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CALENDAR LISTING

**CATHEDRAL OF ST. JOHN THE DIVINE RINGS IN THE NEW YEAR WITH ANNUAL
*NEW YEAR'S EVE CONCERT FOR PEACE***

*Featuring the Cathedral Choir and Orchestra, Under Director of Cathedral Music Kent Tritle
With Harry Smith, Host, and Judy Collins, Guest Artist*



Photo: Neal Slavin

The Cathedral of St. John the Divine will ring in 2014 with a celebration of light and song through the 29th annual *New Year's Eve Concert for Peace* on **Tuesday, December 31st at 7:00 p.m. at the Cathedral of St. John the Divine located at 1047 Amsterdam Avenue (at 112th Street), Manhattan.**

This year's concert will feature works of classic beauty, hailed at the time of their writing as cutting-edge musical compositions. The Cathedral Choir and Orchestra, under the direction of **Kent Tritle**, will perform **Mozart's** Symphony No. 41 ("Jupiter"), **Handel's** *Organ Concerto in F Major*, and selections from **Franz Joseph Haydn's** oratorio *The Creation*, based on texts from the book of Genesis, the Biblical psalms, and John Milton's *Paradise Lost*. Renowned soloists **Jamet Pittman**, soprano, and **John Michael Moore**, baritone, will perform, as will celebrated organist **Raymond Nagem**. The light of thousands of candles held by audience members will illuminate the musical celebration. Guest artist **Judy Collins** will lend her inimitable voice to the night's event, which will be hosted by NBC Correspondent **Harry Smith**.

The annual *New Year's Eve Concert for Peace* was founded by Leonard Bernstein in 1984, and has become one of the Cathedral's most celebrated events.

A limited number of general admission seats are free and open to the public, on a first-come, first-served basis. Ticketed seating is also available, at \$30 (general admission), \$100 (preferred seating), and \$150 (premium seating).

DATE: **Tuesday, December 31st**

TIME: **7:00 p.m.**

WHERE: **The Cathedral of St. John the Divine
1047 Amsterdam Avenue (at 112th Street)
Manhattan**

COST: **General Admission: \$30
Reserved Seating: \$100-\$150**

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Program

Organ Concerto in F Major, Op. 4, No. 4

George Frideric Handel (1685-1759)

Symphony No.41 in C Major, K.551

Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756-1791)

Selections from Part 1 of *The Creation*, Hob.
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Franz Joseph Haydn (1732-1809)

No. 2 “In the beginning God created the
Heaven and the Earth”

No. 6 “And God said: let the waters be
gathered together”

No. 7 “Rolling in foaming billows”

No. 10 “And the heavenly host
proclaimed the third day”

No. 11 “Awake the harp”

Traditional Spirituals

Arr. Moses Hogan (1957-2003)

Abide with me

Elijah Rock

I’m gonna sing ‘til the Spirit moves in my
heart

This little light of mine

Soloists

Jamet Pittman, soprano
John Michael Moore, baritone
Raymond Nagem, organ