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Music at St. John's 97/98

MARK YOUR CALENDAR NOW!

<u>Saturday, October 25, 8 p.m.</u> Susan Hookong, Folk-Rock Singer

Saturday, December 13, 8 p.m. Judy Loman in concert

Saturday, January 31, 8 p.m. Bach Consort

Saturday February 28, 2 p.m. Children's Concert

Saturday, April 4, 8 p.m. Joan Watson in concert

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3 exciting concerts in this year's <u>Series</u>! Plus 2 great <u>Single Concerts</u>

When I first walked into St. John's with my young family, my first thought was "What a great place for a concert!". Musicians are always looking for places to play and St. John's was a "find".

Over the past four years or so, many others have found that it is a great place for concerts. Audiences have enjoyed the superb acoustics, the informal ambience and the consistently high quality of performance.

Please come and join us. Bring a friend and nurture your soul.

In addition to providing fine music in the Bloor West Village, St. John's is committed to helping community organizations. Concert proceeds will be shared with HAAD, a grass roots organization for adults with autism, Campbell Village Ontario, a community for adults with disabilities, the Early Enrichment Daycare, and Just Us, an outreach program for prisoners at the Don Jail.

Timothy Dawson

Artistic Director and TSO Bassist

Music at St. John's - 97/98 - The Concert Series

Judy Loman in concert with soprano Monica Whicher and the Toronto Children's Chorus directed by Jean Ashworth Bartle
Saturday, December 13, 8pm.

More information?

Bach Consort with soprano Monica Whicher, alto Norine Burgess, tenor Dennis Giesbrecht, baritone Kevin MacMillan

Saturday, January 31, 8 p.m.

More information?

Joan Watson in concert (Associate principal French Horn player with the TSO)
Saturday, April 4, 8pm.

More information?

Series tickets:
Adult \$ 45
Senior / Student \$ 40
Single tickets:
Adult \$ 18
Senior / Student \$ 15
Children under 12 - \$ 3

For more information or to place an order by phone, call 416-763-2393

Music at St. John's - 97/98 - Single Concerts

Susan Hookong
Folk-Rock Singer
Saturday, October 25, 8 p.m.
More information?

4th Annual Children's Concert with Toronto Symphony Bass Quartet Saturday February 28, 2 p.m. More information? Concert Tickets:
Adult - \$ 18
Senior / Student - \$ 15
Child under 12 - \$ 3
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All Tickets: \$ 5

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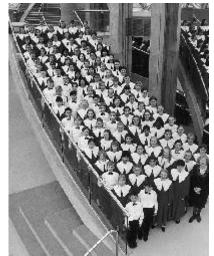


Judy Loman



Monica Whicher

Judy Loman in concert with soprano Monica Whicher, and the Toronto Children's **Chorus:**



directed by Jean Ashworth Bartle:



Jean Ashworth Bartle

St. John's is delighted to welcome back Judy Loman, harpist extraordinaire, of Toronto Symphony Orchestra fame.

She has put together a program of works for harp, including voice, that you won't want to miss.

Joining her is **Monica Whicher**, soprano;

and the world famous **Toronto** Children's Chorus.

Under the direction of their music director Jean Ashworth Bartle, the Toronto Children's Chorus will perform Benjamin Britten's **Ceremony of Carols.**

> **Saturday December 13** 8 p.m.

50% proceeds to HAAD



The Bach Consort with: soprano Monica Whicher, alto Norine Burgess, tenor Dennis Giesbrecht, baritone **Kevin MacMillan** Saturday, January 31 8 p.m.

This is a rare opportunity to catch this exciting ensemble of four singers and nine instrumentalists. Fresh from the release of their second CD, the group offers an evening of music from the glorious cantatas of Johann Sebastian Bach. The singers are among the most sought after in Canada and the indeed the world. The instrumentalists are culled from the TSO, the Cleveland Orchestra and the Tafelmusik Orchestra.



Joan Watson

in concert (Associate principal French Horn player with the TSO) Saturday, April 4 8 p.m.

If you've been to a few TSO concerts you'll know that Joan Watson can really play the french horn. In addition to her work with the orchestra she has branched out, playing recitals that include transcriptions of popular songs and some of the masterworks for the french horn. At this concert she hopes to be celebrating the release of her first CD with a few of her musical friends. This is your opportunity to hear a magnificent instrument beautifully played.



Susan Hookong

Folk-Rock Singer
With ...
Jani Lauzon
Alejandra Nunez
Marty Posen
Sean Mulrooney
Saturday, October 25
8 p.m.

Singer/songwriter Susan Hookong has a unique style which is a weave of Eastern musical traditions, Irish folk, Caribbean calypso jazz and Latin rhythms. She achieves a sound that seamlessly blends these rich musical traditions with her sweet melodies, passionately honest lyrics and driving rhythms.

Proceeds to Just Us; Don Jail Outreach Program



Toronto Symphony Bass Quartet

Celebrate!
Bring a party!
4th Annual
Children's Concert
with Toronto Symphony Bass

Quartet Saturday, February 28 2 p.m. It seems like St. John's has adopted these four guys from the TSO double bass section. Previous years' programs have included visits from Bassman and Rosin, Bassaroo, Bob Rae (as pianist and broom artist), and assorted vocalists, violinists and trombone players. Who knows what they'll come up with this year? Whatever it is, you and your children will be entertained.

50% proceeds to Early Enrichment Daycare

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