We invite you to join Fine Arts at First for our 29th concert season!

Distinguished guest artists known locally, nationally, and internationally perform in our nave filled with history, unique architecture, and a magnificent pipe organ regarded as one of the finest instruments in Central Pennsylvania. All concerts are free, and each is followed by a reception to greet our performers.

Our artist series is made possible by generous contributions of patrons who provide the foundation of our success and by freewill offerings received at the performances. Many seasons we support a local cause or charitable organization by donating 100% of the proceeds of one concert to the designee. We are pleased that a total of \$32,956 has been raised due to the generosity of our concert-goers.

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Support Us: To support our 2023–2024 Series and to receive mailings of events, email <u>flccarlisle@gmail.com</u> or call (717) 249-3310.

Parking: Parking is available in the church's main lot, accessible from High Street. Our overflow lot is accessible from Liberty Avenue which runs behind the church building parallel to High Street. Street parking also is available on High and Bedford streets.

Accessibility: The nave (where concerts are held) is accessible via the ramp at the north end of the parking lot. Guests also may enter the lower level of the building into our atrium and take the elevator to the nave.

Learn More: To learn more about Fine Arts at First and our performers, visit www.firstlutherancarlisle.org.



First Evangelical Lutheran Church

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Daniel Aune Organ

Sunday, September 17, 2023 at 4 p.m.

Daniel Aune leads the choral and instrumental programs, as well as the Hafenmusik: Music by the Harbor concert series, at Christ Lutheran Church at Baltimore's Inner Harbor, Maryland.

Dr. Aune holds the Doctor of Musical Arts degree in organ performance from the Eastman School of Music, where he studied with David Higgs. Previous degrees at Eastman include a Master of Music degree in organ with David Higgs, a Master of Music degree in harpsichord with William Porter, and the Sacred Music Diploma.



Hailing from Minnesota, Dr. Aune is a lifelong Lutheran who enjoys being part of a downtown church committed to excellence in worship and vibrant social ministry.

Join us for an afternoon organ concert with Dr. Aune. Daniel's musical gifts are evident in wonderful programs ranging from Bach to the 20th century, from serious to humorous.

Cormorant's Fancy Celtic Band

Sunday, February 25, 2024 at 4 p.m.



Based in Gettysburg, Cormorant's Fancy performs the traditional music of Ireland, Scotland and the Celtic nations, captivating audiences with tender love songs, jigs, reels, and growling soul-rousers.

The band features lead singer and whistle player Margaret Folkemer, Ricky Czar, Ryan Kozak, Beth Folkemer, Stephen Folkemer, and Irish step dancer Allyson Folkemer.

The Cormorant's Fancy Celtic Band concert will be held as a benefit for **Project SHARE**, Carlisle's food pantry and social service organization whose mission is: "Nourishing Our Community....Awakening Hope".

Lebanon Valley College Choir

Saturday, April 20, 2024 at 7 p.m.

The College Choir of Lebanon Valley College, located in Annville, is a fifty-plus non-auditioned choir ensemble comprised of a wide array of students. The Choir performs at Lebanon Valley's homecoming concert, Christmas at the Valley, and presents an annual spring concert. Last year, it went on tour to Harrisburg and Lancaster. The College Choir sings a variety of repertoire and enjoys creating music and bringing it to life for their audiences—fine music drawn from centuries past through newly composed pieces.

Director Tyler Canonico is delighted to bring the Lebanon Valley College Choir to First Lutheran.

