



**St. Louis Symphony
Orchestra**

stéphane denève : music director

ST. LOUIS SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA 2019/2020 **SEASON ADDITIONAL PROGRAMMING**

All performances take place at Powell Hall unless otherwise noted.

CONCERT IN FOREST PARK

Thursday, September 12, 7:00pm

Forest Park's Art Hill, 35 Fine Arts Drive, St. Louis, MO

Stéphane Denève, conductor

Members of the St. Louis Symphony IN UNISON Chorus | Kevin McBeth, director

Members of the St. Louis Symphony Chorus | Amy Kaiser, director

Members of the St. Louis Symphony Youth Orchestra | Gemma New, Music Director

SMITH (arr. Sousa/Damrosch)	<i>The Star-Spangled Banner</i>
John WILLIAMS	<i>Olympic Fanfare and Theme</i>
MILLS/TRADITIONAL (arr. Hayman/Maness)	"Meet Me in St. Louis" – "Take Me Out to the Ballgame"
BERNSTEIN	<i>Candide Overture</i>
BERNSTEIN	"Mambo" from <i>West Side Story</i>
BIZET	Selections from <i>Carmen Suite No. 1</i>
BIZET	"Farandole" from <i>L'Arlésienne Suite No. 2</i>
TRADITIONAL (arr. Hayes)	"Ain't That Good News"
BERLIOZ	"Hungarian March" from <i>The Damnation of Faust</i>
HANDY (arr. Hayman)	<i>St. Louis Blues March</i>
John WILLIAMS	"Main Title" from <i>Star Wars</i>
TCHAIKOVSKY	<i>1812 Overture, op. 49</i>
SOUSA	<i>Stars and Stripes Forever</i>

This concert is presented at no charge

In memory of Mary Ann Lee

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THE MUSIC OF JOHN WILLIAMS

Friday, September 13, 7:00pm

Saturday, September 14, 7:00pm

Sunday, September 15, 2:30pm

Stéphane Denève, conductor

Daniel Lee, cello

Erin Schreiber, violin



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John WILLIAMS	<i>Superman March</i>
John WILLIAMS	Excerpts from <i>Close Encounters of the Third Kind</i>
John WILLIAMS	Selections from <i>Memoirs of a Geisha</i> Suite for Cello and Orchestra
John WILLIAMS	"Adventures on Earth" from <i>E.T.: The Extra-Terrestrial</i>
John WILLIAMS	"Hedwig's Theme" from <i>Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone</i>
John WILLIAMS	"Harry's Wondrous World" from <i>Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone</i>
John WILLIAMS	<i>The Book Thief</i>
John WILLIAMS	"Night Journeys" from <i>Dracula</i>
John WILLIAMS	Theme from <i>Schindler's List</i> for Violin and Orchestra
John WILLIAMS	"The Barrel Chase" from <i>Jaws</i>
John WILLIAMS	"Raiders March" from <i>Raiders of the Lost Ark</i>
John WILLIAMS	"Main Title" from <i>Star Wars</i>

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FAMILY CONCERT: MUSIC WITHOUT BOUNDARIES

Sunday, October 6, 3:00pm

Gemma New, conductor

Matthew Henry and the University of Missouri-St. Louis Percussion Ensemble

Amir Salesevic, accordion

BERNSTEIN (arr. Peress)	<i>West Side Story Overture</i>
RAVEL	Selection from <i>Ma mère l'oye (Mother Goose)</i> Suite
MENDELSSOHN	Selection from Symphony No. 4, "Italian"
TRADITIONAL (arr. Woehr)	<i>Hold My Life</i>
TRADITIONAL	<i>fanga alafia</i>
TRADITIONAL (arr. Maness)	<i>Saran Kenyi</i>
MARQUEZ	<i>Danzón No. 2</i> for Orchestra

Presented in partnership with The Magic House

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LIVE AT THE PULITZER: SONGBIRDSONGS

Tuesday, October 8, 2019, 7:30pm

Wednesday, October 9, 2019, 7:30pm

Pulitzer Arts Foundation, 3716 Washington Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63108



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William James, percussion
Alan Stewart, percussion
Shannon Wood, percussion
Ann Choomack, piccolo & ocarina
Jennifer Nitchman, piccolo & ocarina
Jennifer Gartley, piccolo & ocarina
Tim Munro, piccolo & ocarina
Ron Bolte, Jr., sound engineer

Christopher CERRONE *Memory Palace*
John Luther ADAMS *songbirdsongs*

TRIBUTE TO ARETHA FRANKLIN

Friday, October 11, 7:30pm

Lucas Waldin, conductor
Capathia Jenkins, vocals
Ryan Shaw, vocals
Members of the St. Louis Symphony IN UNISON Chorus | Kevin McBeth, director

Performing selections from the career of Aretha Franklin

***Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince* IN CONCERT**

Friday, October 25, 7:00pm

Saturday, October 26, 7:00pm

Sunday, October 27, 2:00pm

Norman Huynh, conductor

Performing the Nicholas Hooper score of Harry Potter and the Half-Blood Prince

JOHN WILLIAMS CONDUCTS THE ST. LOUIS SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Friday, November 1, 8:00pm

Stéphane Denève, conductor
John Williams, conductor

Performing selections from the career of John Williams



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YOUTH ORCHESTRA CONCERT PLAYS LA MER

Sunday, November 17, 3:00pm

Gemma New, conductor

ROSSINI	<i>Semiramide Overture</i>
John ADAMS	<i>The Chairman Dances, Foxtrot for Orchestra</i>
DEBUSSY	<i>La Mer</i>
SHOSTAKOVICH	<i>Festive Overture</i>

ST. LOUIS SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA AT MANCHESTER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, November 24, 7:00pm

Manchester United Methodist Church, 129 Woods Mill Rd #4339, Manchester, MO 63011

Jacob Joyce, conductor

Kevin McBeth, conductor

BEETHOVEN	<i>Fidelio Overture</i>
HAYDN	<i>Symphony No. 48, "Maria Theresia"</i>
TCHAIKOVSKY	<i>Nutcracker Suite No. 1</i>
GRIEG	<i>Peer Gynt Suite No. 1</i>
SIBELIUS	<i>Finlandia</i>

BIG BAND HOLIDAYS: Jazz at Lincoln Center Orchestra with Wynton Marsalis

Wednesday, December 4, 7:30pm

Jazz at Lincoln Center Orchestra

This concert does not feature the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra.

MERCY HOLIDAY CELEBRATION

Friday, December 13, 2:00pm

Friday, December 13, 7:30pm

Saturday, December 14, 2:00pm

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Sunday, December 15, 2:00pm

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Stuart Malina, conductor

Rachel Porter, vocals

Holiday Festival Chorus | Kevin McBeth, director

AMUNDSON	<i>On Christmas Day</i>
RIMSKY-KORSAKOV	"Dance of the Tumblers" from <i>The Snow Maiden</i>
GRUBER (arr. Wilberg)	"Silent Night"
BERNARD (arr. Hermann)	"Winter Wonderland"
TORMÉ (arr. Lowden)	"The Christmas Song (Chestnuts Roasting on an Open Fire)"
ADAM (arr. Clydesdale)	"O Holy Night"
TRADITIONAL (arr. Rutter)	"The Twelve Days of Christmas"
MIZESKO	Dances from <i>A Chanukah Celebrations</i>
TRADITIONAL (arr. Wilberg)	"The First Nowell"
COOTS (arr. Holcombe)	"Santa Claus is Coming to Town"
BERLIN (orch. Blank)	"Snow" from "White Christmas"
BERLIN (orch. Bennett)	<i>White Christmas</i>
ANDERSON	<i>Sleigh Ride</i>
MARTIN (arr. Hayes)	"Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas"
TRADITIONAL (arr. Stephenson)	<i>A Holly and Jolly Sing-Along!</i>

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A GOSPEL CHRISTMAS WITH KENNEDY HOLMES

Wednesday, December 18, 7:30pm

Thursday, December 19, 7:30pm

Kevin McBeth, conductor

Kennedy Holmes, vocals

St. Louis Symphony IN UNISON Chorus | Kevin McBeth, director

WASSON	<i>Festival Fanfare for Christmas</i>
LEAVITT	"Festival Sanctus"
TRADITIONAL (arr. Hayes)	"Ain't That Good News"
TRADITIONAL (arr. Hogan)	"Hold Out Your Light"
JANSSON (arr. Erikson)	<i>To the Mothers in Brazil: Salve Regina</i>



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WADE (arr. & orch. Duren) "O Come, All Ye Faithful"
TRADITIONAL (arr. Goeller & Huntsiner) "The First Noel – Go Tell It On the Mountain"
TAYLOR (arr. Cymbala) "Hallelujah, You're Worthy to Be Praised"
MARTIN (arr. Maness) "Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas"
AFANASIEF (arr. Maness) "All I Want for Christmas Is You"
SMITH (arr. Homes) "Noel"
HOUGHTON (arr. Kirkland) "You Are Good"
TRADITIONAL (arr. Dilworth) "I Sing Because I'm Happy"
GRUBER (arr. Williamson & orch. Gill) "Silent Night, Holy Night"
WILSON (arr. Warren, Jackson, Kibble, Hey & Chinn) "Hallelujah" from *Handel's Messiah: A Soulful Celebration*
GREENE (arr. Maness) "Mary, Did You Know?"
ADAM (arr. Maness) "O Holy Night"

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Home Alone IN CONCERT

Friday, December 20, 7:00pm

Saturday, December 21, 2:00pm

Joshua Gersen, conductor

Webster University Chorale | Trent A. Patterson, director

Performing the John Williams score to Home Alone

Beauty and the Beast IN CONCERT

Friday, December 27, 7:00pm

Saturday, December 28, 2:00pm

Saturday, December 28, 7:00pm

Norman Huynh, conductor

Performing the Alan Menken score to Beauty and the Beast

BMO WEALTH MANAGEMENT NEW YEAR'S EVE CELEBRATION

Tuesday, December 31, 7:30pm

Stéphane Denève, conductor



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Repertoire announced from the stage

YOUTH ORCHESTRA ALUMNI PLAY-IN CONCERT

Saturday, January 11, 3:00pm

Kevin McBeth, conductor

SHOSTAKOVICH	<i>Festive Overture</i>
SIBELIUS	<i>Finlandia</i>
BRAHMS	<i>Academic Festive Overture</i>
John WILLIAMS	<i>Star Wars Suite (Main Title)</i>

This concert is presented at no charge

JEAN-YVES THIBAUDET IN RECITAL

Friday, January 17, 7:30pm

E. Desmond Lee Concert Hall, 560 Music Center
Washington University in St. Louis

Jean-Yves Thibaudet, piano
Mark Sparks, flute
Scott Andrews, clarinet
Celeste Golden Boyer, violin
Bjorn Ranheim, cello

POULENC	Sonata for Flute and Piano
POULENC	Sonata for Clarinet and Piano
SHOSTAKOVICH	Piano Trio No. 2

***Star Wars: The Empire Strikes Back* IN CONCERT**

Thursday, January 23, 7:00pm

Friday, January 24, 7:00pm

Saturday, January 25, 7:00pm

Sunday, January 26, 2:00pm

Joshua Gersen, conductor

Performing the John Williams score to Star Wars: The Empire Strikes Back



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LIVE AT THE PULITZER: STUDY FOR STRINGS

Tuesday, January 28, 2020, 7:30pm

Wednesday, January 29, 2020, 7:30pm

Pulitzer Arts Foundation, 3716 Washington Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63108

Xiaoxiao Qiang, violin
Hannah Ji, violin
Shannon Williams, viola
Elizabeth Chung, cello
Michael Casimir, viola
Leonid Plashinov-Johnson, viola
Chris Tantillo, viola
Alvin McCall, cello
Bjorn Ranheim, cello
Yin Xiong, cello

Missy MAZZOLI

Dissolve, O My Heart

Brett DEAN

Eclipse

David LANG

Joy from Mystery Sonatas

Susan PHILIPSZ

Study for Strings (World Premiere of live version)

BEN FOLDS IN CONCERT

Thursday, February 13, 2020, 7:30pm

Friday, February 14, 2020, 7:30pm

Jacomo Bairos, conductor

Ben Folds, vocals

Repertoire announced from the stage

LIFT EVERY VOICE: BLACK HISTORY MONTH CELEBRATION

Friday, February 21, 7:30pm

Kevin McBeth, conductor

Marlissa Hudson, vocals

St. Louis Symphony IN UNISON Chorus | Kevin McBeth, director

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Animato from Afro-American Symphony



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JOHNSON (arr. Carter) "Lift Every Voice and Sing"
TRADITIONAL (arr. Ames) "Tshotsholoza"
TRADITIONAL (arr. Hogan) "Old Time Religion"
TRADITIONAL (arr. Ringwald) "We Shall Overcome"
MOZART "Laudate Dominum" from *Vesperae Solemnes de Confessore*
BONDS "Mary Had a Little Baby" from *Ballad of the Brown King*
DUBOIS "O Vos Omnes" from *The Seven Last Words of Christ*
TRADITIONAL (arr. De Paur) "Ride On, King Jesus"
KAMEN (arr. Custer) *An American Symphony*
Hezekiah WALKER (arr. Bradley Knight) "Better"
Isaac CATES "It's Working"
TRADITIONAL (arr. Hogan) "Ride on King Jesus"
PRICE "Juba Dance" from *Symphony No. 1*
GERSHWIN (arr. R. R. Bennett) "Summertime" from *Porgy and Bess*
TRADITIONAL (arr. Bonds) "He's Got the Whole World in His Hands"
Robert RAY (orch. Wilson) Credo: I Believe in God from *Gospel Mass*

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AARON NEVILLE DUO

Saturday, February 22, 7:30pm

Aaron Neville, vocals

This concert does not feature the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra.

Repertoire announced from the stage

FAMILY CONCERT: PETER AND THE WOLF

Sunday, February 23, 3:00pm

Gemma New, conductor

DUKAS Fanfare from *La Péri*
MOZART *German Dance* No. 6
RAVEL Rigaudon from *Le Tombeau de Couperin*
COPLAND Hoe Down from *Rodeo*



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Peter and the Wolf

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THE MUSIC OF QUEEN

Friday, February 28, 7:30pm

Brent Havens, conductor

Brody Dolyniuk, vocals

Repertoire announced from the stage

****DUE TO THE CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC, THIS PERFORMANCE HAS BEEN CANCELED****

YOUTH ORCHESTRA PLAYS SYMPHONIC DANCES

Sunday, March 15, 3:00pm

Gemma New, conductor

Stéphane Denève, conductor

Anna Zhong, violin

DUKAS

The Sorcerer's Apprentice

SIBELIUS

Violin Concerto

RACHMANINOFF

Symphonic Dances

****DUE TO THE CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC, THIS PERFORMANCE HAS BEEN POSTPONED TO
SEPTEMBER 11-13, 2020****

***Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows, Part 1* IN CONCERT**

Friday, March 20, 7:00pm

Saturday, March 21, 7:00pm

Sunday, March 22, 2:00pm

Justin Freer, conductor

Performing the Alexandre Desplat score of Harry Potter and the Deathly Hallows, Part 1

****DUE TO THE CORONAVIRUS PANDEMIC, THIS PERFORMANCE HAS BEEN POSTPONED TO A
FUTURE DATE, TBD****



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LIVE AT THE PULITZER: SECOND NATURE

Tuesday, March 24, 2020, 7:30pm

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Janet Carpenter, violin

Asako Kuboki, violin

Shawn Weil, violin

Chris Tantillo, viola

James Czyzewski, cello

Yotam HABER	<i>break_break_break</i>
LJ WHITE	<i>Fly into the light</i>
Carolina HEREDIA	<i>Añoranzas</i>
Yotam HABER	<i>From the book</i>
Christopher STARK	<i>2nd Nature (World Premiere)</i>

Equal Play: Celebrating Women Composers

Friday, March 27, 2020, 7:00pm

Florence PRICE	<i>String Quartet in G Major</i>
Valerie COLEMAN	<i>Afro-Cuban Concerto</i>

*This concert is presented at no charge
Presented by The Whitaker Foundation*

FAMILY CONCERT: WORLD OF WATER

Sunday, April 19, 2020, 3:00pm

Gemma New, conductor

*Presented in partnership with The St. Louis Aquarium at Union Station
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LIVE AT THE PULITZER: DON'T SAY A WORD

Tuesday, May 12, 2020, 7:30pm

Pulitzer Arts Foundation, 3716 Washington Blvd., St. Louis, MO 63108



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Annika Socolofsky, mezzo-soprano
Andrea Kaplan, flute & music box
Tzuying Huang, clarinet & music box
Melody Lee, violin & music box
Bjorn Ranheim, cello & music box
Nina Ferrigno, piano & music box
Alan Stewart, percussion & music box

Danny CLAY	<i>Lullaby</i>
Phyllis CHEN	<i>Hush</i>
Annika SOCOLOFSKY	<i>Don't say a word</i>

***Raiders of the Lost Ark* IN CONCERT**

Saturday, May 16, 7:00pm

Sunday, May 17, 2:00pm

Jason Seber, conductor

Performing the John Williams score to Raiders of the Lost Ark

REVOLUTION MUSIC OF THE BEATLES: A SYMPHONIC EXPERIENCE

Friday, May 29, 7:30pm

YOUTH ORCHESTRA PLAYS *FROM THE TOP*

Sunday, May 31, 3:00pm

Gemma New, conductor

Lara Downes, host and piano

*This concert will be recorded by From the Top for broadcast at a later date.
Additional repertoire announced at a later date.*

SARA EVANS IN CONCERT

Friday, June 6, 7:30pm



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Sara Evans, vocals

Repertoire announced from the stage

THE MUSIC OF MOTOWN

Friday, June 19, 7:30pm

Michael Lynche, vocals
Chester Gregory, vocals
Shayna Steele, vocals

Repertoire announced from the stage

TRIBUTE TO DAVID BOWIE

Friday, June 26, 7:30pm

Repertoire announced from the stage

PROGRAMS, DATES, AND ARTISTS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

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