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December 2018 Calendar of Events

Chicago Symphony Orchestra

[Saturday, December 1, 2018, 8:00 p.m.](#)
[Tuesday, December 4, 2018, 7:30 p.m.](#)

Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Robert Chen, leader and violin
Stefán Ragnar Höskuldsson, flute

MOZART *Eine kleine Nachtmusik*, K. 525
MOZART Flute Concerto No. 2 in D Major, K. 314
MOZART Violin Concerto No. 3 in G Major K. 216
(*Strassburg*)
MOZART Symphony No. 25 in G Minor, K. 183

Tickets: \$35-224

Chicago Symphony Orchestra Family Concert

[Saturday, December 1, 2018, 11:00 a.m.](#)
[Saturday, December 1, 2018, 12:45 p.m.](#)

Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Edwin Outwater, conductor
The Second City, guest artists
Jen Ellison, director

The Young Person's Guide to the Orchestra

BERNSTEIN *Overture to Candide*
GRIEG Suite No. 1 from *Peer Gynt*
DVOŘÁK Symphony No. 9 (*From the New World*)
BRITTEN *The Young Person's Guide to the Orchestra*

Tickets: \$6-57

Symphony Center Presents Piano

[Sunday, December 2, 2018, 3:00 p.m.](#)
Cédric Tiberghien, piano

SCRIABIN *Vers la flamme*, Op. 72
BRIDGE Three Improvisations for the Left Hand

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DEBUSSY Etudes
SZYMANOWSKI Twelve Etudes, Op. 33
HINDEMITH *In einer Nacht*, Op. 15

Tickets: \$21-83

All-Access Chamber Series

Columbus Park Refectory
5701 W Jackson Blvd

[Sunday, December 2, 2018, 3:00 p.m.](#)

Lincoln String Quartet

Lei Hou, violin
Qing Hou, violin
Lawrence Neuman, viola
Kenneth Olsen, cello

SCHUBERT String Quartet No 12 in C Minor D. 703
(*Quartettsatz*)
BEETHOVEN String Quartet No. 11 in F Minor, Op. 95
(*Serioso*)
RAVEL String Quartet in F Major

Free and open to the public; tickets are required.

**Symphony Center Presents
Special Concert**

Fourth Presbyterian Church
126 E Chestnut St.

[Tuesday, December 4, 2018, 7:30 p.m.](#)

[Wednesday, December 5, 2018, 7:30 p.m.](#)

**Chanticleer
A Chanticleer Christmas**

Tickets: \$39-61

Chicago Symphony Orchestra

[Thursday, December 6, 2018, 8:00 p.m.](#)

[Friday, December 7, 2018, 1:30 p.m.](#)

[Saturday, December 8, 2018, 8:00 p.m.](#)

[Tuesday, December 11, 2018, 7:30 p.m.](#)

Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Edward Gardner, conductor
Erin Wall, soprano

WAGNER Overture to *Rienzi*
R. STRAUSS *Four Last Songs*
NIELSEN Symphony No. 4, Op. 29 (*The Inextinguishable*)

Tickets: \$31-221

**Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Special Concerts**

[Friday, December 7, 2018, 7:00 p.m.](#)

[Saturday, December 8, 2018, 2:00 p.m.](#)

[Sunday, December 9, 2018, 2:00 p.m.](#)

Members of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Justin Freer, conductor

WILLIAMS *Harry Potter and the Chamber of Secrets* in Concert

Tickets: \$50-140

Once Upon a Symphony

[Saturday, December 8, 2018, 10:00 a.m.](#)

[Saturday, December 8, 2018, 11:45 a.m.](#)

Members of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra

The Ugly Duckling

Tickets: \$17

Civic Orchestra of Chicago

[Wednesday, December 12, 2018, 8:00 p.m.](#)

Civic Orchestra of Chicago

Edward Gardner, conductor

JANÁČEK

Sinfonietta

LUTOSŁAWSKI

Symphony No. 4

RAVEL

Suite No. 2 from *Daphnis and Chloe*

Free and open to the public; tickets are required.

Chicago Symphony Orchestra

[Thursday, December 13, 2018, 8:00 p.m.](#)

[Friday, December 14, 2018, 1:30 p.m.](#)

[Saturday, December 15, 2018, 8:00 p.m.](#)

Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Michael Tilson Thomas, conductor

Nicola Benedetti, violin

STRAVINSKY

Concerto in D Major for String Orchestra

PROKOFIEV

Violin Concerto No. 2 in G Minor, Op. 63

TCHAIKOVSKY

Symphony No. 6 in B Minor, Op. 74

(*Pathétique*)

Tickets: \$41-263

**Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Special Concerts**

[Friday, December 14, 2018, 7:00 p.m.](#)

[Saturday, December 15, 2018, 3:00 p.m.](#)

[Sunday, December 16, 2018, 1:00 p.m.](#)

[Sunday, December 16, 2018, 4:30 p.m.](#)

[Friday, December 21, 2018, 7:00 p.m.](#)

[Saturday, December 22, 2018, 3:00 p.m.](#)

[Sunday, December 23, 2018, 7:00 p.m.](#)

Members of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Michael Krajewski, conductor

Storm Large, vocalist

Young Naperville Singers

Angie Johnson, Artistic Director

Merry, Merry Chicago!

Tickets: \$38-150

**Symphony Center Presents
Special Concert**

Wednesday, December 19, 2018, 8:00 p.m.
The Chicago Symphony Orchestra Brass

Program to Include:

TCHAIKOVSKY Suite from *The Nutcracker*

Tickets: \$33-130

Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Thursday, December 20, 2018, 8:00 p.m.
Friday, December 21, 2018, 1:30 p.m.
Saturday, December 22, 2018, 8:00 p.m.

Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Matthew Halls, conductor
Amanda Forsythe, soprano
Sasha Cooke, mezzo-soprano
Nicholas Phan, tenor
Joshua Hopkins, baritone
Chicago Symphony Chorus
Duain Wolfe, chorus director

HANDEL *Messiah*

Tickets: \$41-262

**Chicago Symphony Orchestra
Special Concert**

Sunday, December 23, 2018, 2:00 p.m.

Chicago Symphony Orchestra

Matthew Halls, conductor
Amanda Forsythe, soprano
Sasha Cooke, mezzo-soprano
Nicholas Phan, tenor
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