



**The Tallahassee**  
Community Chorus

Michael Hanawalt, *Artistic Director*

**2023-2024**  
**CONCERT**  
**SEASON**





# GREAT CHORAL MUSIC & A CELEBRATION!

We are excited to share this season of great, dramatic choral oratorios and a fun celebration of Tallahassee's Bicentennial that you won't want to miss! Did you know? Tallahassee and Leon County turn 200 in 2024! Our 2023–2024 subscription series includes a collection of mighty classical works bookending a birthday party accompanied by some great movie music! Our Fall and Spring concerts will each have a separately ticketed livestream option, offering a convenient exchange for our season subscribers. (Livestream tickets are not included in the subscription series).

**2022–2023 Circle of Song members**, you have already received a special sneak peek at 2023–2024, along with the opportunity to renew your membership early! This is one of the many perks of becoming a member of the Circle! If you haven't yet renewed, you may do so either by calling our box office at 850-597-0603 or completing the order form in this brochure. **Not a member of our Circle of Song yet?** Invest in your Community Chorus with your donation of \$100 or more, and enjoy the benefits of membership, such as complimentary tickets, subscriptions, reserved parking and more! You can become a member with a one-time donation or make a recurring donation to reach the benefit level you desire! (See the details on page 4).

Season subscriptions are a great way to experience all three of our concert performances for less than the cost of buying a ticket for each one. They include priority reserved seating and are renewable from year to year.

Subscribe today and celebrate with us in Ruby Diamond Concert Hall for our 2023–2024 concert season! ***We can't wait to see you!***



# THE TALLAHASSEE COMMUNITY CHORUS

## presents...

### **FALL: ELIJAH**

**Sunday, November 19, 2023, 4 PM**

Our season opens with Felix Mendelssohn's greatest oratorio, *Elijah*. Experience this powerful work with 200 voices raised in song, accompanied by live orchestra and soloists. Depicting the Old Testament story of the prophet Elijah, the work features dramatic action, with stunning chorales and arias, and a fiery chariot! Prepare to be electrified!

### **UNITY 17: SOUNDS OF CINEMA CELEBRATING TALLAHASSEE'S BICENTENNIAL**

**Sunday, January 28, 2024, 4 PM**

Thrill to a live performance of some of your favorite movie music, along with other choral and theatrical experiences both onstage and off to celebrate Tallahassee's Bicentennial! You never know who you will meet at a Tallahassee Community Chorus concert! Curious? You won't want to miss the fun!!

### **SPRING: NELSON MASS**

**Sunday, April 28, 2024, 4 PM**

We close the season with Franz Joseph Haydn's "greatest single composition" and certainly, his most popular, *Mass in Angustiis*, or "Mass for Troubled Times." The Mass became connected with British Admiral Horatio Nelson, known as the "savior of Europe" after his victory over Napoleon in the Battle of the Nile. Also featured will be Haydn's *Te Deum*, and *The Chariot Jubilee*, by 20<sup>th</sup> Century Canadian/American composer, R. Nathaniel Dett.

# Join Our Circle of Song!

## 2023–2024 Membership Benefits

Our Circle of Song members know the value of high-quality live performances of great choral music, and the importance of sustaining the arts in this community. If you have not joined or renewed your membership yet now is the time! You may purchase a season subscription without joining the Circle, but complimentary tickets, season subscriptions and reserved parking are just some of the benefits available to you when you add a membership!



*All photos by Claire Timm*

## \$100 – \$249 ***Animato***

- » Two complimentary tickets to any concert this season for a donation of \$150–\$249. Tickets may be split between 2 concerts, based on availability.
- » Complimentary Chorus swag

## \$250 – \$499 ***Spiritoso***

- » One Complimentary season subscription
- » Reserved Parking Westcott North or South (Brinkley & Mecca lots)
- » Complimentary Chorus swag

## \$500 – \$999 ***Vivace***

- » Two complimentary season subscriptions with premium seating
- » Reserved parking Westcott North or South (Brinkley & Mecca lots)
- » A Backstage Pass (one concert)\*
- » Complimentary Chorus swag

## \$1,000+ ***Brillante***

- » Two complimentary season subscriptions with premium seating
- » Reserved parking Westcott North or South lots
- » A Backstage Pass (one concert)\*
- » Your choice of: cocktails or coffee with our Conductor, Michael Hanawalt; or admission to a special event
- » Complimentary Chorus swag

*\*Backstage Pass is a unique backstage tour of one of our pre-concert onstage rehearsals.*

***Thank you for your generosity and passion for great choral music!***



# Preferred Concert Seating

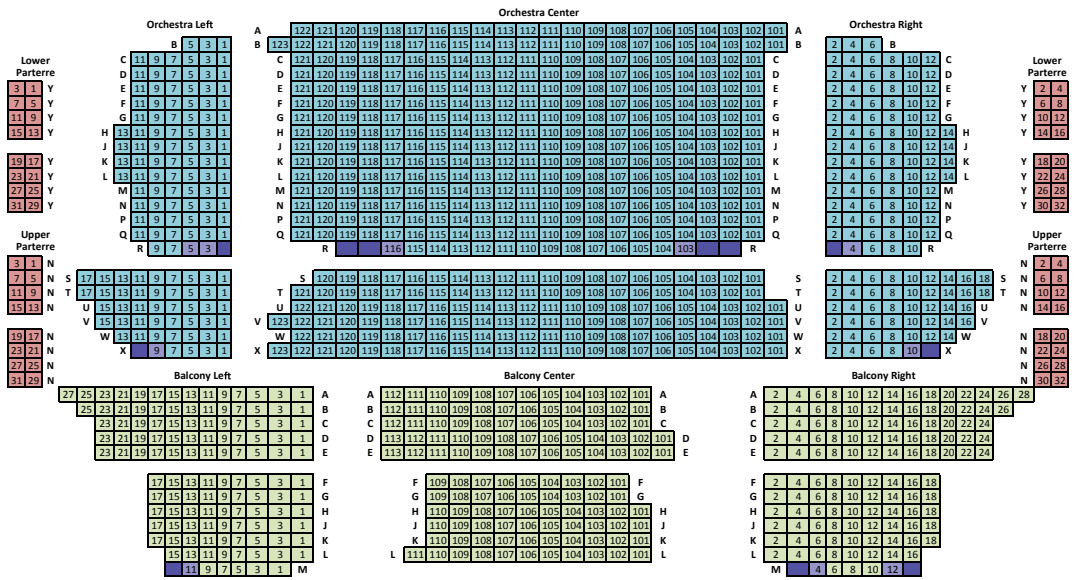
Below is a seat map of Ruby Diamond Concert Hall. **Renewing Subscribers:** if you have not yet renewed, please indicate whether you will keep your seats on the adjacent Order Form. If you want to change your seats, select your seating section preference on the form. **New Subscribers:** please indicate your seating section preference on the form. Seats will be assigned on a first-come first-served basis within each seating priority, based on the date of your order. We will do all we can to accommodate each seating request and will contact you if your request cannot be accommodated, and to confirm your seats.

## Seat Assignment Priority:

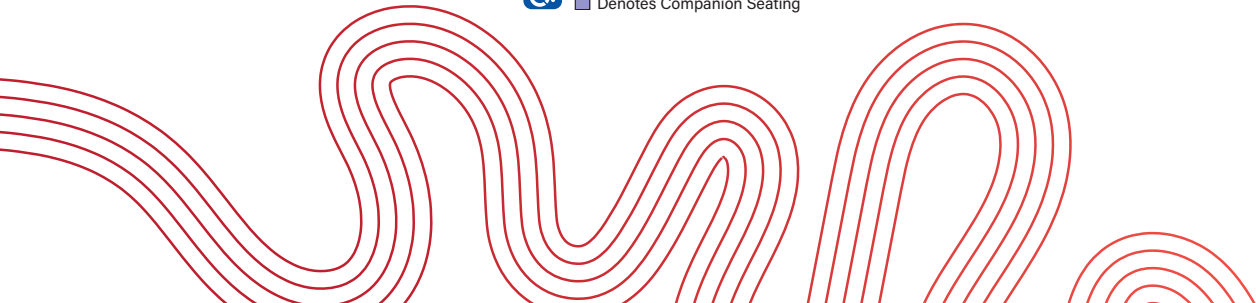
- » First priority seating: Renewing subscribers
- » Second priority seating: New subscribers
- » Third priority seating: Single Concert Ticket Buyers

*Parterre seating may not be available for all performances.*

## STAGE



■ Denotes Accessible Seating  
 ■ Denotes Companion Seating



# 2023–2024 SUBSCRIPTION & MEMBERSHIP Order Form

If you have renewed your membership/subscription online or via phone, please do not fill out this form. Please call 850-597-0603 if you wish to change an existing order.

## Contact Information (as it will appear in program)

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_

State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

## Season Subscription Order

# \_\_\_\_\_ Adult @ \$60 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# \_\_\_\_\_ Senior @ \$50 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

# \_\_\_\_\_ Student @ \$20 = \$ \_\_\_\_\_

## Seating Preference

\_\_\_\_ Renew subscription(s) & keep all seats

\_\_\_\_ Renew subscription(s) & Change seats  
(select seat section(s) below)

\_\_\_\_ New Subscriber (select seat section(s) below)

Orchestra:  Left  Center  Right

Balcony:  Left  Center  Right

Parterre:  I would like to be considered for parterre seats should they become available.

*You will be contacted for your seat assignment.*

## Add your Gift of Support

Join the Circle of Song for a minimum donation of \$100!

I would like to add a donation in the following amount:

\$ \_\_\_\_\_

## Member Benefit Selection

Check the benefit level that matches your donation amount.

Brillante \$1,000+  Vivace \$500 – \$999

Spiritoso \$250 – \$499  Animato\* \$100 – \$249

\*PLEASE CHECK PREFERRED CONCERT(S)

\_\_\_\_ FALL  UNITY 17  SPRING

I decline all benefits and would like the full amount of my gift to support the chorus.

## Payment Information

If you have included a Circle of Song membership donation at the Spiritoso level and above, please indicate which subscriptions are complimentary.

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total Donation Amount

Number of Complimentary subscriptions (based on donation amount):

\_\_\_\_ Adult; \_\_\_\_ Senior; \_\_\_\_ Student

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Total Amount for Paid Subscription(s) Only  
(do not include complimentary subscription amount)

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ Grand Total (Donation + Paid Subscriptions)

## Payment Method

Check # \_\_\_\_\_

*Made payable to The Tallahassee Community Chorus*

Visa  Mastercard  Discover

**\*We cannot accept American Express**

Card # \_\_\_\_\_

Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_ CVV \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Need help?** Call us at 850-597-0603 Mon.-Fri. 9–5.

**Please Mail this form** with check or credit card information to: Tallahassee Community Chorus, PO Box 13083, Tallahassee, FL 32317-3083. If paying by credit card, you may place your order via phone to our Box Office: 850-597-0603, Mon.-Fri. 9–5.

*All donations are tax-deductible to the full extent of the law, less the fair market value of Benefits received. FL Registration #CH1488*



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