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## HANDEL'S *MESSIAH*: AS INTENDED

A Program featuring a UNIQUE Handel's Messiah + Other Works

As part of the 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Season, PCO presents its signature holiday program of orchestral and choral works including a performance of Part One of Handel's "*Messiah*". This year, PCO welcomes the Resonance Ensemble and soloists, directed by Katherine Fitzgibbon. The program promises to be a celebration of music with *Messiah* presented at the size Handel intended: with chamber orchestra and chamber choir. This is a concert not to be missed! Join us!

### The Program:

- Orchestral Suite No.1 IN C Major, BWV 1066.....J.S. Bach (1685-1750)
- Magnum Mysterium.....Tomas Luis de Victoria (C. 1548-1611)
- Magnum Mysterium.....Francis Poulenc (1899-1963)
- Julsang.....Hugo Alfven (1872-1960)
- Ai, Nama Mamina.....Latvian Folk Song, Arr. Andrejs Jansons (1938- )
- Swingle Bells IX.....Traditional Carols, Arr. Ward Swingle (1927-2015)
- Intermission
- Messiah, Part One.....G. F. Handel

### The Performers:



[Resonance Ensemble](#) and Soloists  
[Katherine Fitzgibbon](#), Director



[Portland Chamber Orchestra](#)  
[Yaacov Bergman](#), Music Director

### Performances:

- December 14, 7:30 pm – [New Song Community Church](#), Portland
- December 16, 7:30 pm – [All Saints Catholic Parish](#), Portland
- December 17, 7:30 pm – [Agnes Flanagan Chapel, Lewis & Clark College](#), Portland
- December 18, 3:00 pm - Agnes Flanagan Chapel, Lewis & Clark College, Portland

### Tickets:

- Adults - \$30.00
- Seniors - \$25.00
- Group - \$15.00 (10 +)
- Children 12 & under free

Advance tickets are available by calling the Portland Chamber Orchestra office at **503.771.3250**  
Tickets are also available at the door or at [www.portlandchamberorchestra.org](http://www.portlandchamberorchestra.org)

**About the Portland Chamber Orchestra:** The oldest incorporated chamber orchestra in the country, the Portland Chamber Orchestra is known for its innovative concerts with a fusion of art forms. Its tagline is "the intimate symphony with infinite imagination". The orchestra is composed of local professionals. Learn more at [www.PortlandChamberOrchestra.org](http://www.PortlandChamberOrchestra.org)

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