

St. John the Evangelist



Thank you for coming to our annual concert celebration today. We join together to celebrate the peace this holiday season blesses us all. Your gift and attendance is the reward to those folks in our parish along with the members of the band and our newly formed children's choir who have worked hard to present today's program.

The cereal and cleaning supplies donated will be distributed by the Hopkinton Food Pantry which operates from the basement of Woodville Baptist Church.

St. John's Parish was established in 1866. Prior to then the closest parish was in Milford. In 1849, a Protestant employer in Hopkinton called a meeting of all Roman Catholics of the town and, with a gift from the same person provided the impetus to build a church in Hopkinton. The original church was located on Cedar Street and was known as St. Malachi's. Since that modest beginning we've grown to our present facility. The Parish Center is the most recent addition which was dedicated in October 1991 by Cardinal Law. The Center is actively used by the parish for Religious Education classes, church functions and meetings. We also make it available to the community of Hopkinton for meetings of organizations that include Little League, Youth Soccer, Cub scouts, Hopkinton Women's Club and others. The town-wide flu clinic for the elderly is held here in November each year.

MERRY CHRISTMAS and HAPPY HANUKKAH

Holiday Concert

St. John the Evangelist
3:00 P.M.

Sunday, Dec. 18, 2005
Church Street, Hopkinton MA
Admission is free

Presented by the 50+ members of the
Southeastern Massachusetts
Community Concert Band
and
St. John's Children & Youth Choir

Donation of cereal or cleaning supplies
to benefit Hopkinton Food Pantry
will be greatly appreciated

St. John the Evangelist Children & Youth Choir

Organized merely four months ago, the Children's & Youth Choir is a new ministry here at St. John's. Under the guidance of Lynn Maginnis, Mary Scarlata-Rowe, Carol Cheney and Bernadette Keane, the choir welcomes parish youth starting at third grade. The choir meets on Wednesday's in the choir loft from 4:00-5:00. Their ministry fosters to lead the St. John's faith community in songs of praise at the 5:00 P.M. Saturday Mass on the 2nd and 4th Saturday's of the month. May the sound of these precious voices awake in us the warmth, hope and peace of this Holy Season!

Gabriel Adams
Carly Adams
Charlotte Cheney
Maggie Cheney
Lindsay Daugherty
Rachael Gervig
Jane Hart
Jenna Hanlon
Morgan Hanlon
Gwendolyn Maginnis
Maura Maginnis
Natalie Mazur
Katie O'Loughlin
Rebecca Plunkett
Michael Spector
Madeleine Valcour
Sophie Valcour



Southeastern Massachusetts Community Concert Band

About the Band

Southeastern Massachusetts Community Concert Band (SMCCB) is a true community band, welcoming musicians of all ages and abilities. It is incorporated in the state of Massachusetts as Southeastern Massachusetts Community Wind Symphony, Inc. The band currently has about 50 members from throughout eastern Massachusetts and parts of Rhode Island. Founded 28 years ago, SMCCB is a nonprofit organization and a member of The Association of Concert Bands. Rehearsals are on Monday nights from 7:30 to 9:30 at the Community Church on Main Street in Medway. New members are always welcome. There are no auditions; the only requirements are an instrument and a love of music. For more information call 508-533-5532. Visit our web site at: www.smcws.org or www.smccb.com

Our Conductor

Bruce Houston has directed bands and orchestras in the public schools of Massachusetts for the past 34 years. Mr. Houston holds degrees from Syracuse University, Harvard University, and Southern Oregon University. He recently began Advanced Graduate Study in Conducting at Southern Oregon University's American Band College.

As a bass trombonist, Mr. Houston has performed with the Concord (MA) Orchestra, Boston Jazz Orchestra, Sabby Lewis Big Band, Claudio Roditi/Mark Harvey All-Stars Big Band, Metropolitan Wind Symphony (Boston), Bay Colony Brass Ensemble, and the New England Philharmonic Orchestra. He has also toured with the U. S. Army 5th Division Band. He has studied conducting at workshops under the batons of Frederick Fennell, Robert Ponto, Alfred Reed, Karel Husa, Francis McBeth, Donald Matran, Mike Bankhead, Philippe Langlet, Claude Pichaureau, and Tim Lautzenheiser.

Mr. Houston is a member of Massachusetts Music Educators Association, Music Educators National Conference, International Association of Jazz Educators, and the National Band Association.

Piccolo

Amy Bilodeau

Flute

Jennifer Bernazzani
Harry Davis
Nicole Kermish
Marieke Kreps
Amanda Phillips
Carol Pratt
Valentina Sternadore
Lisa Ugliarolo

Oboe

Julie Samia

Oboe / English Horn

Carolyn Cameron

Clarinet

Ron Ackernan
Jeff Cheyne
Anne Codman
Bill Dube
John Dye
Elaine T. Honan
Cyndy Myers
Doreen Yelmer

Bass Clarinet

Eileen Pack

Alto Saxophone

Laura Hodson Baim
Laura Kandziolka
Anthony Ugliarolo

Tenor Saxophone

Laura Logan
Ryan Orvedahl
Stan Pike

Baritone Saxophone

Jamie Pierce

Trumpet

Lee Conti
Ralph Esterman
Steve Katz
Clint Keith
Bob Meahey
Ted Murray
Jeff Orvedahl
James Siegfried

French Horn

Freddie Ramos

Trombone

Chris Elliott
Alan Melamed
Bob Miller
Mitchell Schwartz

Euphonium

Everett Carr
John Ritz
Neal Standley

Tuba

Ray Boggs
Norm Hochella
Jeff Steele

Percussion

Daniel Byer
James Davey

America, The Beautiful

Samuel Augustus Ward
arr. Carmen Dragon

In The Bleak Midwinter

Gustav Holst
arr. Robert W. Smith

The Nutcracker Suite

P. Tchaikovsky
arr. Meyhew Lake

Overture Miniature

March

Danse Arabe

Danse de la Fée- Dragée

Danse Russe Trépak

Danse Chinoise

Danse de Mirlitons

The Eighth Candle

Steve Reisteter

- intermission -

March of the Toys

Victor Herbert
arr. Otto Langey & Herbert L. Clarke

The Night Before Christmas
narrated by Fr. Mike Billingsley

John Moss

St. John's Children & Youth Choir

Silent Night

Mohr/Gruber

Soon and Very Soon

Crouch

A Christmas Festival

Leroy Anderson

Sleigh Ride

Leroy Anderson