



Christmas Concert

Sunday, December 12, 2021

3:30 pm

St. John's Cathedral Center

210 Greentree Road, Munhall, PA 15120

and via Livestream



East Winds Symphonic Band

Susan Sands, Conductor

Holiday Sounds

We hope that you enjoy this presentation of holiday music by the East Winds Symphonic Band. Special thanks go to St. John the Baptist Byzantine Catholic Cathedral for hosting this program and to Mike Moyta for coordinating all the production details.

About the Band

The East Winds Symphonic Band was formed in the fall of 1981 by three members of another concert band in the area. The band, which initially consisted of only 15 musicians, performed their first concert on February 1, 1982. The group doubled its size by the spring of 1982, and today has approximately 80 members, primarily from the eastern communities of Pittsburgh.

The band performs a wide array of music including marches, music from stage and film, symphonic works, and other music written for concert band. EWSB has presented concerts at various venues including on The Diamond in Ligonier, Monroeville, Kennywood Park; Twin Lakes Park; Bach, Beethoven and Brunch; Temple Rodef Shalom and the Three Rivers Community Band Festival, which it founded in 2004. The band was selected to perform in the summers of 2012 and 2016 at the Chautauqua Institution in Chautauqua, New York. EWSB performed at the National Convention of the Association of Concert Bands (ACB) in Corning, New York in 2008 and again in Muskegon, Michigan in 2011. The band hosted and performed at the National Convention of the ACB in Pittsburgh in the spring of 2016. The band began the summer of 2019 with a concert tour to Ireland, June 15 through June 22.

The East Winds Symphonic Band is proud to be the 2008 recipient of the John Philip Sousa Foundation's Sudler Silver Scroll, North America's most prestigious award for community concert band excellence.

Susan Sands has been the conductor of the East Winds Symphonic Band since 1990. She received her B.M. degree in Music Education, specializing in Oboe, from Susquehanna University in Selingsgrove PA. Susan received her M.Ed. in Music from The Pennsylvania State University. Susan resides in Sewickley with her husband Tom, also a member of the band, and their three children.

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~ Program ~

Ukrainian Bell Carolarr: *Richard L. Saucedo*
Trumpet Quartet

Holiday Portraits arr: *Sean O'Loughlin*

Greensleeves Traditional
arr: *Alfred Reed*

On This Day From *Piae Cantiones* (1582)
Based on "Personent Hodie" arr: *Tom Wallace*

Little Drummer Boy Harry Simeone, Henry Onorati & Katherine Davis
Tuba/Euphonium Quartet arr: *Thomas H. Graf*

The Polar Express Alan Silvestri & Glen Ballard
arr: *Jerry Brubaker*

"Sussex Carol" and "Tomorrow Shall Be My Dancing Day" arr: *Bill Reichenbach*
Trombone Quartet

Patapan Shelley Hanson

Good Swing Wenceslas From *Piae Cantiones*
Based on "Good King Wenceslas" arr: *Sammy Nestico*

The Leaves Be Green William Byrd
Recorder Ensemble

A Most Wonderful Christmas arr: *Robert Sheldon*

"Hallelujah" George Frederick Handel
From the "Messiah" *East Winds Saxes*
arr: *Hawley Ades*

A Christmas Festival Leroy Anderson

East Winds Symphonic Band

Conductor

Susan Sands (33)

Flute & Piccolo

Kathy Benninger (30)
Josie Cashdollar (13)
Pat Deleonibus (10)
Martha Funderburgh (20)
Rebecca Gallagher (21)
Joy Kotulsky (25)
Wendy Noe (20)
Andrea Yeckel (2)

Oboe/Eng. Horn

Keith Bare (2)
John Fecho (15)
Jordan Sherman (3)

Bassoon

Kathy Gagetta (18)

E♭ Clarinet

Jim Bouwkamp (9)

B♭ Clarinet

Ian Anderson (3)
Mary Denison (4)
Jason Falgione (35)
Bill Gavlak (8)
Paulette Gulakowski (21)
Dale Hertrick (17)
Janet Hood (6)
Susan Shaiman
Kimelman (20)
Ken Lutz (19)
Nanette Mancuso (24)
Kevin Miraglia (9)
Andrea Schachner (5)

(B♭ Clarinets, cont'd)

Rachel Stewart (4)
Marianne Wion (5)
Warren Yeckel (2)
Nancy Zhang

Bass Clarinet

Jim Bouwkamp (9)
Tom Sands (29)

Alto Saxophone

Ed Dzenis (38)
Joe Ramirez (22)
Mandy Saulnier (19)
Charlie Stromberg (11)

Tenor Saxophone

Mike Moyta (38)
Jessica Steiner (5)

Baritone Saxophone

Jay Detwiler (21)

French Horn

Kenneth Ide (12)
Eileen Joll
Nathan Lutz (3)

Trumpet

Brian Dahm (13)
Catherine Getchell (15)
Mark Hacharian (11)
Lora Hertrick (2)
Joe Kotulsky (25)
Sharon Lutz (15)
Matt Maners (6)
Julie Meyer (10)

(Trumpets, cont'd)

Tim Yee
Greg Zawacki

Trombone

Howard Bear (14)
Lauren Collister (14)
Jason Dalbey (10)
Bill Hammond (9)
Jonathan Hills (24)
Phil Wion (10)

Euphonium

Bob Boyer (13)
Gary Pavel (23)
Janis Ramey (2)
Roger Schneider (40)

Tuba

Art Chaidarun (2)
Julia Dahm (7)
Ron Johnson (24)
Steven Kinsel (19)

Percussion

Terri Alexander (19)
Andrea Cangin (7)
Shawn Morgan
Doug Ripper (27)
Mark Weber (33)
Mike Zimmerman (4)

Keyboard

Mary Denison (4)

Announcer

Ken Lutz (19)

(x) Denotes years with EWCSB

Ensembles

Trumpet Quartet

Brian Dahm, Lora Hertrick, Matt Maners, Julie Meyer

Tuba/Euphonium Quartet

Tuba: Ron Johnson, Steven Kinsel Euphonium: Bob Boyer, Roger Schneider

Trombone Quartet

Lauren Collister, Jason Dalby, Bill Hammond, Jonathan Hills

Recorders

Josie Cashdollar, Mary Denison, John Fecho, Martha Funderburgh, Jordan Sherman

East Winds Saxes

Jay Detwiler, Ed Dzenis, Mike Moyta, Joe Ramirez, Mandy Saulnier, Jessica Stiner, Charlie Stromberg