

MidAmerica Nazarene University Department of Arts and Humanities Presents

**MNU CHAMBER ORCHESTRA:** *Pops & Praise*

Bell Cultural Events Center – November 23, 2025 – 3:30 PM

MidAmerica Nazarene University Chamber Orchestra  
Professor Tina Bilberry, conductor

A-Flat Youth Orchestra  
Darryl Chamberlain, conductor

**MNU Chamber Orchestra**

Sia's Grand Maroon 5 Imagination Weeknd on Rihanna's Perry Shire arr. Tina Bilberry

Blinding Lights Abel Tesfaye, Max Martin, Oscar Holter,  
Belly (Ah-mad Balshe),  
Jason "DaHeala" Quenneville  
string quintet arr. Serrano Cabrera  
as performed by *The Weeknd*

Believer Dan Reynolds, Wayne Sermon,  
Ben McKee, Daniel Platzman,  
string quartet arr. Rafael Ruiz  
as performed by *Imagine Dragons*

Chandelier Sia Furler, Jesse Shatkin  
string quartet arr. Daniel de la Rosa  
as performed by Sia

Memories Adam Levine, Jonathan Bellion,  
Jacob Kasper Hindlin, Michael Pollack,  
Jordan K. Johnson, Stefan Johnson, Vincent Ford  
string quartet arr. Marcelo Onetta Fermiano  
as performed by *Maroon 5*

"Concerning Hobbits" from *The Lord of the Rings: The Fellowship of the Ring* Howard Shore

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thank u, next

Ariana Grande, Tayla Parx, Victoria Monét,  
Njomza Vitia, Tommy Brown

as performed by The Vitamin String Quartet

Diamonds

Sia Furler, Benny Blanco, Stargate  
string quartet arr. Alison Gillies

as performed by Rhianna vs. Sia

Firework

Ester Dean, Mikel S. Eriksen,  
Stargate, Sandy Vee,  
string quartet arr. Paul Ghica

as performed by Katy Perry

Unstoppable

Sia Furler, Adele Adkins, Tobias Jesso Jr.  
string quartet arr. Aaron Hettinga

as performed by Sia

## **MNU Chamber Orchestra with A-Flat Youth Orchestra**

Sir Duke

Stevie Wonder (b. 1950)  
arr. Darryl Chamberlain

Happy

Pharrell Williams (b. 1973)  
arr. Larry Moore

I Want You Back

Freddie Perrin  
Alphonso Mizell  
Berry Gordy  
Deke Richards  
arr. Darryl Chamberlain

as performed by The Jackson 5

**Uptown Funk**

Mark Robson, Bruno Mars  
P. Lawrence, J. Bhasker, D. Gallaspy,  
N. Williams (T. James), C. Wilson,  
R. Wilson, R. Wilson, R. Taylor, L. Simmons  
arr. Larry Moore  
additional arr. Darryl Chamberlain

as performed by Mark Ronson featuring Bruno Mars

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Theme from “Shaft”

Isaac Hayes (1942-2008)  
arr. Darryl Chamberlain

as performed by Isaac Hayes

Theme from “The Magnificent Seven”

Elmer Bernstein (1922-2004)  
arr. Roy Phillippe

Little Brown Jug

Bill Finegan, Glen Miller  
arr. Jeff Hest  
additional arr. by Darryl Chamberlain

Bang Bang

Jimmy Sabater & Joe Cuba  
arr. Darryl Chamberlain

as performed by David Sanborn

Holy Forever

Chris Tomlin, Jen Johnson, Brian Johnson  
Jason Ingram, Phil Wickham  
additional arr. Darryl Chamberlain

as performed by Cece Winans

Goodness of God

Ed Cash, Ben Fielding, Jason Ingram,  
Brian Johnson, Jen Johnson  
additional arr. Darryl Chamberlain  
additional arr. Tina Bilberry

as performed by Cece Winans

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## MNU Chamber Orchestra

### **Violin I**

Emma Erickson, *\*concertmaster*  
Jack Mitchell  
Madeline Ferguson

### **Violin II**

Brett Jackson \*  
Danielle VanSlyke  
Alyssa Hacker  
Kyleigh Tucker

### **Viola**

Kristen James \*  
Catherine Yoksh

### **Cello**

Jayla Brock \*  
Noah Beal #

### **Bass**

Madisyn Cook \*  
Makenna Andrews

### **Additional Players (MNU Concert Band)**

#### **Flute**

Erin Butler

#### **Clarinet**

Kaylee Papon

#### **Saxophone**

Sage Adam  
Lacey Buxton  
Zoe Harding

#### **Horn**

Brent Crites

#### **Trumpet**

Maxwell Johnson  
Maggie McMath

#### **Trombone**

Collin Downey

#### **Percussion**

Carlos Olivas

#### **Piano**

Sarah Noé #

#MNU Faculty/Staff or Community Member

\*Principal Player

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## A-Flat Youth Orchestra

### **Violin I**

Sky Wegele  
Malaika Taylor  
Jonathan Ellison

### **Violin II**

London Silvers  
Hope Andrews  
Alana Anderson

### **Violin III**

Kemarah Myers  
Iyonna Pearson  
Unity Medlock  
Valeria Dondlinger

### **Viola**

Cal Wegele  
Kezia Rono  
Wil'aaysha Pearson

### **Cello**

Roen Wegele  
Ar'elle Pearson

### **Bass**

Amya Davis  
River Moreland

### **Clarinet**

Perkins Rietema

### **Saxophone**

Dipanto Bhowmik

### **Trumpet**

Owen Hile

### **French Horn**

Ryan Clevenger

### **Euphonium**

Evan Otto

### **Trombone**

Evan Otto  
Ryan Clevenger  
Lauryn Long  
Kemar Myers

### **Percussion**

Dipanto Bhowmik  
John Grabs  
Faith Perkins  
Isaiah Perkins  
Bryce Dillard  
Bruce Robinson  
Inioluwa (Jubi) Odenusi

### **Guitar**

Sudipto Bhowmik

### **Bass Guitar**

Sudipto Bhowmik  
River Moreland

### **Piano**

John Grabs

### **Instructors**

Darryl Chamberlain  
Mike Tope  
Tina Bilberry  
Brandy Albrecht  
Daniel Yung  
Ethan Kuba, Emeritus

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## Upcoming Performing Arts Events:

### **MNU Improv**

December 4, 2025 at 7:30pm  
January 16, 2026 at 7:30pm  
February 28, 2026 at 7:30pm  
April 16, 2026 at 9:00pm

### **MNU Festival of Christmas**

December 6, 2025 at 6:00pm  
December 7, 2025 at 3:30pm

### **Theatre Cabaret**

February 19-21, 2026 at 7:30pm

### **MNU Theatre:**

#### **Student Works One Acts Show**

February 27, 2026 at 6:00pm

### **MNU Chamber Orchestra:**

#### **A New Beginning**

March 1, 2026 at 3:30pm

### **MNU Concert Band:**

#### **From Sea to Sky**

March 7, 2026 at 6:00pm

### **MNU Choirs:**

#### ***The Messiah***

March 8, 2026 at 3:30pm

### **MNU Theatre:**

#### **Charlotte's Web**

March 26-28, 2026 at 7:30pm  
March 28-29, 2026 at 2:30pm

### **MNU Percussion Show**

April 11, 2026 at 7:30pm

### **MNU Jazz Ensemble:**

#### **Jazz-a-Que**

April 18, 2026 at 6:00pm

### **MNU Band, Choirs & Chamber Orchestra:**

#### **Let Everything That Has Breath**

April 26, 2026 at 3:30pm

To reserve your tickets for the concerts or shows, go to  
[bellcenter.mnu.edu](http://bellcenter.mnu.edu) or call the box office at (913)971-3636

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