



Celebrating the achievements and life events of the MasterVoices singing members!

Upcoming Events



Eileen Richter (alto) will be singing with the Oratorio Society of New York as part of Carnegie Hall's **Concert of the Century** celebration on **May 5 @ 7pm**. Featured artists include Emanuel Ax, Joyce DiDonato, Michael Feinstein, Renée Fleming, Evgeny Kissin, Lang Lang, Isabel Leonard, Audra McDonald, Yannick Nézet-Séguin, and Daniil Trifonov with the NYO-USA All-Stars. The program includes a slew of glorious composers such as Tchaikovsky, Ellington, Gershwin, and Bernstein (ed. note - "Make Our Garden Grow"... SWOON!) Limited in-person tickets available [here](#). The concert will also be livestreamed on [WQXR](#).



Jill Melanie Wirth (soprano) has been invited to present work in the Impact Theatre NYC Performance Salon "**Push! Pull! SPRING!!**" hosted by Greenhouse Ensemble Theater. **May 7th at 7pm**. St. Michael's Church 225 W 99th St. Jill says, "It'll be fun!" More info and tickets available [here](#).

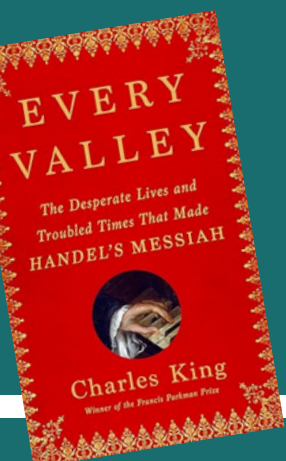


David Waggett (bass) will be singing with the MasterWork Chorus in **An American Tapestry**, a musical journey through 250 years of Americana. Featuring indigenous music, jazz, gospel, and contemporary voices like Aaron Copland and Bob Dylan, the concert promises to be both moving and inspirational. Saturday, **May 16 @ 7:30pm** at The Concert Hall at Drew University, Madison NJ. More info and tickets [here](#).

MV Book Club

Join the **MV Book Club**! We meet in-person once a month to discuss a music-related book. It's a fun and informal gathering with great discussion (and treats!).

Our next book is the extraordinary **Every Valley: The Desperate Loves and Troubled Times That Made Handel's Messiah** by Charles King on **May 16 @ 10:30am** (venue TBC). Available via [Amazon](#), [Bookshop](#), or the [New York Public Library](#). Email [Luisa](#) to get on the mailing list for updates or check the Members Area.





Living the Dream



Beatriz de Mello (alto) recently joined the pit orchestra at Greenwich Country School in weeklong performances of *Anastasia*. This was a much awaited return to performing in theater, where she first started her musical journey! Brava Beatriz!



Toward the end of April, **Ned Fitch** (bass) ran the Boston Marathon. It was extra special for not only being Ned's 10th marathon, but for qualifying him for the Six Star Medal - which is awarded to runners who have completed the original 6 Abbott World Marathon Majors (Chicago, Berlin, Tokyo, London, Boston, & New York). Bravo Ned!



🎉 Saying Thank You 🎉

Sybil Pollet (alto) recently hosted a celebration with new friends and peers from her LP₂ study group who regularly attend MasterVoices concerts. The event was a way for Sybil to say thank you to the group for their enthusiastic support of MasterVoices. Sybil is consistently one of MV's top ticket sellers and does an amazing job fostering community. Brava Sybil!

Reminder

Have you reported your *Sins and Grace* ticket sales? Make sure to report in the Members Area!

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