



BAROQUE CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

2024/25 SEASON

Frank Nowell, Artistic Director

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Vijay Chalasani, Artist in Residence

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MASTERWORKS

These four concerts are included in season subscription packages

Let's Dance!

October 19 7:30 pm First Plymouth Congregational Church, Cherry Hills Village
October 20 3:00 pm Wellshire Presbyterian Church, 2999 S. Colorado Blvd.

Vibrant, virtuosic dance music! Guest Julia Bengtsson brings a Bach suite to life with Baroque and contemporary dance. Our full ensemble of strings, recorders and continuo performs Handel's Water Music Suite in G, Dances from Terpsichore by Praetorius, and a joyful violin concerto by Telemann. Leader and Soloist: Cynthia Miller Freivogel, violin.

The Voice of Juana Inés

January 18 7:30 pm The Newman Center, Hamilton Hall, Denver
January 19 3:00 pm St. Thomas Church, 2201 Dexter St., Denver

Captivating music from 17th-century Mexico and the rich sounds of viols, voices, guitars and percussion. Sacred and secular songs, interwoven with stories and images from her time, elevate the inspiring words of visionary poet/composer Juana Inés de la Cruz. Guest Leader: Zoe Weiss, viola da gamba. Featuring multiple GRAMMY winner Estelí Gomez, mezzo soprano; Gabriella Cavallero, storyteller.

Fanfares & Flourishes

March 7 7:30 pm Lakewood Cultural Center, 470 S. Allison Pkwy.
March 8 2:00 pm *New! Saturday matinee.* Lakewood Cultural Center
March 9 3:00 pm Broomfield Auditorium, 3 Community Park Rd.

Sound the trumpet! Our festive and light-hearted program includes Handel's Suite in D for trumpet and strings, Telemann's fanciful Don Quixote, virtuoso concertos for trumpet and violin, and a newly composed fanfare by Frank Nowell. Leader and Soloist: Cynthia Miller Freivogel. Guest: Kathryn James Adduci, Baroque Trumpet.

Brandenburgs Plus

May 16 7:30 pm St. Lukes UMC, 8817 S. Broadway, Highlands Ranch
May 17 7:30 pm Wellshire Presbyterian Church, 2999 S. Colorado Blvd.
May 18 3:00 pm First Plymouth Congregational Church, Cherry Hills Village

For a grand finale, oboes, bassoon, and horns enliven our performance of this buoyant and beloved music! Brandenburg Concertos 1, 3, and 6; plus a vivacious, rarely performed Sinfonia Concertante by French-Caribbean composer, Joseph Bologne. Host and Commentary: Kabin Thomas, classical radio host. Featuring soloists: Cynthia Miller Freivogel, Leader, violin; Martin Davids, violin; Vijay Chalasani viola; Lara Turner, cello.



JULIA BENGTSSON



ESTELÍ GOMEZ



KATHRYN ADDUCI



CYNTHIA MILLER FREIVOGEL

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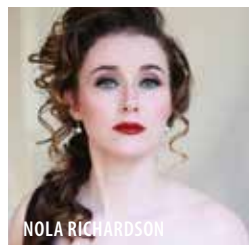
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ADDITIONAL CONCERTS

Antony & Cleopatra ~ A Pre-Season Opera

September 13 7:30 pm St. Thomas Church, 2201 Dexter St., Denver
September 14 3:00 pm *New! Saturday matinee.* St. Thomas Church

Two acclaimed singers give voice to the intimate drama between these star-crossed lovers in their final moments. They are accompanied by our orchestra of strings and continuo in a new staged and costumed production. Johann Adolph Hasse's *Marc'Antonio e Cleopatra* is a beguiling and rarely performed gem. Nola Richardson as Cleopatra; Kristin Gornstein as Antony. Guest Concertmaster: Rafa Prendergast. Directed by Frank Nowell.

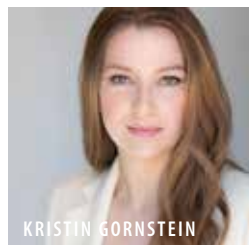


NOLA RICHARDSON

Friendly Rivalry ~ Chamber Music

November 22 7:30 pm St. Lukes UMC, 8817 S. Broadway, Highlands Ranch

A candlelit evening of exquisite chamber music by two composers whose friendly rivalry inspired great works. Enjoy the lighter side of Bach in his flute sonatas, along with some Telemann delights. Tamara (Meredith) Rotz, flute; Sarah Biber, cello; Frank Nowell, harpsichord.



KRISTIN GORNSTEIN

Early & New: The Joy of Discovery!

February 7-10 **Dates and venues to be announced**

Join us for a special mini-fest curated by Artist-in-Residence Vijay Chalasani, with two enticing concerts — "Baroque Connections" and "New Directions." We explore the surprising connections between early and new music, with two world-premiere works created especially for BCOC by guest harpsichordist Nicola Canzano, plus a brilliant array of new works alongside the captivating sounds of CPE Bach.



VIJAY CHALASANI

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I am thrilled to share our 2024-25 season with you! We begin our Masterworks series in October with "Let's Dance," with two new choreographed works and the joy of live Baroque music. Continuing in January with "The Voice of Juana Inés," we celebrate an extraordinary 17th-century woman whose words and music resound for us today. In March "Fanfares and Flourishes," is a festive and lighthearted program of music for trumpet and strings. Our season concludes with three of Bach's familiar Brandenburg Concertos combined with a rarely performed sinfonia by Joseph Bologne (the

Chevalier de Saint-Georges). In addition to these Masterworks concerts, we invite you to a September opera of famous star-crossed lovers, and a February mini-fest exploring the surprising connections between early and new music. It all adds up to a wondrous voyage of discovery through the year; I hope you will join us!

Frank Nowell, Artistic Director

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