



## Light Eternal



**SCHUBERT: Mass in G**  
**LAURIDSEN: *Lux Aeterna***  
**FAURÉ: *Requiem***  
***Cantique de Jean Racine***



with the Ars Viva Orchestra  
and soloists Michelle  
Areyzaga, soprano and  
Peter Wesoloski, baritone

Our season opens with two of the most beloved choral masterpieces: the best-known of Schubert's great mass settings and Fauré's warmly affirming *Requiem*. Lauridsen's *Lux Aeterna*, cast in the same peaceful and reflective mode, already has become a favorite of choruses and audiences worldwide.

Friday, November 8, 2019 at 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday, November 10, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

*Pre-concert talks with Kurt Hansen one hour before each concert*

## Christmas Tidings

Music of  
**RUTTER**  
**VAUGHAN WILLIAMS**  
**WILLCOCKS**  
**LAURIDSEN**  
**STOPFORD**

with the Ars Viva Orchestra

CMS Christmas concerts at Techny have become an indispensable entrance into the season for hundreds of listeners. Find out why when you hear the message through the music of composers who go straight to the heart of their texts without compromising their artistic mission. The professional members of the Ars Viva orchestra will add color and depth to your experience of this beautiful music.

Friday, December 13, 2019 at 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday, December 15, 2019 at 7:00 p.m.

## All-Beethoven

**MASS IN C**  
**CHORAL FANTASY**  
with Lyudmila Lakisova

**OPFERLIED**

**ELEGISCHER GESANG**  
with the Ars Viva Orchestra and  
Michelle Areyzaga, soprano,  
Margaret Fox, mezzo-soprano,  
Klaus Georg, tenor,  
Keven Keys, bass-baritone

In recognition of Maestro Heatherington's 31 years leading CMS and in honor of the 250<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Beethoven's birth, a very special all-Beethoven program will replace the previously announced spring concert.

Friday, April 24, 2020 at 7:30 p.m.  
Sunday, April 26, 2020 at 7:00 p.m.

*Pre-concert talks with Kurt Hansen one hour before each concert*

## Subscriber benefits

**SAVE 10%** off regular single ticket prices

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**FREE ticket voucher** (valid Fall and Spring - value up to \$48)

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**FREE ticket exchanges** for the alternate day if plans change

## Concert Location

**ALL CONCERTS** are at the beautiful

Divine Word Chapel in Techny (near Northbrook)

2001 Waukegan Road (ample free parking)

Tickets from \$15 to \$48 with senior, student and group discounts.

## How to order

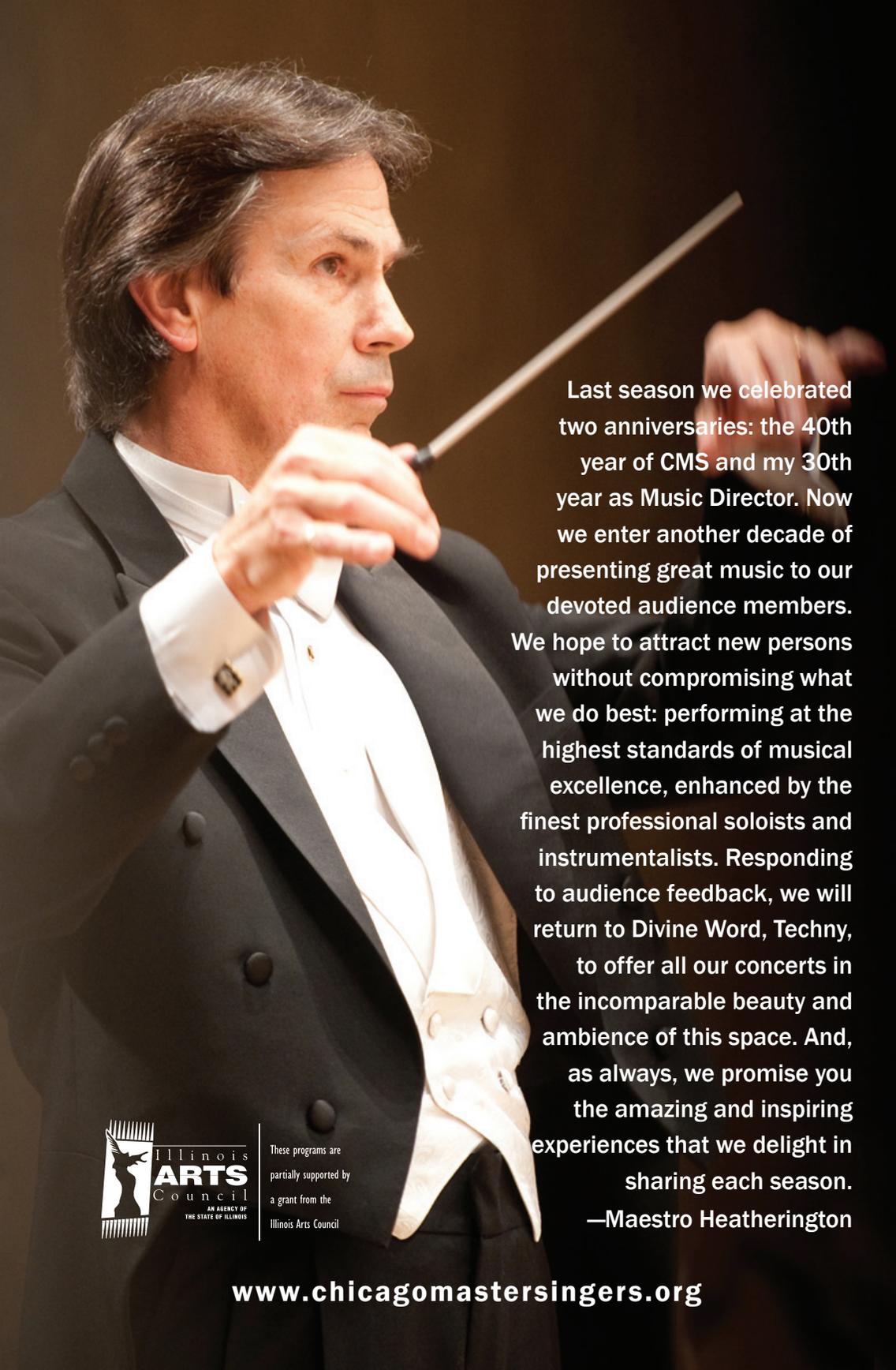
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Last season we celebrated two anniversaries: the 40th year of CMS and my 30th year as Music Director. Now we enter another decade of presenting great music to our devoted audience members. We hope to attract new persons without compromising what we do best: performing at the highest standards of musical excellence, enhanced by the finest professional soloists and instrumentalists. Responding to audience feedback, we will return to Divine Word, Techny, to offer all our concerts in the incomparable beauty and ambience of this space. And, as always, we promise you the amazing and inspiring experiences that we delight in sharing each season.

—Maestro Heatherington



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*Let light perpetual  
shine upon them*

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