



ST. MARTIN'S CHAMBER CHOIR
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Our 2016-2017 Season

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SEPTEMBER - DECEMBER 2016 CONCERTS!

GIVE US PEACE: RALPH VAUGHAN WILLIAMS ✦ DEBUT OF THE ST. MARTIN'S FESTIVAL SINGERS

In 1936, following his grim experiences in the First World War and amidst the gathering clouds of a second global conflagration, Ralph Vaughan Williams wrote one of the most profound anti-war statements ever composed, *Dona nobis pacem*, using texts by Walt Whitman and the Bible. Collaborating with the Stratus Chamber Orchestra (David Rutherford, conductor), the 70-voice **St. Martin's Festival Singers** makes its debut. Also on the program are RVW's *Fantasia on a Theme of Thomas Tallis*, together with the choral theme that inspired it, and his *Three Shakespeare Songs* performed by the Chamber Choir alone.

Friday, September 16 - 7:30 St. Andrew's United Methodist Church, Highlands Ranch
Saturday, September 17 - 7:30 Augustana Lutheran Church, Denver



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Premium (reserved section, front and center)	\$35
Premium - Christmas in England	\$40
General Admission	\$25
General Admission - Christmas in England	\$30
Student	\$10
Student - Christmas in England	\$15

THERE IS SWEET MUSIC: SHAKESPEARE AT 400 ✦ CAMEO ENSEMBLE/PIANO

William Shakespeare inspired some of the most beautiful music ever written, and this concert will present a cross-section of it, from settings that were contemporary to Shakespeare (and may have been used in early stagings of his plays - by Thomas Morley, among others) to very modern settings by living composers, and everything in between. Most of the program will be *a cappella*, but the featured work is Vaughan Williams' *Serenade to Music*, with words from *The Merchant of Venice*, originally written for 16 separate voices, and performed here by exactly that, with piano accompaniment.

Friday, November 11 - 7:30 Holy Cross Lutheran Church, Wheat Ridge
Saturday, November 12 - 7:30 St. Gabriel the Archangel Episcopal Church, Cherry Hills Village
Sunday, November 13 - 3:00 St. Andrew's Episcopal Church, Denver



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CHRISTMAS IN ENGLAND: A WILLCOCKS TRIBUTE ✦ FULL ENSEMBLE/ORGAN

To say "Christmas Carol" these days is inevitably to think of the thrilling and beautiful arrangements that Sir David Willcocks, who died in September 2015, wrote when he was at King's College, Cambridge and later at the Royal College of Music. Paying tribute to this giant of the 20th century choral world, and the Lessons & Carols services that he helped make famous, St. Martin's Chamber Choir invites back acclaimed organist Ralph Valentine, who has thrilled St. Martin's holiday audiences for the last two years with his thundering accompaniments to this Denver Christmas tradition!

Saturday, December 10 - 7:30 Montview Boulevard Presbyterian Church, Denver
Sunday, December 11 - 2:30 Bethany Lutheran Church, Cherry Hills Village
Friday, December 16 - 7:30 Saint John's Episcopal Cathedral, Denver
Sunday, December 18 - 3:00 Holy Cross Lutheran Church, Wheat Ridge