

# A Reason for Singing – North Shore Choral Society 75th Anniv. Gala Concert, Sat. Feb 12.

Saturday, February 12, 7 p.m. - 10 p.m.

[The Unitarian Church of Evanston](#), 1330 Ridge Avenue, Evanston. Tel: Tickets 773 956 8400



North Shore Choral Society

Come to North Shore Choral Society's 75th Anniversary Gala Concert and Reception, Saturday, February 12 at 7:00 pm at The Unitarian Church of Evanston, 1330 Ridge Avenue, Evanston.

For tickets call 773 956 8400 or visit [www.northshorechoral.org](http://www.northshorechoral.org).

Music performed by the Choral Society from every decade includes excerpts from Requiem (Fauré), Elijah (Mendelssohn), The Creation (Haydn), and Old American Songs (Copland). Other pieces include Alleluia (Thompson), O Susanna (Foster), Soon Ah Will Be Done (Dawson).

Hear the premier commissioned performance of "Pleasure Tunes My Tongue" by composer Dr. Anne Heider for this occasion.

Come earlier and be part of a small silent auction beginning at 6:15 pm. It includes a conducting lesson from Music Director Dr. Julia Davids and the opportunity to conduct NSCS at a December concert next year. Other items are dinner and theater packages, and a week-end in a Lake Geneva home. A cash raffle with tickets at \$10 each has 50% of the pot going to a single winner and 50% to NSCS.

NSCS will sing "Epilogue" from A Reason for Singing by Dan Tucker and Movement 6: "The Cosmos" from The Geometry of Music by Donald Draganski. Both works were commissioned in honor of the 50th anniversary of the NSCS.

Highlighted are accompanist Sharon Rich Peterson and Northwestern graduate and baritone, Corey Grigg, winner of the NSCS 2010 Donald Chen Young Artist Competition.

Single tickets at the door are Regular \$25, Senior (65 and older) \$22, Student \$15.

Visit [www.northshorechoral.org](http://www.northshorechoral.org) or call 773-741-NSCS (773-741-6727) for further details. For tickets call 773-956-8400.

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By **L. Dupuis**  
Thursday at 3:33 p.m.