1 pm

Jan 25 Verdi: Aida (new)

March 15 Beethoven: Fidelio (new)

April 26: Mozart: Marriage of Figaro

May 17 Strauss: Salome (new)

May 31 Rossini: Barber of Seville

Malone: 7 pm Stewart Rm, Randall

Dec 6 & 7, 7:30 pm Christmas at Malone,

“For We Have Seen His Star,” Johnson Ctr

Dec 8, 7:30 pm TUBA Christmas, Johnson

Tuesday Musical, Akron

EJ Thomas, Tuesdays 7:30 pm

Dec 3 Joyce DiDonato with Kings Return

Feb 11 Czech National Philharmonic

March 4 Isidore String Quartet with Jeremy Denk, piano

April 22 World premiere *Fanfare for Akron*

A Chorus For A Cause

A Chorus for a Cause will present holiday concerts in mid-December. All concerts are free, but donations are accepted

Dec 15, 3:30 pm St. Timothy's Episcopal Church, Massillon.

Dec 17, 7:30 pm Faith UMC, North Canton.

Harmony Ringers: A Handbell Christmas

Dec 7, 3 pm, Hudson UMC, 2600 Hudson-Aurora Rd

Dec. 8, 3 pm Christ Methodist Church, 600 E. Gorgas St, Louisville

Dec 14, 3 pm St Stephen Martyr Lutheran, 4600 Fulton

Apollo's Fire Baroque Orchestra

Locations at website apollosfire.org

Wassail! Irish-Appalachian Christmas

St. Noel Catholic, Willoughby Hills, Dec 3, 7p

Bath UCC Church, Dec 4, 7 pm

Chagrin Falls Performing Arts, Dec 7, 7:30p

Avon Performing Arts Ctr, Dec 8, 3 pm

Handel's Messiah

St Paul's Episcopal Akron, Dec 10, 7 p

St Raphael Catholic, Bay Village Dec 12 7p

Trinity Cathedral Cleveland Dec 13 and 14, 7:30 p

Virtuoso Brilliance: Vivaldi, Telemann

First UMC Akron, Feb 6, 7:30 pm

Rocky River Presby, Feb 7, 7:30 pm

St Paul's Episcopal Cleveland Hts, Feb 8 7:30 pm and Feb 9, 4 pm

Classical Sparks: Haydn, Bologne, Mozart

First UMC Akron Feb 27, 7:30 pm

St Raphael Catholic, Bay Village, Feb 28, 7:30 pm

First Baptist Shaker Hts, Mar 1, 7:30 pm

Cleveland Museum of Art, Mar 2, 3 pm

Bach B-minor Mass

St Paul's Episcopal Akron, Apr 4, 7:30 pm

Trinity Cathedral Cleveland, Apr 5 and Apr 8, 7:30 pm

St Christopher Parish Rocky River, Apr 6, 4p

Divine Mercy Parish, Massillon

Dec 4 7 pm St Barbara Church. The Walsh University Chorale and Handbell Choir, under the direction of Dr. Britt Cooper, will present Lessons & Carols.

March 12 and each Wednesday in Lent: Organ recitals at 12 noon at St. Joseph Catholic Church.

April 29, 7 pm Northwest HS Select Singers, Conner Busby, director, St. Mary Catholic Church

May 4, 3 pm St Mary Catholic Church: Canton Chapter, American Guild of Organists 70th Anniversary Concert

Canton Symphony Orchestra

Cantonsymphony.org, Umstattd Hall

Masterworks Series

Most concerts begin at 7:30 pm Saturdays

Dec 8, 3 pm Sunday: Holiday Pops

Jan 25 All Things Majestic: Dvorak, Hiddon, Brahms

Feb 16 Sunday with Sibelius, Konrad

Kowal, violin; Sunday 3 pm

Mar 22 Beethoven Piano Concerto Nr 1, Reed Tetzloff, piano

Pops: 7:30 Saturdays, Canton Palace

Mar 8 Steel Wheels

Apr 5 The music of Journey, Jeans n' Classics

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