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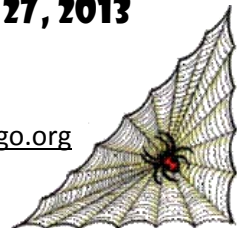


**United Congregational Church**  
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Park Avenue and State Street  
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**SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2013**

**4:00 PM**

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## Program

**John Polo & Rev. Eleanor B. McCormick** Welcome & About Our Program

**John Michniewicz** Toccata in D Minor *J. S. Bach*  
*organ*

**All Choirs** Danse Macabre *Saint-Saëns*

**Norma Pfriem** Monster (Cherubs/Training) *B. Tate*  
**Children's Choir** Zombie Jamboree (Training/Advanced ) *arr. K. Shaw*  
*(choirs)* Secret (High School) *A. & C. Pierce*  
*From Pretty Little Liars*

**Joe Utterback** St. James Infirmary *American Folk Song*  
*piano* Bourbon Street Swagger *J. Utterback*

**University of Bridgeport** Time Warp *from Rocky Horror Picture Show*  
**University Singers** Let It Be (Chamber Singers) *J. Lennon/P. McCartney*

**Galen Tate** Joie et Clarté des Corps Glorieux *O. Messiaen*  
*organ* "seven short visions of the life of the resurrected ones,"

**Krista Adams-Santilli** Promise *E. Genuis*  
Ensemble: Darwin Shen, Frank Zilinyi, Jennifer Burkhalter

**Fairfield County** Closer to Free *K. Neumann/S. Llanas*  
**Children's Choir** "A Celebration of Life"  
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## Costume March and Best Costume Prizes

March Medley – arr. Joe Utterback (piano/organ)

<i>4-Heart Harmony</i>	Daemon Irrepat Callidus Heart Breaker	<i>G. Orbán</i> <i>arr. Deke Sharon</i>
<i>All Choirs</i>	Old Abram Brown	<i>B. Britten</i>
<i>David Harris</i> <i>Organ</i>	1925 Silent Film “Yes, Yes Nanette” <i>Nanette sends a letter to her family telling of her new husband, Hillory. When Hillory arrives to meet the family, he gets insulted by each member, and the dog</i>	<i>Laurel &amp; Hardy</i>
<i>SHU L.O.V.E.</i>	Mad World—Tears for Fears <i>Featured in creepy movie Donnie I Am The Sky And The Dawn And The Sun (Celtic Women)</i>	<i>Darko R. Orzabal</i> <i>B. Graham, D. Downes, Arr. A. Snyder</i>
<i>SHU Women’s Trio</i>	Royals Lindsay Shea, Colleen Crowley, Hailey Tanella	<i>L. &amp; Y. O’Connor</i>
<i>Aymeric Dupré la Tour</i> <i>organ</i>	Toccata in B-flat Minor <i>from Pièces de Fantaisie</i>	<i>L. Vierne</i>

### Reception in Pilgrim Hall!

Come join us for wonderful refreshments, meet our performers and to show off those spooky costumes downstairs right after the concert.

We hope that you have enjoyed this concert as much as we have enjoyed choosing pieces to illustrate the many sounds and dynamic ranges available from the organs and pianos we use to accompany our congregations.

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## **Our Wonderful Singers**

### ***4-Heart Harmony – Sacred Heart University Chamber Choir.***

Dr. John Michniewicz, Director, Galen Tate, Accompanist

Elise Bean, Bianca Boudreau, Monique Boudreau, Stephen Bruno, Joseph Calaca, Colleen Crowley, Jenna Demeo, Sarah Dewolf, Kiandra Dixon, Erin Dugan, Connor Frizzell, April Jauregui, Sarah Klaum, Callan Liljeberg, Sarah Loso, Olivia Makowsky, Daniel Murphy, Nicholas Patino, Lauren Pelland, Rachel Proffitt, Christian Ramos, Tiffanie Rodenberg, Tara Ryan, Lorraine Santiago, Matthew Sigler, Haley Tanella, Joseph Wetherell, Andrew Wysocki, Sarah Zoldy

### ***Fairfield County Children's Choir—Chamber Singers***

Jon Noyes, Director

Patrick Agonito, Kelvin Alvarez, Dasha Bazile, Lilly Boyd, Sofia Bramante, Lazarus Brown, Abigail Bruce, Laura Carron, Blaise Carter, Isabella Cassone, Emily Chizmadia, Brenna Conroy, Eliza Elliot, Emily Erikson, Rose Giannicchi, Adele Hancock, Annie Huber, Tara Kotulsky, Hallie Lavin, Charlotte Leibell, Amanda Lewin, Bari Lipper, Caroline Lui, Nicole Marino, Erin McCurley, Maddie McDermott, Kirsten Metellus, Sarah Mickool, Allison Nascimento, Melanie Nelson, Abigail Noyes, Lila Nulf, Mia Pernice, Norah Procopio, Sarah Quagliariello, Ellery Saluck, Vandy Sampson, Katie Schreiner, Aleksandra Suvorova, Madeleine Tommins, Abigail Varsos, Amanda Violone, Katherine Vitale, Sarah Von Euler, Sofie Wall, Katherine Waugh

### ***Norma F. Pfriem Children's Choir***

Dr. John Michniewicz, Director/Accompanist

**Cherub Choir:** Jon-Carlo Colón, Avin Davis, Ava Layman, Angel Rivera, Jacob Traussi. **Advanced Choir:** Marc-Anthony Colón, Benreacea Coombs, Mia English, Fabiola Faustin, Kharies Goodwin, Paul Hernandez, Miah Hudler, Aiyona James, Alona James, Kenneth Kennedy, Killian Kennedy, Omar Nelson, Amanda Simpson. **High School Choir:** Will Bender, Xavier Blyden, Taylor Brown, Andrew Collins, Jahnaya Cooper, Nate Gibson, Jhakiema Hendrickson, Maia Hernandez, Haley Hudler, Imani Jean-Gilles, Julia Meyerovich, Mekkara Mitchel, Delia Motavalli, Leighann Muldoon, Angelica Ojeda, Alex Rojas, Ariana Rojas, Maig Smith, Ally Tate, Hayley Tate, Anika Vanderwal, Elasia Waters

## ***University of Bridgeport Choirs—University Singers & Chamber Singers***

Frank Martignetti, Director, Joel Pacheco, Accompanist

**Sopranos:** Elena Cela, Darya DeAngelo, Desiree Garner, Delayne Gratopp, Melissa Gingold, Madeline Healey, TaeKeira Jackson, Rose Kovach, Marcia Lorentzen, Fatumma Loukaka, SunMee Montanaro, Emilie Roberts–Hannon, Annais Sierra–Avalos, Gianni Staley, **Altos:** Amira Duroseau, Megan Ey, Shauna Fenton, Rhiannon Fleet, Joyann Foster, Iris Hernandez, Alitha Krolikowski, Heewon Lim, Zoe Madera, Elyssa Ramirez, Sahara Tariq, Stephanie Vega, Josephine Vila, Jackie Yanes, **Tenors:** Alexander Orman, Salvatore Scarpelli, Maliek Sterret, Terrance Thomas, Miquel Velez, Isaiah Wilson, **Basses:** Abraham Deshotel, Domenic Fanelli, Michael Flatto, Bruce Lorentzen

## ***SHU L.O.V.E—Sacred Heart University Ladies Only Vocal Ensemble***

Galen Tate, Director/Accompanist

**Soprano 1:** Bianca Boudreau, Monique Boudreau, Marisa Carpanzano, Lindsay Clouse, Sarah Cohen, Jessica Fahy, Marina Fanciullo, Julia Gonfiantini, Jane Kenney, Sarah Klaum, Emily Magee, **Soprano 2:** Christine Antolini, Katherine Boeglin, Michelle Capozza, Victoria Harlan, Kathryn Lindsay, Mikaela McGuire, Marissa Miller, Lindsay Shea, Paula Traver, Megan Tully, Kristina Valentino, Caroline Wells, Jillian Whitney, **Alto 1:** Danielle Beier, Shannon Duffy, Francesca Kraft, Marisa Levings, Kaleigh Paccioretti, Jamyla Polanco, Tara Lynn Ryan, Kristen Sullivan, Nicole Thomas, **Alto 2:** Meghan Amaya, Lauren Dufresne, Alexandra King, Michaela Lachance, Sarah Loso, Alana Miller, Julia Romano, Courtney Ruolvo, Lindsay Strassburg, Haley Tanella, Angela Tiano

## **Special Thanks**

The performers want to thank United Congregational Church for the use of this wonderful facility and to the many volunteers who lovingly give of their time with the reception, video, lights, staging, microphones, all required to make this a special Halloween musical treat. Net proceeds from today's concert will benefit the Louise Miller Organ Music Scholarship Fund. Every year the Greater Bridgeport AGO awards a young organist a \$2,000 scholarship to help defer some of their education spending. *Thank you for your support!*

## Costume Parade Raffle & Gift Sponsors



*The Greater Bridgeport Symphony Orchestra* - is a musical treasure with concerts for music lovers of all ages. This a momentous year as GBS choses a new Principal Conductor. There are 3 concerts left—

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Each of the following groups has also graciously donated 2-tickets to our Best Costume winners. We encourage our audience to visit these sponsor websites, and support their upcoming programs:

**Connecticut Chamber Choir** ([www.connecticutchamberchoir.org](http://www.connecticutchamberchoir.org)) - *36th Season*  
January 12, 2014—4:00 PM—**Sublime**, works by Mozart, Schubert, Beethoven, Brahms and Faure for chorus, organ and strings.

May 4, 2014—4:00 PM—**American Made**, recent works by American composers, featuring guest artists, Christopher Jude, baritone; premier of "The Tempest" by composer Elizabeth Lim. St. Theresa RC Church, Trumbull, CT.

**Rose Window Concert Series, First Church Stratford** ([www.firstchurchstratford.org](http://www.firstchurchstratford.org))

January 19, 2014—3:00 PM—**Michael and Friends**—Michael Jovovich, tenor; Dr.

Joe Utterback, piano; an afternoon of jazz, popular and Broadway songs

April 13, 2014—4:00 PM—**70th Annual Palm Sunday Concert**

***Fairfield County Children's Choir*** ([www.singfcc.org](http://www.singfcc.org))

December 1, 2013—2:00 PM—**Mass of the Children** (John Rutter). Carnegie Hall

December 8, 2013— 3:00 PM— **A Winter Songfest**, Klein Memorial Auditorium, Bridgeport. 300 angelic voices to lift your holiday spirits.

February 1, 2014—7:00 PM—Spotlight: Broadway! Concert & Auction, Klein Memorial Auditorium, Bridgeport.

February 23, 2014—3:00 PM, **Three Generations of Song**, with Fairfield University Glee Club and Mendelssohn Choir, Quick Center for the Performing Arts, Fairfield University, Fairfield.

May 10, 2014—7:00 PM—**Singing America, The Great American Songbook**, Fairfield Warde High School, Fairfield.

May 17, 2014—4:00 PM—**Carmen**, with Norwalk Symphony and Mendelssohn Choir Norwalk Concert Hall

***Fairfield County Chorale*** ([www.fairfieldcountychorale.org](http://www.fairfieldcountychorale.org)) – 50th Year!

December 14, 2013—7:30 PM — Haydn, ***Te Deum***; Britten, ***Te Deum***; Mozart, ***Coronation Mass***; Holiday Favorites. Norwalk Concert Hall, Norwalk.

March 15, 2014—7:30 PM— Honegger, ***Le Roi David (King David)***. Norwalk Concert Hall, Norwalk.

May 10, 2014—7:30 PM—Poulenc, ***Gloria***; Rossini, ***Stabat Mater***. Norwalk Concert Hall, Norwalk.

***First Church Fairfield Concert Series*** ([www.firstchurchfairfield.org](http://www.firstchurchfairfield.org))

November 17, 2013—4:00 PM— **Exploration** with Aymeric Dupre la Tour, Organ & Elizabeth Fleming Martignetti, French Horn.

March 30, 2014—4:00 PM—**17th Century Music & More** with ARTEK & Les **Sacqueboutiers de Toulouse**; double concert with early brass and keyboard.

***Mendelssohn Choir of Connecticut*** ([www.mendelssohnchoir.com](http://www.mendelssohnchoir.com)) – 28th Season

December 14, 2013—8:00 PM –**A Joyful Noise**—with Festival Orchestra; featuring Vivaldi's ***Gloria*** ; traditional holiday songs. St Thomas Aquinas Church, Fairfield.

February 23, 2014—3:00 PM- **Three Generations of Song IV** with Fairfield County Children's Choir and Fairfield University Glee Club. Quick Center, Fairfield.

April 6, 2014—3:00 PM—**West Meets East**; Premiere of ***Child of War***, Jin Hi Kim; ***Requiem***, John Rutter. Quick Center for the Arts, Fairfield University.

May 17, 2014—8:00 PM—**Carmen**, with Norwalk Symphony and Fairfield County Children's Choir. Norwalk Concert Hall, Norwalk.



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## The 3rd Annual Community Choral Festival Sunday, March 30, 2014—4:00 PM



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## About Our Performers

**Jennifer Burkhalter** – Cellist. Orchestra director at Norwalk High School, private cello teacher and a cello coach with the Norwalk Youth Symphony.

**Dr. Aymeric Dupré la Tour** – Director of Music, First Congregational Church of Fairfield; award-winning recitalist on harpsichord, organ and piano; principal harpsichordist for Zuckermann Harpsichord International. [frenchharpsichordist@gmail.com](mailto:frenchharpsichordist@gmail.com)

**David Harris** – Director of Music, Saint Thomas Aquinas RC Church, Fairfield; Music Director for shows at various venues throughout Fairfield County; Recitalist; Entertainer; [www.davidharrisproductions.com](http://www.davidharrisproductions.com)

**Frank Martignetti** – Director of Choral Activities & Visiting Assistant Professor of Music, University of Bridgeport; Artistic Director, Mystic River Chorale. Former faculty, New Haven Public Schools. Doctoral fellow in Music Education, New York University. Member of music staff, Advent Lutheran Church, Manhattan. [www.frankmartignetti.com](http://www.frankmartignetti.com)

**Dr. John Michniewicz** – Minister of Music, United Congregational Church, Bridgeport; Director of Choral Programs, Sacred Heart University, Fairfield; Recitalist; Composer; Choral Conductor; Past-Dean, Greater Bridgeport Chapter of the American Guild of Organists. [michniewiczj@sacredheart.edu](mailto:michniewiczj@sacredheart.edu)

**Jon Noyes** – Music Director & Founder of the Fairfield County Children's Choir; Music Educator in the Fairfield Public Schools. [www.singfccc.org](http://www.singfccc.org)

**Krista Santilli-Adams** – Lyric Soprano. Principal in operas, musicals, oratorios and plays; concertized throughout the USA and four continents. [www.adams-santilli.com](http://www.adams-santilli.com)

**Darwin Shen**— Violinist. Freelance musician who has performed in recital and as soloist with many groups and orchestras in the area. Dedicated teacher who has taught for Fairfield University and is the Executive Director of the Violin Audition Prep Program. [www.darwinshen.com](http://www.darwinshen.com)

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