



Concert for Ukraine

UNITED CHURCH OF CHRIST
460 MAIN STREET, NORWELL, MA 02061

**OCTOBER
29TH
AT 7PM**



An Afternoon of classical repertoire
by Ukrainian composers and
American composers with Ukrainian
heritage

Performances by



TIMOTHY STEELE
piano



OLGA LIISOVSKA
soprano



DAVID WON
tenor



MING-HUILIN
cello



**LIUBOMYR SENYSHYN
AND MARGARET
BOSWELL-SENYSHYN**

violin and piano



**MAKSYM
PAKHOMOV**

guitar



**FELIX
LUBARSKY**

piano



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CONCERT FOR UKRAINE
Saturday, October 29, 2022, 7pm
United Church of Christ, Norwell, MA

Natalka's Aria from *Natalka Poltavka* by M. Lysenko
Olga Lisovska, soprano; Timothy Steele, piano

Variations on the Ukrainian Folk Song "Ой на дворі калина"
"Oh, viburnum outside" by Y. Shurovsky Maksym Pakhomov, guitar

"The Man I Love" by G. Gershwin Olga Lisovska

"Somebody Loves Me" by G. Gershwin Olga Lisovska and David Won, tenor

"He Loves and She Loves" by G. Gershwin David Won

"Leyenda" from *Suite Espanola*, by I. Albéniz Dave McLellan, guitar

"Ніч Яка Місячна"/"Moonlit Night" by M. Lysenko David Won

Andriy's Prayer, from *Zaporozhets za Dunajem*, by S. Hulak-Artemovsky David Won

"Ой Чий То Кінь Стоїть"/"Oh, Whose Horse is Standing" Ukrainian folk song
arr. by Margaret Boswell Senyshyn for Piano Trio Liubomyr Senyshyn, violin
Ming-Hui, cello; Margaret Boswell Senyshyn, piano

INTERMISSION

"Солов'иний Романс"/ "The Nightingale's Romance" by A. Kos-Anatolsky Olga Lisovska

"Ой не Світи, Місяченьку" / "Oh, Do not Shine, Moon" Ukrainian folk song Olga Lisovska

"Гандзя"/ "Gandzia" Ukrainian folk song Olga Lisovska

"The Entertainer" by S. Joplin Felix Lubarsky, piano

"Nothing More Than This" from *Candide* by L. Bernstein David Won

"Somewhere" from *West Side Story* by L. Bernstein David Won

"Melody" by M. Skoryk Liubomyr Senyshyn, Margaret Boswell Senyshyn

"Summertime" from *Porgy and Bess* by G. Gershwin Olga Lisovska

"Tonight" from *West Side Story* by L. Bernstein Olga Lisovska and David Won

Anthem of Kyiv, by I Shamo

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Native of Kyiv, Ukraine, **OLGA LISOVSKA** holds degrees from Middlebury College, École Normale de Musique d'A. Cortot in Paris, France and L'Institut des Sciences Politiques in Paris, France. A critically acclaimed classical singer, Olga's career involves both singing on prestigious concert stages, including Carnegie Hall, and producing concerts, events and operas. She produced award-winning operas at Commonwealth Lyric Theater, and Talents of the World's Annual Music Festival at Carnegie Hall. Ms. Lisovska has been featured on Ukrainian, Italian and American TV, including Today Show. Olga is a founder of a nonprofit organization, Music, Arts and Fashion Productions. Being a passionate connector, Olga serves as Managing Partner at Sky International Center, the largest international social, cultural and business network of 25,000 members in New England. As diction coach she works with Tanglewood Festival Chorus at Boston Symphony, Odyssey Opera, and New England Conservatory. www.OlgaLisovskaya.com

TIMOTHY STEELE is an active vocal coach, collaborative pianist, and conductor, and has taught for 29 years on the opera faculty at New England Conservatory. He has conducted for outreach tours with the Boston Lyric Opera and is a former music director for Opera Providence. He has served as assistant conductor/pianist for over 190 productions with twenty-five opera companies, including Opera Theatre of St. Louis, Boston Lyric Opera, Boston Symphony Orchestra, Boston Youth Symphony Orchestra, Wolf Trap Opera, Central City Opera, and Opera Maine. He assisted with the Pulitzer Prize winning opera *Madame White Snake* for productions in Boston and Taiwan and the *Ouroboros Trilogy* in 2016, and for three years collaborated with WaterFire-Providence on a unique series of opera evenings. For the last eight years he has been music director at First Parish of Milton-UM and producer of Milton Community Concerts. He has performed with Emmanuel Music, the Handel and Haydn Society, and the Commonwealth Shakespeare Company, among others.

MARGARET BOSWELL SENYSHYN is a composer, pianist, educator and composer based in the Boston area. She holds a BM in Composition and Keyboard Studies from Samford University, an MM in Composition from the Longy School of Music of Bard College, and a Graduate Performance Diploma from the Longy School of Music. As a passionate educator, she is the co-founder of *Attacca School of Music* in Belmont, MA where she acts as both Administrative Director and Piano Department Director. She teaches piano, composition, theory, coaches chamber music, and accompanies students of all ages.

Originally from Ukraine, **LIUBOMYR SENYSHYN** is a Boston based violinist. Prior to his career in the United States, Liubomyr was a three year member of the K&K Philharmoniker, an Austrian-Ukrainian orchestra that tours throughout Europe. With K&K, he played over 120 concerts per year in the greatest concert halls in Europe. Liubomyr holds a Masters in Music from the Mykola Lysenko Lviv National Music Academy. He also holds a Graduate Performance Diploma, and an Artist Diploma from the Longy School of Music at Bard College in Cambridge, MA. Mr. Senyshyn is a co-founder of *Attacca School of Music* in Belmont, MA as well as the orchestra director at Star Academy in Wellesley, MA. Mr. Senyshyn is also a faculty member of the yearly *Cremona International Music Academy* in Cremona, Italy where two of his students were recently awarded 3rd prize in their performance category.

MAKSYM PAKHOMOV, 13 years old, has been playing guitar since the age of six. He studied Ukrainian folk dance at the Lyceum of Arts, Kharkiv, Ukraine. In September 2021, Maksym was awarded the National Ukrainian Prize "Pride of Independent Ukraine 2021", and the medal "30 Years of Independence of Ukraine". He was awarded the title of "Giftedness" by the Kharkiv Mayor. He is the winner of the first prize in more than forty Ukrainian and international competitions and festivals. He holds an Honorable Mention Award for string performance of the International Arts Competition for Young Performers *Colibri* in 2020 and 2021 years.

Tenor **DAVID WON** is a popular concert singer. In October of 2010 Mr. Won had his second European appearance in Palermo, Italy. In April of 2018 he made his debuts in South Korea and Taiwan. In May of 2016 his European debut in recitals in Padova and Venezia Mestre, as well as a Cremona TYI interview in Italy. He was a featured soloist at the 9/11 memorial service in 2015 at the Massachusetts Statehouse. In 2013 he was a featured soloist in the Great Mass in C Minor by Mozart with Chorus pro Musica and the New England Philharmonic. Since December of 2014 he has been coaching with Timothy Steele and has performed about 100 full recitals. David Won studied Church Music in Seoul Theological Seminary, received his BA in 1983 from Seattle Pacific University, Master of Divinity from Ashbury Theological Seminary, and in 1993 a Master of Theological Studies from Harvard Divinity School. He has sung as a chorister and soloist with Soong Sil OB Chorus, Korea Broadcasting Station Chorus, Harvard Glee Club, Church of the Advent of Boston and Chorus pro Musica of Boston. His first CD, "Only Love" featuring Pascal Szymczak's works was released in December of 2017, and his second CD "Languages of Love" in February of 2018.

FELIX LUBARSKY demonstrated outstanding musical talent at an early age and soon was accepted into the famous Stolyarsky music school for gifted children. He continued his studies at Odessa State Conservatory, where he collaborated with some of the top performing artists in the country. After graduating, he continued touring and performing with many famous performers. Soon he was invited to teach at the Stolyarsky Music school where he studied. Felix is a winner of many competitions. In 1997 he was awarded a title Honored Artist of Ukraine. He was also named 1 of the 10 musicians of the 20th century who glorified his city - Odessa. In 1995 Felix has received the Man of the Year award.

Hailed as one of the 100 Passionate People (Taiwanese American Project), **Dr. MING-HUI LIN** is a versatile cellist, an enthusiastic chamber musician, and a devoted teacher and coach. Broadcasted on the Sound of Hope Radio Station and NYC Chinese American Voice, her performances have brought her to major cities throughout the United States, Germany, Vienna, Canada, Japan and Taiwan, including such venues as Carnegie Recital Hall, the Kennedy Center, and Jordan Hall. Dr. Lin is a faculty of the Preparatory School at the New England Conservatory, and has been serving as the music director at the Boston Youth Music Charity group since 2010.

DAVE MCLELLAN has performed in the U.S., South America, Great Britain, and Europe since 1976, including debut and chamber appearances in Jordan Hall, Carnegie Hall, Merkin Hall, and Wigmore Hall (London). Beginning in 1981, he lived a double life as software engineer and concert guitarist with duo partner Neil Anderson. The Anderson-McLellan Duo gave several hundred concerts throughout the 1980's, including two concert tours of Great Britain, and festival performances in the US and South America. Supported by grants from the National Endowment for the Arts and the D'Addario Foundation, they gave their farewell performance in November 1989 in Merkin Hall, New York. Mr. McLellan's collaborators include many famous singers and instrumentalists. Mr. McLellan has served on the faculties of The Hartt School and the University of Connecticut. He currently serves on the faculty of the Performing Arts Center - Metrowest of Framingham, MA. He is also the timpanist, publicist, and guitar soloist of the Lincoln-Sudbury Civic Orchestra, in residence at Lincoln-Sudbury Regional High School.

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