



Come Celebrate!

**Rochester Male Chorus
93rd Annual
Christmas Concert
A Jazzy Christmas**

With Special Guests:

- ★ Nathan's Jazzers
- ★ Tom Overlie, guest emcee and soloist
- ★ 7 high school members

**Sunday, Dec. 3, 1:30 pm
Bethel Lutheran Church
810 3rd Ave SE, Rochester**

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*Wishing you the Peace and Joy of the Season
from Joel David Blair, Chorus Director
Brock Besse, Piano Accompanist
Marie J. Maher, Executive Director
The Rochester Male Chorus Board of Directors*

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There will be no intermission during this concert!

I. Rochester Male Chorus

*The Most Wonderful Time of the Year – Pola and Wyle,
arr Rubino*

*Christmas Time Is Here – L Mendelson / V Guaraldi,
Soloist: Tom Overlie*

*O Tannenbaum – Traditional, arr V Guaraldi,
Tenor Sax solo: Nathan Davidson*

*The Christmas Song – Torme / Wells, arr J Blair,
Tenor Sax solo: Nathan Davidson*

II. Nathan's Jazzers

Christmas Selections

III. Rochester Male Chorus

Christmas Magic – Stevie Wonder,

Soloist: Joel Blair, Piano: Brock Besse

Feliz Navidad – Jose Feliciano, arr Max Huff

'Zat You Santa Clause? – J Fox, arr K Shaw

White Christmas – I Berlin, arr C Warnick

IV. Nathan's Jazzers

Christmas Selections

V. Rochester Male Chorus

Come, Peace of God – E Butler, arr J Blair

***Blessed Be The Lord (Benedictus) – Daigle / Ducote,
arr J Blair***

Jesus Messiah – Tomlin, arr Lawrence, Soloist: Tom Overlie

VI. Rochester Male Chorus and Guests

Peace, Peace – Rick and Sylvia Powell, arr Fred Bock

Soloists: Tom Overlie, Linda Theisen

RMC Roster

***Tenor 1: Landon Burmester; Virgil Clark; Maxwell
Murakami; Dave Naylor; Jamie Risser; Paxson VanLaere***

***Tenor 2: Dale Ely*; Roger Erickson; Ed Heckman; Brien
Knudson*; Ted Kueker***

***Baritone/Bass: Joel Humke; Silas Jelle; Rick Murray; David
Preuss**; Peter Schuh**; Mike Temple*; Rhys VanErt;
Joseph Palomino Ward; Jim Weissgerber***

****Board Member***

*****On leave***

Nathan's Jazzers

***Nathan Davidson, saxophone; Dan Rengstorf, piano; Linda
Theisen, vocalist; Steve Sawyer, bass; Noah Short, drums***

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***Thank you to every member of the chorus for the dedication
necessary to make our hearts sing.***

***Special thanks to our multi-talented director, Joel Blair; our
gifted piano player, Brock Besse; our grant-writer and behind
the scenes choreographer, Marie Maher.***

***Thanks to our ushers and table workers, and special guests.
Thanks to the staff at Bethel Lutheran Church and a special
thank-you to Bob Hanson for sound production.***

And, most of all, thank YOU for coming!