NEW **COMPOSED MUSIC**

Seattle & Puget Sound January 2018

Wayward Music Series

Concerts of contemporary composition, free improvisation, and sonic experiments. This month: vintage sampling keyboards, avant-garde noise, graphic scores, and etudes from the likes of György Ligeti and John Cage.

Various days, 7:30/8pm, Good Shepherd Chapel 1\$5-\$15 waywardmusic.org

Seattle Symphony: Ligeti Violin Concerto

Grammy-winning violinist Augustin Hadelich joins the orchestra for a performance of György Ligeti's stunningly virtuosic Violin Concerto. Also on the program: Stravinsky's long-lost Funeral Song and Mozart's sublime Symphony No. 39.

Thurs 1/4, 7:30pm, Benaroya Hall | \$22-\$74 Sat 1/6, 8pm, Benaroya Hall | \$22-\$74 seattlesymphony.org

Paper Puppet Opera: Schubert's 'Winterreise'

One of the darkest works in the classical canon is reimagined through bleak shadow puppet abstraction in this Schubertiademeets-puppet-show spectacular. Baritone David Hoffman and pianist Peter Nelson-King join the Paper Puppet Opera for a shadow puppet performance of all 24 songs in Franz Schubert's Winterreise.

Fri 1/12, 7:30pm, Trinity Parish Hall | \$25 Sat 1/13, Trinity Parish Hall | \$25 paperpuppetopera.com

Jesse Myers: To Sober and Quiet the Mind

Seattle pianist Jesse Myers presents an evening of introspective solo piano works from the masters of time and space - Arvo Pärt, Morton Feldman, John Cage, and more. Forgo the chairs and bring a pillow or mat for the ultimate musical meditation.

Fri 1/12, 8pm, Good Shepherd Chapel | \$5-\$15 wavwardmusic.org

Bern Herbolsheimer Musical Memorial

In celebration of the late Bern Herbolsheimer's life and music, the St. Helens String Quartet and local soloists come together to perform a selection of his chamber works.

Sat 1/13, 5pm, Good Shepherd Chapel | FREE livemusicproject.org

Second City Chamber Series: Just Us Folks

The Carpe Diem String Quartet performs chamber works inspired by folk music from every corner of the world, featuring music by Erberk Eryilmaz, Vittorio Monti, Lev Zhurbin, Dave Brubeck, and more.

Fri 1/19, 7:30pm, Annie Wright School, Tacoma | \$10-\$25 scchamberseries.org

SCMS Winter Festival

Seattle Chamber Music Society's annual Winter Festival features a variety of classical music performances from across the centuries, including 20th century works by Amy Beach, Paul Hindemith, Dmitri Shostakovich, William Walton, and Edward Elgar.

1/19-1/28, Various times, Nordstrom Recital Hall | \$16-\$52 seattlechambermusic.org

Spontaneous Combustion New Music Festival

This brand new music festival touring through Seattle, Portland, and Eugene features contemporary music by the likes of Julia Wolfe, Andy Akiho, Andrew Norman, Steve Reich, and Lou Harrison, among others. Featured performers include Ashley Bathgate, the Sandbox Percussion Quartet, the Iktus Duo, Hub New Music, and more.

Fri 1/19, 8pm, Good Shepherd Chapel | \$20 Sun 1/21, 3pm, Youngstown Cultural Arts Center | \$20

Mon 1/22, 7:30pm, 18th & Union | \$20 Thurs 1/25, 8pm, Good Shepherd Chapel | \$20 Sat 1/27, 7pm, Music Center of the Northwest |

Tues 1/30, 7:30pm, The Royal Room | \$20 Thurs 2/01, 8pm, Rainier Arts Center | \$20

NUMUS Northwest 2018

This day-long event is dedicated to the creation, performance, and experience of new music in Seattle & beyond. Musicians, composers, & curious bystanders alike come together for a day of live performances and interactive presentations on topics ranging from fundraising to networking, media pitching, grant writing, & more.

Sat 1/20, 8:30am-9:30pm, Cornish Kerry Hall | \$20 numusnw.org

SMCO: Journeys of Discovery and Hope

Seattle Metropolitan Chamber Orchestra performs Gabriela Lena Frank's Leyendas: An Andean Walkabout. Mixing elements of Western classical with Andean folk music traditions, the piece draws on the concept of mestizaje: where cultures can coexist without the subjugation of one by the other. Also on the program is Haydn's Mass for Troubled Times.

Sat 1/20, 8pm, Plymouth Congregational Church | \$15-\$25 smcomusic.org

Third Coast Percussion: 'Paddle to the Sea'

Third Coast Percussion performs their own live score in this special screening of Paddle to the Sea, a Canadian film which illustrates the epic journey of a young boy's small wooden boat from Northern Ontario to the Atlantic Ocean. Third Coast's film score weaves in music by Philip Glass and Jacob Druckman, along with traditional music of the Shona people of Zimbabwe.

Thurs 1/25, 8pm, Meany Theater | \$28-\$44 meanycenter.org

Erin Jorgensen: Bach and Pancakes

It's Bach like you've never heard it before - on marimba! Erin Jorgensen performs a marimba arrangement of Bach's Cello Suite No. 2 in D minor, followed by a pancake breakfast.

Sun 1/28, 10am, Studio Current | \$5 livemusicproject.org

Pacifica Chamber Orchestra: Sunshine Concert

From scherzos to serenades, the Pacifica Chamber Orchestra performs 20th century works by Dag Wirén, Julius Fučík, Eugène Bozza, and more.

Sun 1/28, 3pm, First Presbyterian Church, Everett | \$15-\$20 pacificachamberorchestra.org

Music of Remembrance: Art from Ashes

Music of Remembrance presents a free community-wide concert to honor International Holocaust Remembrance Day, featuring chamber music written in Terezín and in the Vilna ghetto, plus works by composers whose lives were cut short by Nazi persecution.

Mon 1/29, 5pm, Nordstrom Recital Hall | FREE musicofremembrance.org

