



The Vocális Chamber Choir was founded in September 2002. The mission of the choir is to encourage the singing of great a cappella music from the Middle Ages to the present, and to contribute to the long choral tradition in Western New York. Consisting of 18 voices, Vocális strives to achieve a uniquely intimate and moving choral experience.



110 Normal Avenue  
Buffalo, NY 14213

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“Vocalis’ voices  
are incredible  
and beautifully  
balanced.  
Their phrasing  
is so exquisitely  
sculpted as  
to sound seamless.  
This choir  
is impeccably  
rehearsed, and the  
singers all sound  
completely in tune  
with each other,  
in every sense  
of the word.”  
“...haunting,”  
“...otherworldly.”

Mary Kunz Goldman  
Buffalo News  
December 7, 2008



JAMES BURRITT, DIRECTOR

## 2010 - 2011 CONCERT SCHEDULE

Join us for another  
exciting season  
of great choral music!

Tickets at venue:  
\$15 Adult,  
\$10 Student  
12 and under free.

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for purchase at venue.

\* Subscription Series  
\*\* Special Event –  
For tickets please  
contact the Lancaster  
Opera House at:  
[www.lancopera.org](http://www.lancopera.org)  
or (716) 683-1776.

Group photo:  
Daniel Fischer  
Karpeles Photo:  
Christopher Scinta

## Masterpieces

Join Vocalis in a collaborative multimedia event exploring great artistic and choral works from various periods of history. Every masterpiece is a reflection of the times in which it was created. This concert will illustrate the influences on both composers and artists alike, and present them side by side; the visual with the vocal. A unique concert event!

Saturday, October 23 8:00 pm\*

Blessed Sacrament Church  
1035 Delaware Avenue, Buffalo, NY 14209

Sunday, October 24 4:00 pm\*

Baker Memorial United Methodist Church  
345 Main Street, East Aurora, NY 14052



## A Vocalis Christmas

This year we expand our Christmas offerings, bringing holiday cheer throughout Western New York. A Vocalis tradition continues, as we once again return to the glorious acoustic of the Karpeles Manuscript Museum in Buffalo to celebrate the season. We are also pleased to make our first holiday appearance at the Lancaster Opera House. Relax to the sweet sounds of an intimate choral Christmas.

Saturday, December 11 8:00 pm\*

Karpeles Manuscript Museum  
220 North Street, Buffalo, NY 14201

Monday, December 20 7:30 pm\*\*

Lancaster Opera House  
21 Central Avenue, Lancaster, NY 14086



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## Eastern European Explorations

Eastern European Explorations brings to light fantastic choral works from Hungary, Poland and beyond. From the traditions of the past to contemporary choral gems, Vocalis pays tribute to Buffalo’s history and heritage, and spotlights some of Eastern Europe’s finest choral composers.

Friday, March 18 7:30 pm\*

Saints Peter and Paul Church  
5480 Main Street, Williamsville, NY 14221

Sunday, March 20 4:00 pm\*

Saint Stanislaus Bishop and Martyr R.C. Church  
123 Townsend Street, Buffalo, NY 14212

## Spring Appreciation Concert

Join us as we sing some of our favorites from the season plus a diverse selection of new works. This is a non-subscription concert, but we wish to thank our loyal audience and subscribers by offering \$10 admission for all. Bring a friend!

Saturday, April 30 7:30 pm

Orchard Park Presbyterian Church  
4369 South Buffalo Street, Orchard Park, NY 14127

## Light Eternal - Requiem

Vocalis ends the season with Light Eternal, a program featuring early and contemporary works. Music from the Brahms, Fauré, Howells and Duruflé requiems will be interwoven with anthems of light and joy, and the powerful work, *Cantos Sagrados*, by James MacMillan. The choir will be joined by organ and chamber musicians for this celebration of the sacred and sublime. Join Us!

Sunday, June 12 4:00 pm\*

Holy Trinity Lutheran Church  
1080 Main Street, Buffalo, NY 14209