

WINNIPEG PHILHARMONIC CHOIR

SEASON TICKET ORDER (All prices include GST)

_____ Adult Season Ticket(s) @ \$55.00 = \$ _____
_____ Senior Season Ticket(s) @ \$45.00 = \$ _____
_____ Student Season Ticket(s) @ \$22.00 = \$ _____

INDIVIDUAL TICKET ORDERS

Ticket prices for the November concert: Adults \$25.00 Seniors \$22.00, Students \$10.00, Children 6 and under free

NOVEMBER 1

Adult Ticket(s) _____ @ \$25.00 = \$ _____
Senior Ticket(s) _____ @ \$22.00 = \$ _____
Student Ticket(s) _____ @ \$10.00 = \$ _____
Child 6 and under _____ Free

Ticket prices for December and April concerts: Adults \$20.00 Seniors \$16.00, Students \$8.00, Children 6 and under free

DEC. 6 APR. 25

Adult Ticket(s) _____ @ \$20.00 = \$ _____
Senior Ticket(s) _____ @ \$16.00 = \$ _____
Student Ticket(s) _____ @ \$8.00 = \$ _____
Child 6 and under _____ Free

DONATIONS

I would like to make a donation to the choir:

General donation \$ _____
Endowment donation \$ _____
In Memoriam donation \$ _____
In memory of _____

I wish to remain anonymous.

In Memoriam donations must be received by October 9, 2009. Those received after this date will be acknowledged in next year's In Memoriam program. Tax receipts are issued for donations of \$10.00 and up.

TOTAL \$ _____

Name: _____

Address: _____

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Please supply an e-mail address if you prefer to receive updates from The Phil electronically.

METHOD OF PAYMENT

Cheque, payable to Winnipeg Philharmonic Choir
 VISA Mastercard

Card Number _____

Expiry Date (mm/yy) _____

Signature _____

Season Tickets offer the best value!

In addition to three concerts, a subscription gives you:

- **50% off one concert** in the Winnipeg Philharmonic Choir concert series.
- A **voucher to save \$15** on the purchase of a McNally Robinson Booksellers Reader Reward Card.
- A **Musicnet* Reward Card** which entitles you to 2-for-1 tickets at Musicnet member concerts.
- Regular updates from The Winnipeg Philharmonic Choir.

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YURI KLAZ
ARTISTIC DIRECTOR & CONDUCTOR

Celebrating 10 years with the Phil

2009-2010
CONCERT SEASON

Remembrance and Renewal

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WE REMEMBER

Sunday, November 1, 2009 – 3:00 pm
Knox United Church
400 Edmonton Street

SPECIAL GUESTS

Monica Huisman, *soprano* / Colleen Skull, *alto*
Kurt Lehmann, *tenor* / Greg Atkinson, *bass*

Members of the Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra join the Phil, augmented by All the King's Men, to present Bruckner's *Requiem* and Schubert's *Mass No. 2*. These works reflect two different styles and are lushly orchestrated, with wonderful choruses and solo sections. This is your opportunity to hear the Winnipeg premiere of the Bruckner. The moving *Adagio for Strings* by Barber and Lauridsen's *O Nata Lux* will round out the program.

HOLIDAY MEMORIES

Sunday, December 6, 2009 – 3:00 pm
Westworth United Church
Grosvenor and Lanark

SPECIAL GUESTS

Andrea Ratuski, *host* / Monique LaCoste, *reader*
Winnipeg Boys Choir, Carolyn Boyes, *director*

A tradition in Winnipeg has become to join the Phil in early December to celebrate the season. This concert reflects the memories of Winnipeggers who come from varied backgrounds and traditions, representing the rich heritage of French, Ukrainian, German, English and Jewish cultures. These include memories from Bill Norrie, Alexander Mickelthwate, Cindy Klassen, Yude Henteleff and Lloyd Axworthy. The Phil is pleased to mark the 100th anniversary of the birth of Gabrielle Roy. We will be sharing choral pieces such as *When Icicles Hang* by Rutter, *Shchedryk*, *Noel nouvelet* and *O Holy Night*. Of course the traditional carol sing-along will be incorporated into the afternoon program.

SOUNDS OF NATURE

Sunday, April 25, 2010 – 3:00 pm
Westworth United Church
Grosvenor and Lanark

SPECIAL GUESTS

Donna Laube, *piano* / Xiao-Nan Wang, *flute*

We are excited to present a program celebrating the diversity and wonder of nature. The concert will be comprised of songs that reflect how composers have portrayed nature in many different ways. We will include pieces such as *Due North* by Chatman, *Nocturnes* by Lundvik, *Des chansons des roses*, *Shenandoah* and Leek's *Ngana*. We are also featuring our wonderful pianist Donna Laube and Xiao-Nan Wang, flautist.

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Dear friends:

I am delighted to be celebrating my tenth anniversary as Artistic Director and Conductor of the Winnipeg Philharmonic Choir. It seems just a few short years ago that I immigrated to Canada with the steadfast assistance of the Phil board and choristers. Much has transpired since then and I am looking forward to another exciting season as the choir evolves and moves forward.

I am proud to be presenting two masterworks by Schubert and Bruckner with special guests Monica Huisman, Colleen Skull, Kurt Lehman, Greg Atkinson, members of the WSO and All the King's Men for our opening concert on November 1. I am also excited to be working with the Winnipeg Boys Choir in December and flautist Xiao-Nan Wang in April.

We would love to welcome more singers into the Phil. Please see contact information elsewhere in this brochure if you enjoy singing and are considering the WPC as a choral home.

Our season awaits you. I look forward to presenting it with joy and enthusiasm!

ARTISTIC DIRECTOR & CONDUCTOR
WINNIPEG PHILHARMONIC CHOIR

SING WITH US

If you are an amateur singer who would like to:

- learn from internationally-renowned conductor, Maestro Yuri Klaz
- perform in professional choral concerts, alongside professional musicians
- sing with the Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra at the Centennial Concert Hall

then call Pearl now at 222-3549 to book your choral interview.

VOLUNTEER WITH US

There are many other ways to get involved with our organization. Volunteer at our performances or behind the scenes with fundraising or marketing. Please call Greg at 896-7445 to see how your skills might fit with The Phil.

THE WINNIPEG PHILHARMONIC CHOIR
gratefully acknowledges the following support
during the 2008-2009 season:



HOW TO GIVE

As a community-based, volunteer organization, the Winnipeg Philharmonic Choir relies on donations from both corporations and individuals. You can:

- Make a general donation to support the choir's ongoing operations.
- Make a donation to the Winnipeg Philharmonic Choir Endowment Fund, administered through The Winnipeg Foundation, as an investment in the choir's future.
- Make an In Memoriam donation in someone's memory. The Phil created the In Memoriam Fund to celebrate the lives of our loved ones in a tangible way. In Memoriam proceeds are invested until the fund can cover expanded production costs such as the hiring of soloists and accompanists or venue rentals. This year, when you donate to the In Memoriam Fund, your loved one and your donation will be recognized in a special insert printed for the November 2009 performance. These donations must be received before October 9, 2009 to be included in this insert.

*The Phil greatly appreciates your support.
Please see the reverse if you would like to make a donation.*