



Nov 2024 - Jan 2025

CATHEDRAL ARTS QUARTERLY

Our mission is to provide a physical sanctuary in which art in all forms cultivates inspiration and nourishes the human spirit through its transformative power.

SUN NOV 3 4 PM FAURÉ REQUIEM



Vermont Choral Union and the Juno award-winning period instrument ensemble *L'harmonie des saisons* are joined by youth choristers from the Cathedral Church of St. Paul, Burlington and St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Middlebury, under the direction of Eric Milnes.

A unique opportunity to hear the one of the most-performed works in the sacred music repertory in a fresh guise, one of the first performances with period orchestra in the U.S. Commemorating the 100th anniversary of the death of this great Parisian composer, the concert also includes Fauré's *Messe Basse* and *Cantique de Jean Racine*, and works of César Franck.

SUN NOV 10 4 PM CHAMPLAIN TRIO



Fall Impressions invites listeners on a musical journey into the world of French impressionism, with Claude Debussy's endearing Piano Trio in G Major, written at the young age of 16, followed by Charlotte Sohy's

stirring and rarely heard Piano Trio Op. 24. The second half opens with Mel Bonis' *Soir-Matin* enveloping listeners in a dreamscape of dusk and dawn, and concludes with Gabriel Fauré's timeless Piano Trio in D Minor, a poignant expression of longing and nostalgia.

SUN NOV 17 4 PM PRAISE AND MAJESTY



Join the Cathedral Choirs (adults and youth Choristers), guest singers, organ, brass quintet and tympani for a festival of thanks. This concert combines readings from C. S. Lewis's *Chronicles of Narnia*, and secular and sacred poetry to celebrate music's role in our lives. The Te Deum, one of the oldest hymns of praise, is an Anglican favorite in C. V. Stanford's noble, stirring setting for the 1902 Coronation. Music by Flor Peeters, Arthur Baynon, Mary Plumstead, Hugo Distler, Nadia Boulanger, Edward Elgar, J. S. Bach, and Charles-Marie Widor's *Toccata*. This concert may leave you with a feeling of hope.

SUN DEC 8 4 and 7:30 PM MESSIAH



The Vermont Choral Union, directed by Eric Milnes, will partner with Montréal's Baroque Ensemble *L'Harmonie des saisons* in two remarkable performances

of Handel's holiday favorite, bringing the magnificent sacred work alive with period 18th-century instruments, offering audiences the opportunity to experience it as conceived by the composer and his contemporaries. Internationally acclaimed soloists for the occasion will be Ellen Torrie, soprano (Montréal), Nicholas Burns, countertenor (Vancouver), Philippe Gagné, tenor (Montréal), Sumner Thompson, baritone (Boston), and William Kraushaar, bass (Montréal).

FRI JAN 10 7:30 PM & SUN JAN 12 4 PM

(rescheduled from November 2024)

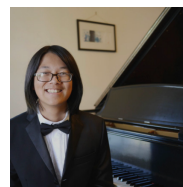
SOOVIN KIM J. S. BACH



The complete Bach Partitas and Sonatas for solo violin. Prepare to be captivated by an extraordinary pair of events featuring Soovin Kim's celebrated interpretations of these transcendent works. Kim is Artistic Director of the Lake Champlain Chamber Music Festival.

TUESDAY NOON SERIES

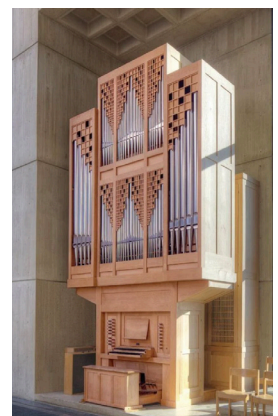
TUE NOV 12 12 PM FREE ALAN CHIANG piano



A South Burlington native who has played at Carnegie Hall and the Tanglewood festival, Chiang astounds us with two major works of Beethoven: the Variations in C Minor and the Op. 111 Sonata.

TUE DEC 10 12 PM FREE PETER S. BERTON organ

An Advent chorale-based program introducing the *Zimbelstern*, a rotating star of bells in the North German tradition dedicated Dec. 1st in honor of the Cathedral's Canon Precentor Emeritus Mark Howe. With video screen to see player and instrument with the intimacy of observing chamber musicians.



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The Cathedral Church of St. Paul

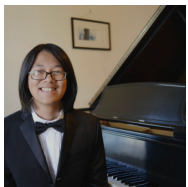
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TUE JAN 21 12 PM FREE

YOUNG ARTISTS SHOWCASE RECITAL

Regional musicians in grades 9 through 12 audition to participate in this showcase of Vermont's rising stars. This annual concert, with a history of more than four decades, is always engaging and enthusiastically received by an appreciative audience.



For a listing of special music-centered events that are part of the Cathedral's worship life, such as the annual Advent Carol Service based on the O Antiphons, and Taizé evening meditations, scan this QR code, or visit the separate website

stpaulscathedralvt.org/worship-schedule



CONCERT DATES to SAVE for NEXT QUARTER

Sunday February 16 4 pm (snow date Feb 23)

Nick Tocci, baritone with Claire Black, piano. Join this delightful duo for a wintry afternoon of art songs.

Sunday March 30 4 pm

Burlington Baroque, Eric Milnes, Director: Lenten Meditations for the French & English Royal Chapels *Music of Charpentier, Dumont, Purcell, and Wise*

Tuesday April 1 noon free

Peter S. Berton, organ *Hereford Variations, Op. 20*
Based on stained glass windows; played by the composer on Hereford Cathedral's virtual organ, *set up for the day!*

Palm Sunday April 13 4 pm free

Cathedral Choirs & Organ in Liturgical Concert
The Way of the Cross: A Meditation in Hymns, Op. 31
by Peter S. Berton, Director of Music and Cathedral Arts

The Cathedral Church of St. Paul

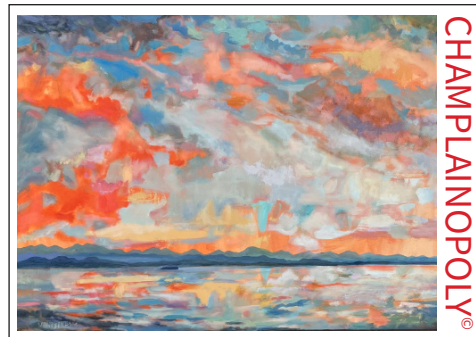
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CHAMPLAINOPOLY© a new board game celebrating the Champlain Lakes region in Vermont was developed in summer 2024 by Friends of Cathedral Arts, Inc., a non-profit 501(c)(3) arts presenter and educator. Proceeds from game sales benefit the presentations of arts to the community, the infrastructure of the arts series, and the education of performers in its concerts, especially educational scholarships for children. The box cover features a stunning recent original work by Burlington artist Katharine Montstream.

CHAMPLAINOPOLY©, a licensed legal alternate version of Monopoly, is produced by Late for the Sky games entirely in the USA. The limited inaugural edition of 1,500 games will be sold by area retailers including:

Common Deer, Burlington

Montstream Gallery, Burlington

Turner Toys, Williston

Myti.com (Vermont's Amazon-like delivery service featuring locally sourced products)

Cathedral Arts thanks the sponsors of this game who appear in its spaces and underwrote production costs, along with anonymous additional underwriters:

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A view of the game itself will be available on a page at cathedralarts.org beginning November 22.