



2018–2019
SEASON

CLASSICAL **STARS**, TRANSCENDENT **MASTERWORKS!**



**MID-ATLANTIC
SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA**
JULIEN BENICHO, MUSIC DIRECTOR

Julien Benichou



DEAR LOVERS OF SYMPHONIC MUSIC, DEAR FRIENDS OF THE MSO,

Our 20th season was such a blast for all of us, and we are so excited to share and grow with you as we enter our 21st! Beginning and ending with Beethoven, this is a season for lovers of great masterworks, that will also feature star performers. With Stefan Jackiw in the fall playing for us the timeless Beethoven *Violin Concerto* followed by Dvorak's lush *Symphony No. 7* and complemented along with a piece by one of France's foremost living composers Regis Campo, who will come especially to present his masterwork!

In November we will play Mozart's *Sinfonia Concertante* with the best duo one can dream of: Kurt Nikkanen, Concertmaster of New York City Ballet on violin and Jonathan Carney, Concertmaster of the Baltimore Symphony on viola! The concert will also feature one of Haydn's London Symphonies, an absolute symphonic masterpiece, his *Symphony No. 102*!

For our Holiday concert, the very special Karpov sisters will join us, one sings Opera and the other Jazz and Pop. Both are highly talented and should give us a memorable performance like no other!

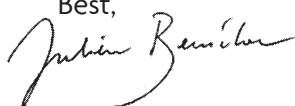
New Year's Eve in Easton will be so inspiring with Mezzo-Soprano Jessica Renfro and a few other vocalists, for an energetic ring into the new year!

In March we will welcome guest conductor Andrews Sill, in Schubert's moving *Symphony No. 4*, and the first performance by our brand new Young Artist Competition winner.

Finally in April, the rising star Irish pianist Michael McHale will join us in Ravel's most jazzy and fun *Piano Concerto in G Major*, followed by the most epic of all, Beethoven's *Symphony No. 9*, with one of the best lineups of vocalists ever, including the captivating Kevin Short singing the baritone part, joined by the wonderful Southern Delaware Chorale Society and the amazing Carter Legacy Singers.

We can't wait for you to join us as we transcend into musical bliss with these masterworks!

Best,



Julien Benichou, Music Director



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Rt 50 & 213
Wye Mills, MD 21679

ETERNAL PRODIGIES!

Thursday, September 27, 7:30 PM
Chesapeake College
Wye Mills, MD

Friday, September 28, 7:30 PM
French Embassy
Washington, DC

Sunday, September 30, 3:00 PM*
Ocean City Convention Center
Ocean City, MD



Stefan Jackiw, Violin

Ouverture en forme d'étoiles, Régis Campo
Violin Concerto, Beethoven
Symphony No. 7, Dvořák

STELLAR CONCERTMASTERS!

Thursday, November 1, 7:30 PM
Easton Church of God
Easton, MD

Saturday, November 3, 3:00 PM
Mariner's Bethel
Ocean View, DE

Sunday, November 4, 3:00 PM
Community Church
Ocean Pines, MD

Sinfonia Concertante, Mozart
Symphony No. 102, Haydn



Kurt Nikkanen, Violin



Jonathan Carney, Viola

HOLIDAY JOY, ANGELIC SISTERS!

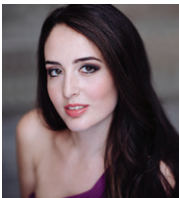
Thursday, December 6, 7:00 PM
Avalon Theater
Easton, MD

Saturday, December 8, 7:00 PM
Cape Henlopen
Lewes, DE

Sunday, December 9, 3:00 PM*
Ocean City Convention Center
Ocean City, MD



Jessica Karpov, Soprano



Suzanne Karpov, Soprano

ETHEREAL VOICES, A TOAST TO THE NEW YEAR!

Monday, December 31
7:00 PM
Christ Church
Easton, MD



Jessica Renfro
Mezzo Soprano

A SENSE OF THE TRAGIC, AN EXCITING DEBUT!

Thursday, March 7, 2019, 7:30 PM
Easton Church of God
Easton, MD

Saturday, March 9, 2019, 3:00 PM
Mariner's Bethel
Ocean View, DE

Sunday, March 10, 2019, 3:00 PM
Community Church
Ocean Pines, MD

Young Artist Competition Winner
Symphony No. 4, Schubert



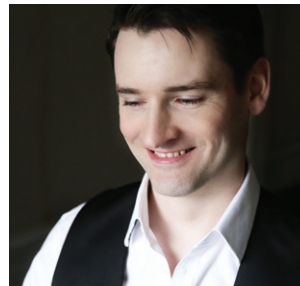
Andrews Sill
Guest Conductor

ODE TO HUMANKIND, TO COUNTRY AND TO JOY!

Friday, April 26, 2019, 7:00 PM
Chesapeake College
Wye Mills, MD

Sunday, April 28, 2019, 7:00 PM*
Ocean City Convention Center
Ocean City, MD

Finlandia, Jean Sibelius
Piano Concerto, Ravel
Symphony No. 9, Beethoven



Michael McHale, Piano

Southern Delaware Chorale
Carter Legacy Singers

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