

2022 ST. GEORGE TABERNACLE HOLIDAY EVENTS

Celebrate the holiday season with us at the St. George Tabernacle. Admission is free for all events. Doors open one hour before the program.

Tuesday, Nov. 29, 7:00 p.m. The **Color Country Chorus** will initiate our Christmas Season. They are a local Barbershop Men's a cappella Chorus. They have been bringing good cheer and smiles to audiences for almost 40 years.

Wednesday, Nov. 30, 7:00 p.m. The **EPIC Performing Company**, a group of children, ages 7 to 17, are excited to present a Christmas program comprised of the music from their holiday show, "Merry & Bright." They are directed by Brooke Hurdman.

Thursday, Dec. 1, 7:00 p.m. Pianist and composer, **Andrew Braithwaite**, will share his program, "Christmas Magic." He will play holiday arrangements, ranging from soft classics to fun mashups.

Friday, Dec. 2, 7:00 p.m. The **Payson Civic Chorale** is excited to join us again with their program, "Christmas with the Chorale." The Chorale is directed by David Dahlquist and they are beginning their 42nd year.

Saturday, Dec. 3, 12:00 NOON The **Choral Artists of So. Nevada** will return this year with their program, "Beautiful December"—they have always been inspiring! The Choral Artists are conducted by Marsha Borovicka and accompanied by Allison Olson.

Saturday, Dec. 3, 7:00 p.m. **Ed Tracey**, a gifted vocalist, will team up with **Tami Creamer**, an amazing accompanist, to present some of their holiday favorites.

Tuesday, Dec. 6, 7:00 p.m. The **St. George Institute Combined Choirs and Orchestra** will present an evening of music entitled "Love and Joy." Come enjoy these young voices as they celebrate the Savior's birth, under the direction of Brother Marshall McConkie.

Wednesday, Dec. 7, 7:00 p.m. **Master Singers**, a Men's Vocal Group, feels honored to share their program, the "Comfort and Joy of Christmas." They are directed by Louise Segar and accompanied by Dana Mathews.

Thursday, Dec. 8, 7:00 p.m. Former Professor of Church History at Brigham Young University and renowned lecturer, **Susan Easton Black**, will return to share insights about "Mary and the Birth of Jesus Christ" in a Jewish setting.

Friday, Dec. 9, 7:00 p.m. The **St. George Children's Choir and Chamber Singers** are under the direction of Paul Wiens. The Chamber Choir will present choruses from the Christmas section of the Messiah. The Children's Choir will sing a few Christmas pieces and be joined by the Chamber Singers for two lovely songs. It should be a treat to attend.

Saturday, Dec. 10, 7:00 p.m. Pianist, **Garry Gentry**, will perform "Christmas, the Way I LIKE IT." It includes holiday arrangements Garry has done in a way that's fun and new--and that he loves to share.

Sunday, Dec. 11, 7:00 p.m. **The Southern Utah Heritage Choir**, will present their Christmas Program and Sing-Along, "Peace on Earth." They put on an incredible concert.

Tuesday, Dec. 13, 7:00 p.m. **Keynotes**, a Women's Vocal Group, will perform their Christmas Program, "Sing a Song of Christmas." They are always a delight.

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Wednesday, Dec. 14, 7:00 p.m. Pine View High School Choirs, directed by Rob Reimer, will present “A Merry Christmas Wish.” Their annual Christmas concert will feature music presented during their Salt Lake City Christmas Tour, including well-known music in traditional and new settings.

Thursday, Dec. 15, 7:00 p.m. Nancy Allred and Friends, will present a beautiful Christmas concert featuring favorite Christmas carols, performed by Utah Tech University music professors, Emily Workman, lyric soprano, Dr. Nancy Allred, piano, and Dr. Ka-Wai Yu, cello; joining them will be KateLyn Syphus, violin, a member of the Orchestra at Temple Square, and graduate from the Utah Tech music department.

Friday, Dec. 16, 7:00 p.m. Santa Clara Friends are excited to share the joy they find singing together with all of us. They are a Women’s Vocal Group that have been performing since 1998. One of their favorite December traditions is sharing Christmas music in the St. George Tabernacle.

Saturday, Dec. 17, 12:00 NOON Ben Alder, organist and pianist, will present a Christmas Program entitled “For Unto Us a Child is Born.” It will feature Christmas hymns and sacred songs, including the “Hallelujah Chorus” from Handel’s Messiah.

Saturday, Dec. 17, 7:00 p.m. The **Celebration Interfaith Choir** that brought us “Celebrate America” returns with “Celebrate Christmas!” Their program includes a sacred and secular choir, instrumental and solo performances—plus the Hallelujah! Chorus sing-along. The Celebration Choir is directed by Chris Papworth.

Sunday, Dec. 18, 7:00 p.m. John Miner and Friends will perform, “A Celebration of Christmas.” The talented performers participating are Tennile Coello, soprano, Brandon Lee, piano, Nate Myers, tenor, Karen Kennedy organ, Mike Kennedy, drums, Dave Andersen, guitar, Jeremy Ripley, keyboard, Lydia Field, percussion, Steve Coleman, bass, John Miner, cello . . . and MORE!! Their reputation precedes them—they’re a perennial favorite.

Tuesday, Dec. 20, 7:00 p.m. The **Messiah Community Choir** under the direction of Shaun McCausland, and the **Southwest Strings Orchestra**, under the direction of Norman Fawson, will present Handel’s Messiah. The participants live throughout the Southern Utah area.

Wednesday, Dec. 21, 7:00 p.m. Leito Voices! directed by Robert Reimer and Kris Barber presents “Joy to the World: A Christmas Celebration.” It includes Christmas music by Rene Clausen, John Rutter, and selections from Handel’s Messiah. It will be a perfect present for friends and family to share together.

Thursday, Dec. 22, 7:00 p.m. Wooden Tantrum specializes in upbeat kickin’ Celtic music. The band consists of Tara Tichenor on the fiddle, her brother Brittan Sevy playing guitar and their younger sister, Mckenna playing harp and vocals. They are joined by their dad, Bret Sevy, playing the Bohdran Irish drum. Their original Christmas Celtic adaptations bring a unique celebration of this amazing time of year. They are a little off the cuff which makes for some fun. Get ready to jump the pond and enjoy some fun Irish traditional and holiday songs.

Saturday, Dec.31, 12:00 Noon The St. George Interfaith Council is sponsoring the “**Prayer Over the City**”. The program will be one hour , and features the St. George Interfaith Choir. Everyone is invited.