~ A Christmas Feast ~

A Delicious Assortment of Holiday Masterpieces

The Brasiles Ensemble

Saturday, December 22, 2018 ~ 7:00pm St. Mary's Episcopal Church in the Highlands Cold Spring, New York

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Celebrating the wassail, flaming pudding and other foods that bedeck a Yuletide table, we bring beloved English carols, traditional sacred pieces, international gems and more together in this merry feast of song.

Program

Sing We and Chant It Thomas Morley

> '*Tis Women* Henry Purcell

The Martinmas Goose Anonymous

The Boars Head Carol Traditional English Carol

The Flaming Pudding Carol Traditional English Carol

Carol of the Meal Traditional Carol Lyrics by Laura Danilov

Gloucesershire Wassail Traditional English Carol

The Wassail Song Traditional English Carol

Past Three a Clock Traditional English Carol

Jesus Christ the Apple Tree Traditional English Carol

> *Lute-book Lullaby* William Ballet

In Dulce Jubilo Robert L. Pearsall

Vesi vasyy lumen alle Harri Wessman John Drew ~ organ Madeleine DeNitto ~ flute

The Winter Comes Slowly

Henry Purcell Speare Hodges ~ baritone John Drew ~ organ

Le Sommeil de L'enfant

Claude Debussy Kimberly Hiss ~ soprano

Balulalow Peter Warlock Madeleine DeNitto ~ soprano John Drew ~ organ

Down in Yon Forest Peter Warlock Laura Danilov ~ mezzo soprano

> *Carol of the Birds* Catalan traditional carol Kimberly Hiss ~ soprano John Drew ~ organ

S'Vivon Traditional Hebrew song Laura Danilov ~ mezzo soprano

Rui, Rui, Chui Traditional Spanish villancico Paul Phillips ~ tenor

Los Pastores - excerpt from Navidad Nuestra Ariel Ramirez Speare Hodges ~ baritone John Drew ~ organ Paul Phillips ~ guitar Madeleine DeNitto ~ drum

Tu scendi dalle stelle Saint Alphonsus Liguori

Christmas Star John Williams Madeleine DeNitto ~ flute

Jesu dulcis memoria Thomas Victoria

The Blue Bird Charles Villiers Stanford Madeleine DeNitto ~ soprano

Dormi Jesu John Rutter

Thank you for attending our special holiday concert today. All proceeds benefit this wonderful church. We thank St. Mary's for allowing us to record our first CD and hope you all enjoy the selections that we chose. We also want to thank sound engineer, Jody Elff, and graphic artist, Bud Lavery, for their dilligent work to create this debut recording. Thank you to Father Shane Scott-Hamblen, John Drew and Mark Forlow from St. Mary's and St. Philip's Espiscopal Church in Garrison for use of extra music stands.

Please learn about us! The history of our group, as well as each member bio is on our website. You can also like our Facebook page to keep up with our future announcements as well as to view what we have accomplished in the past. **thebrasilesensemble.wordpress.com**

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Please mark your calendars to catch us performing at this new festival celebrating all things literary! We are preparing a concert of lovely poetry.

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