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**2025/2026 CONCERT SEASON!**

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## Together WE CAN

*Celebrating our 48th Season!*



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**2025  
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## AVM SEASON TICKETS

Don't miss an exciting musical event! Purchase your season tickets and save 15% over at-the-door prices. Season tickets also make wonderful gifts for your friends and family! **Now you can order two ways! Season tickets are available on-line at our website: [www.avmsingers.org](http://www.avmsingers.org).** You can also make checks payable to **Assabet Valley Mastersingers**, then cut and mail this form to P.O. Box 911, Northborough, MA 01532.

### SEASON TICKET ORDER FORM

Ticket Type	Price	# of Tickets	Total Cost
Adult	\$65		
Student & Senior Citizen	\$50		
Ticket Subtotal			

## GIFT OPTIONS



### I WOULD LIKE TO MAKE A TAX-DEDUCTIBLE GIFT TO AVM:

Gift Level	Amount
Impresario	\$3,000+
Maestro	\$1000 - \$2,999
Concertmaster	\$500 - \$999
Composer	\$250 - \$499
Soloist	\$100 - \$249
Accompanist	\$50 - \$99
Chorister	Up to \$49
Gift Subtotal:	

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## WELCOME BACK!

Join us for an inspiring season of music that speaks to unity, resilience, and hope. Our 2025-2026 season, "Together We Can", brings powerful works that celebrate the strength of the human spirit. Details for the 2025-2026 season are subject to change. Please visit [www.avmsingers.org](http://www.avmsingers.org) for additional concert information.



### SPIRIT OF THE HEART

**SUNDAY 11/16/25**

**3:30PM**

PILGRIM CHURCH

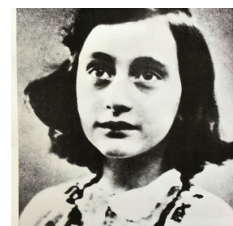
15 COMMON ST., SOUTHBOROUGH, MA

**"MASS IN C" – LUDWIG BEETHOVEN**  
**"REQUIEM IN D" – MAURICE DURUFLÉ**

Beethoven's deeply expressive "Mass in C" and Duruflé's poignant "Requiem" explore faith, memory, and the emotions that connect us to something greater.

**CHORUS, ORGAN & SOLOISTS**

*"The mind forgets, but the heart always remembers."*  
– Anonymous



### LEST WE FORGET

**SUNDAY 3/8/26**

**3:30PM**

ROBERT R. JAY

PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

SAINT JOHN'S HIGH SCHOOL

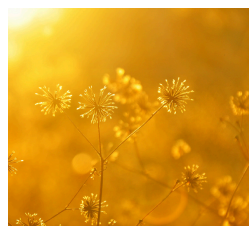
378 MAIN ST., SHREWSBURY, MA

**"ANNELIES" – JAMES WHITBOURN**

An intimate, moving work inspired by Anne Frank: *The Diary of a Young Girl*, reflecting on hope and remembrance.

Featuring soloist, orchestra, and guest choir Shir Joy of Westborough, with a tribute to Holocaust survivors and their enduring resilience. **CHORUS, SOLOISTS & ORCHESTRA**

*"How many years can some people exist before they're allowed to be free?"* – Bob Dylan



### SUMMER SING

**MONDAY 8/18/25**

**7:30PM**

CONGREGATION B'NAI SHALOM

117 EAST MAIN ST

WESTBOROUGH, MA

**"GLORIA" – ANTONIO VIVALDI**  
**"LUX AETERNA" – MORTEN LAURIDSEN**

The Summer Sing invites vocalists of all levels to join Assabet Valley Mastersingers in performing great Masterworks. Kick off the season with Vivaldi's joyful energy and Lauridsen's luminous beauty. Scores provided. **CHORUS & SOLOISTS**

*"Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much."*  
– Helen Keller



### MESSIAH SING

**SUNDAY 12/14/25**

**3:30PM**

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

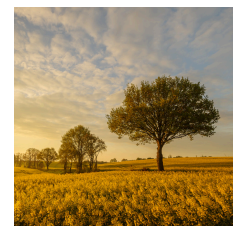
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57 W. MAIN ST., WESTBOROUGH, MA

**"MESSIAH" – GEORGE FRIDERIC HANDEL**

Experience the power and beauty of Handel's Messiah in a joyous, participatory performance! Whether you're a seasoned singer or simply love music, this is your chance to lift your voice alongside the Assabet Valley Mastersingers and soloists in a heartwarming musical tradition. Scores will be provided.

**CHORUS & SOLOISTS**



### THE TIME HAS COME

**SATURDAY 5/9/26**

**7:30PM**

ALGONQUIN REGIONAL

HIGH SCHOOL

79 BARTLETT ST., NORTHBOROUGH, MA

**"THE TIME HAS COME" – ĒRIKS EŠENVALDS**  
**"PEACEABLE KINGDOM" – RANDALL THOMPSON**  
**"CREDO" – MARGARET BONDS, TEXT BY W.E.B. DU BOIS**  
**"THE HOPE OF LOVING" – JAKE RUNESTAD**

A stirring season finale that calls for unity and renewal through a powerful blend of voices, words, and music.

**CHORUS & STRING QUARTET**

*"The time for the healing of the wounds has come...  
The time to build is upon us."* – Nelson Mandela