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Summer Sings Program Returns to PS21

[CHATHAM, NY] - PS21: Performance Spaces for the 21st Century invites choral music lovers of all abilities to take part in "Summer Sings". Combine your voice with others from throughout the community in singing choruses of renowned works. Professional soloists, friends and neighbors will assemble under the PS21 tent on three consecutive Mondays, July 11, 18 and 25 beginning at 7:30pm.

PS21's Summer Sings have been a tradition at The Tent. This season's conductor is Gretchen Rueckheim, a graduate of Michigan State University with a master's degree in music performance, theory and composition. She teaches woodwinds and piano at Little Falls School of Music in Kinderhook, NY, has directed Hudson Valley Choral Society for 8 years, and sings in the Cantilena Chamber Choir in Lenox, Massachusetts.

Come as you are to these audition-free evenings of memorable music-making. "We'll provide the musical scores and light refreshments will be available during the break," said Rueckheim. "Please join us, and bring a friend, for any or all three of the sessions."

The three-week schedule of works will include:

Monday July 11 - Faure Requiem and Cantique de Jean Racine.

Monday July 18 - Mozart Requiem

Monday July 25 - Vivaldi Gloria and Schubert Mass in G.

Michael Clement will provide piano accompaniment for the first and third weeks and Delana Thomsen will accompany the Mozart Requiem, the second week. This year PS21 invites experienced instrumentalists to join the July 18 evening of Mozart. Please contact Gretchen before Wednesday, July 13 at grueck@fairpoint.net if you're interested.

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Admission to the Summer Sing is \$10 general admission or \$8 for PS21 members. Summer Sing Season Passes for all three weeks are available for \$26 general admission or \$20 for members. Refreshments will be available. For tickets or information about this event or any other at PS21, please visit ps21chatham.org or call 518.392.6121.

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