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Joyful Sounds

Saturday, Sept. 24, 2011 at 8PM

Trumpeter **Chris Gekker**, a member of the American String Quartet, and faculty of Univ. of MD, will join forces with trombonist **Brian Priebe** and pianist **Li-Ly Chang** performing “Elizabeth Songbook” by Eric Ewazen. Mr. Ewazen wrote all of his trumpet music with Mr. Gekker’s sounds in mind. They will also play “Three Chinese Folk Songs” by James Fry and “Suite” by Jeremiah Clarke for Trumpet and Piano. Trombonist Brian Priebe is a gifted music director, instrumentalist, and a member of Bay Street Brassworks. He won 2nd prize in both the solo and duet categories at the International Alphorn Festival in Switzerland. He will play Correlli “Sonata,” an arrangement of “Suite Montagnarde for Flute, Alphorn and Organ” by Jean Daetwyler and a new premiere, “Ali Mountain,” by Li-Ly Chang. Pianist Li-Ly Chang is the Director of the International Young Artist Piano Competition and a commissioned composer in 2011 of the Maryland State Music Teachers Association. She has performed in Taiwan, US, Italy, France and China.

Latvian Lutheran Church, 400 Hurley Avenue, Rockville, MD 20850

Washington Saxophone Quartet

Sunday, Dec. 4, 2011 at 3PM



Celebrate the holiday season with family with WSQ: **Reginald Jackson**, soprano saxophone; **James Steele**, alto saxophone; **Rich Kleinfeldt**, tenor saxophone and **Rick Parrell**, baritone saxophone. The WSQ takes full advantages of the flexibility of the instruments to create a wide range of sounds from brassy trumpets to warm winds and strings. They play music from virtually all periods from the Renaissance to Contemporary. They will feature music by J.S. Bach, “The Toccata & Fugue in D Minor,” Dvorak’s “Prelude & Polka,” Gershwin’s “Three Preludes” and a variety of music by D’Rivera called “New York Suite.” In concert, they guide the audience along with commentary and insight into the music. It will bring you a very delightful holiday experience.

Calvary Lutheran Church, 9545 Georgia Avenue, Silver Spring, MD 20910

Rome Piano Trio

Saturday, March 10, 2012 at 8PM



Rome Piano Trio are faculty members of Catholic University of America. **Jody Gatwood**, studied violin with Galamian and Mekanowitzy at Juilliard, as well as Gingold at the Meadow Mount School, was 1st prize winner of Montreal Intl. Comp, and was concertmaster of the National Philharmonic for 20 years; **Michael Mermagen**, graduate of Juilliard and Peabody, performs on a Nicolo Gagliano cello, Naples 1774, and tours regularly with The Aspen Ensemble; **Ivo Kaltchev** is a Bosendorfer Artist. He has performed in Italy, China, France, Germany Bulgaria, Czech & US. He is the chair of the piano division of CUA, also the Co-Director of the Washington International Piano Festival and Director of the Bulgarian Music Society. He is a visiting professor at the China Conservatory of Music in Beijing. Program: Elegie Op. 23 by Joseph Suk, Piano Trio Op. 2 in C Minor by Joseph Suk, Piano Trio in C Minor by Brahms.

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Hands Across the C

Sunday, May 20, 2012 at 3PM



Charles Timbrell received degrees from Oberlin, University of Michigan and University of Maryland. He also pursued post-graduate studies in Rome with Guido Agosti and in France with Gaby Casadesus. His playing has been described as “masterly with insight” (London Times), and “strong, extroverted and colorful” (New York Times). He is the author of French pianism. He is currently Professor of Music and Coordinator of Keyboard Studies at Howard University. **Li-Ly Chang** studied at University of Texas, Kansas, and Peabody Conservatory with Sascha Gorodnitzki, Fernando Lares, Leon Fleisher, & Jack Winerock. She is constantly in demand as a lecturer and adjudicator of competitions. Her compositions have been performed in CA, NJ, NY, PA, MD, GA, etc. “The Capriccio by Li-Ly Chang was fun & infectious”- Kennedy Center online review. Program includes Mozart’s “Sonata in D”, Chopin’s “Barcarolle,” Faure’s “Dolly,” Brahms “Waltzes”, Schubert’s “Rondo” & “Marche Characteristique in C.”

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Sept. 24, 2011; March 10, 2012.

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December 4th, 2011; May 20, 2012

