### Chattanooga Music Club

November 2021

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Dear CMC Members,

Hope all are well as we move into the Holiday seasons. Do plan to attend our November 22nd Holiday Concert at First Cumberland Presbyterian at 7:00 pm., and bring family members and guests. Highlighting the program are the Chattanooga Girls Choir directed by Josh Golden and the talented low brass ensemble, "The Deep Six," who make their own arrangements of Christmas tunes. The young ladies will include some Broadway songs as well as Holiday songs. With Bruce at the organ, we can sing together songs of the season. He may also treat us with Christmas on the organ. We hope to have a large crowd to share the festivities in this large venue with lots of spacing.

Last month, the King's Quire, directed by Gerald Peel, presented an engaging a cappella concert of early music and a later period. These singers produced such a beautiful sound.

Let's come out to hear these wonderful musicians! Do you have your Yearbook? Sincerely, Margaret Ann Randolph, President

#### <u>A word of gratitude for CMC President, Margaret</u> <u>Ann Randolph.</u>

"Thank you, Madame President – for your tireless efforts to lead our organization. Your time in office has been unbelievably difficult, due to pandemic and uncertainty. Decisions have had to be made at the last minute, since no schedules or previous plans have been possible due to changing conditions.

We appreciate your faithfulness. In spite of all the problems, CMC is positively going forward. Our organization, which has existed under difficult circumstances in the past years of our history, is still accomplishing our reason for existence, which is to further the love of good music in the Chattanooga community. You are appreciated."

Beth Foster Long, Advisory Chair

### CHATTANOOGA MUSIC CLUB Programs 2021 - 2022

Monday, November 22nd, 7:00 pm Holiday Concert with Chattanooga Girls Choir and The Deep Six low brass ensemble

First Cumberland Presbyterian Church Saturday, December 4th, 11:00 am Holiday Luncheon and Program First Cumberland Presbyterian Church

Sunday, January 16th, 3:00 pm Combined MacDowell Music Club - CMC First Cumberland Presbyterian Church

Sunday, February 13th, 3:00 pm East Brainerd Community Theatre Christ United Methodist Church, 8645 East Brainerd Road

Sunday, March 20th, (?? 2:00 pm ??)
CMC Scholarship Auditions
First Cumberland Presbyterian Church

Sunday, April 3rd, 3:00 pm Winners Recital and Tea First Cumberland Presbyterian Church

Saturday, April 30th, (?? 2:00 pm ??)
Grace Moore Mem. Scholarship Auditions
First Cumberland Presbyterian Church

Tuesday, May 17th, (?? 5:30 pm ??) CMC Banquet (?? Walden Club ??)

### September Picnic



Ralph Miller Trio



Reba Duckett, Chair, Telephone Comm.



Bruce Clark, Chair, Program Comm.

## October Program The Kinge's Quire dir. by Gerald Peel





Charlynne Fry introduces new members: Joan Mackinnon, Lynda Reese, Howard Pires, Stephanie & Michael Clarke.

### American Guild of Organists Concerts

January: Young Organist Reunion Concert & Reception

February: "Extraordinary Music for Ordinary Time" with Elizabeth Smith

March: Cesar Franck's 200th Birthday Bash

April: No program (Happy Easter!)

May: Dinner & Congregational Evensong

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information

# Grace Moore Scholarship Auditions Saturday, April 30, 2022



Auditions for the Grace Moore Scholarship (offered biennially) will be held on Saturday, April 30, 2022, at First Cumberland Presbyterian Church in Chattanooga, TN.

This scholarship, established in 1947 by the Tennessee Federation of Music Clubs, honors Grace Moore, Chattanooga's very own opera and movie star. While the auditions had been held in Murfreesboro for the last twenty years, they are appropriately being brought back to Chattanooga next year where they originated almost seventy-five years ago. The CMC is proud to sponsor the event.

Competition is open to Tennessee-born singers between the ages of 18 and 30 who are interested in studying and preparing for careers in opera. The winners will receive considerable amounts.

For further information about how to apply, please email the Grace Moore Scholarship chair, James Harr (<a href="mailto:iharr@mccallie.org">iharr@mccallie.org</a>).

### Chattanooga Girls Choir Monday, November 22, 2021, 7:00 pm, First Cumberland Presbyterian Church



Josh Golden, Artistic Director



The Chattanooga Girls Choir was founded in 1986 by Dr. John Dyer and was closely affiliated with Cadek Conservatory and UTC. It has grown from a small group of singers to a large touring choir and some younger training choirs. In 1992 a senior choir was added and named The Grace Moore Singers.

In 2021, the choirs have been listed as the following:



Cantilena (up to 5th grade)



Concert Choir (6th - 12th Grades)



Grace Moore (9th - 12th Grades)



**Ensemble (Auditioned/Grades 9-12)** 

The Chattanooga Music Club is looking forward to hearing these talented young women.

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