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Stéphane Denève, Music Director

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Groups of ten or more can experience the unparalleled magic of the SLSO with savings of up to 20%. Share an event unlike any other with friends, family, students, or colleagues in the newly renovated Powell Hall, featuring enhanced comfort, accessibility, and acoustics.

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A group sales professional with more than 20 years experience, Susan looks forward to working with you to create meaningful experiences tailored to your group's specific needs.



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Steven Banks



St. Louis Symphony Chorus



Leila Josefowicz



Joyce Yang

25/26 Classical Concerts

Bring your group of 10 or more and save up to 20%! Special student discounts available.



September

Opening Weekend Fanfare for Powell Hall

Sep 26–28 Fri 10:30am, Sat 7:30pm, Sun 3:00pm

Stéphane Denève, conductor
Joyce DiDonato, mezzo-soprano
Members of the St. Louis Symphony Chorus; Erin Freeman, director

Aaron Copland *Fanfare for the Common Man*

Joan Tower *Fanfare for the Uncommon Woman No. 1*

James Lee III *Fanfare for Universal Hope* (World Premiere/SLSO commission)

Kevin Puts *House of Tomorrow* (World Premiere/SLSO commission)

Richard Strauss *Ein Heldenleben*

October

Slatkin and Ax Hope and Humanity

Oct 11–12 Sat 7:30pm, Sun 3:00pm

Leonard Slatkin, conductor
Emanuel Ax, piano

Leonard Slatkin *Schubertiade: An Orchestral Fantasy*

W.A. Mozart Piano Concerto No. 25

Edward Elgar Symphony No. 1

Prokofiev and Sibelius From Dark to Light

Oct 24–25 Fri 10:30am, Sat 7:30pm

Tabita Berglund, conductor
Augustin Hadelich, violin

Harald Sæverud *The Ballad of Revolt*

Sergei Prokofiev Violin Concerto No. 2

Jean Sibelius Symphony No. 2

Augustin Hadelich Chamber Concert

Oct 26 Sun 3:00pm

Augustin Hadelich, violin & curator

November

Tchaikovsky and Rachmaninoff Passion and Drama

Nov 1–2 Sat 7:30pm, Sun 3:00pm

Stéphane Denève, conductor
Nikolaj Szeps-Znaider, violin

Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky Violin Concerto

Sergei Rachmaninoff Symphony No. 2

Britten's War Requiem A Call for Peace

Nov 7 & 9 Fri 7:30pm, Sun 3:00pm

Stéphane Denève, conductor
Christine Goerke, soprano
Ian Bostridge, tenor
Roderick Williams, baritone
St. Louis Symphony Chorus
Erin Freeman, director
The St. Louis Children's Chorus
Dr. Alyson Moore, artistic director

Benjamin Britten *War Requiem*

Christine Goerke is the Sarah Bryan Miller Guest Artist.

Stravinsky's Firebird Flame and Fantasy

Nov 21–22 Fri 10:30am, Sat 7:30pm

Stéphane Denève, conductor
Jean-Yves Thibaudet, piano

Guillaume Connesson *Maslenitsa*
Aram Khachaturian Piano Concerto
Igor Stravinsky *The Firebird*

Beethoven's Seventh Energy and Reverie

Nov 29–30 Sat 7:30pm, Sun 3:00pm

Kevin John Edusei, conductor
Joyce Yang, piano

Béla Bartók *Dance Suite*
Sergei Rachmaninoff *Rhapsody on a Theme of Paganini*
Ludwig van Beethoven Symphony No. 7

December

Shostakovich's 15th Rebellion and Reckoning

Dec 5–6 Fri 10:30am, Sat 7:30pm

John Storgårds, conductor
Kian Soltani, cello

Clara Wieck Schumann / orch. Benjamin de Murashkin
Three Romances

Joseph Haydn Cello Concerto in C major

Dmitri Shostakovich Symphony No. 15

January

Stravinsky and Debussy Music in Motion

Jan 10–11 Sat 7:30pm, Sun 3:00pm

Stéphane Denève, conductor
Saint Louis Dance Theatre
Kirven Douthit-Boyd, choreographer

Igor Stravinsky

"Dumbarton Oaks" Concerto

Igor Stravinsky *Pulcinella* Suite

Claude Debussy *Jeux*

Albert Roussel Suite No. 2 from *Bacchus et Ariane*

Tchaikovsky's Fourth Devotion and Destiny

Jan 24–25 Sat 7:30pm, Sun 3:00pm

Dima Slobodeniouk, conductor
Wu Wei, sheng

Lotta Wennäkoski *Flounce*

Jukka Tiensuu *Teaton* (Concerto for Sheng and Orchestra)

Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky Symphony No. 4

February

Prokofiev and Childs Anthems of Resilience

Feb 6–7 Fri 10:30am, Sat 7:30pm

Xian Zhang, conductor
Steven Banks, saxophone

Reena Esmail *RE|Member*
Billy Childs *Diaspora* (Concerto for Saxophone and Orchestra)
Sergei Prokofiev Symphony No. 5

Mozart's Magic Flute Opera in Concert

Feb 20 & 22 Fri 7:30pm & Sun 3:00pm

Stéphane Denève, conductor
Ben Bliss, tenor (Tamino)
Rainelle Krause, soprano (The Queen of the Night)
St. Louis Symphony Chorus
Erin Freeman, director
Members of the St. Louis Children's Chorus
Dr. Alyson Moore, artistic director

W.A. Mozart *The Magic Flute*

March

Bernstein and Robertson American Reflections

Mar 6–7 Fri 10:30am, Sat 7:30pm

David Robertson, conductor
Orli Shaham, piano

Steven Mackey *Turn the Key*

David Robertson *Light Forming*, A Piano Concerto

Sarah Kirkland Snider

Something for the Dark

Leonard Bernstein

"The Age of Anxiety," Symphony No. 2 for Piano and Orchestra

Orli Shaham Chamber Concert

Mar 8 Sun 3:00pm

Orli Shaham, piano & curator

Scheherazade Magic and Myth

Mar 14–15 Sat 7:30pm, Sun 3:00pm

Anna Sulkowska-Migoń, conductor
Leila Josefowicz, violin

Grażyna Bacewicz Overture
Alban Berg Violin Concerto
Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov *Scheherazade*

John Williams and Kevin Puts A Cosmic Journey

Mar 20 & 22 Fri 10:30am, Sun 3:00pm

Stéphane Denève, conductor
Time for Three: Ranaan Meyer, double bass; Nick Kendall, violin
Charles Yang, violin

John Adams *Short Ride in a Fast Machine*

Kevin Puts *Contact*

(Triple Concerto for Two Violins, Bass, and Orchestra)

John Williams Excerpts from *Close Encounters of the Third Kind*

John Williams "Adventures on Earth" from *E.T.*

John Williams Selections from *Star Wars Suite*

Víkingur Ólafsson in Recital Bach, Beethoven, and Brahms

Mar 26 Thu 7:30pm

Víkingur Ólafsson, piano

Program to include:
Ludwig van Beethoven Piano Sonata No. 30

Beethoven's Emperor Concerto Radiant Vision

Mar 27–28 Fri & Sat 7:30pm

Stéphane Denève, conductor
Víkingur Ólafsson, piano

Ludwig van Beethoven *The Consecration of the House* Overture

Jasmine Guo New Work (SLSO Co-commission)

Kevin Puts Concerto for Orchestra

Ludwig van Beethoven Piano Concerto No. 5

New Work by Jasmine Guo was commissioned by the Virginia B. Toulmin Foundation Orchestral Commissions Program, an initiative of the League of American Orchestras in partnership with the American Composers Orchestra.

April

Mahler's Fifth Landscapes of Emotion

Apr 10–12 Fri & Sat 7:30pm, Sun 3:00pm

Stéphane Denève, conductor
Hilary Hahn, violin
Seth Parker Woods, cello

Carlos Simon Double Concerto (SLSO Co-commission)
Gustav Mahler Symphony No. 5

From Mozart to Wagner Mysticism and Wonder

Apr 18–19 Sat 7:30pm, Sun 3:00pm

Hannu Lintu, conductor
Jan Lisiecki, piano

Richard Wagner Prelude to Act I from *Lohengrin*

W.A. Mozart Piano Concerto No. 9, "Jeunehomme"

Samy Moussa *Elysium*
Ottorino Respighi *Church Windows*

Copland's Third American Sky

Apr 24–25 Fri 10:30am, Sat 7:30pm

Ryan Bancroft, conductor
Gabriela Montero, piano

Gabriella Smith *Tumblebird Contrails*
Sergei Prokofiev Piano Concerto No. 3
Aaron Copland Symphony No. 3

May

Ravel's Daphnis and Chloé Love and Transformation

May 8–10 Fri & Sat 7:30pm, Sun 3:00pm

Stéphane Denève, conductor
Kevin McBeth, conductor
St. Louis Symphony IN UNISON Chorus
Kevin McBeth, director
St. Louis Symphony Chorus
Erin Freeman, director

Kevin Puts *Virelai*

(after Guillaume de Machaut)

Nathalie Joachim *Family* (World Premiere/SLSO Commission)

Maurice Ravel *Daphnis and Chloé*

Isata Kanneh-Mason in Recital Beethoven, Ravel, and Tabakova

May 14 Thu 7:30pm

Isata Kanneh-Mason, piano

Ludwig van Beethoven Piano Sonata No. 14, "Moonlight"
Maurice Ravel *Gaspard de la nuit*
Dobrinka Tabakova *Nocturne*
Dobrinka Tabakova *Halo*
Ludwig van Beethoven Piano Sonata No. 21 "Waldstein"

Coffee Concert

Chamber Concerts and Recitals

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Specials

Exciting collaborations showcase the virtuosity of your SLSO as we create extraordinary musical experiences.



Chuck Berry's Birthday Bash

Oct 17–18 Fri 7:00pm,
Sat 2:00pm & 7:00pm

Celebrate the legendary Chuck Berry's birthday with hits from throughout the star's career performed by his hometown orchestra, accompanied by rare video footage and memorabilia.



Lift Every Voice Black History Month Celebration with Rosephanye Dunn Powell

Feb 27 Fri 7:30pm

Kevin McBeth, conductor
Rosephanye Dunn Powell, vocals
St. Louis Symphony IN UNISON Chorus

The SLSO and IN UNISON Chorus are joined by celebrated singer and choral composer Rosephanye Dunn Powell for this joyful celebration of Black History Month.



John Coltrane Legacy for Orchestra

Feb 28 Sat 7:30pm

Carlos Simon, curator & arranger
Edwin Outwater, conductor
Joe Lovano, saxophone

Experience lush orchestrations of jazz legend John Coltrane's groundbreaking works in Carlos Simon's thrilling tribute to one of music history's most influential artists.



Chuck Berry's Birthday Bash is part of CHUCK100, organized by the **Berry family** and **Isalee Music Publishing**. Lift Every Voice is supported by **Bayer Fund**.



Films with Live Orchestra

Beloved characters come alive on the big screen while your SLSO performs iconic scores live.

Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone™ in Concert

Oct 3–5 Fri & Sat 7:00pm, Sun 2:00pm

John Williams *Harry Potter and the Sorcerer's Stone*

The Lion King in Concert

Nov 15–16 Sat 2:00pm & 7:00pm, Sun 2:00pm

Samuel Hollister, conductor

Hans Zimmer *The Lion King*

Home Alone in Concert

Dec 27–28 Sat 2:00pm & 7:00pm, Sun 2:00pm

Joshua Gersen, conductor
The St. Louis Children's Choirs
Dr. Alyson Moore, artistic director

John Williams *Home Alone*

The Wizard of Oz in Concert

Jan 30–Feb 1 Fri & Sat 7:00pm, Sun 2:00pm

Scott Terrell, conductor

Herbert Stothart *The Wizard of Oz*
Harold Arlen (songs); E.Y. Harburg (lyrics)

Marvel Infinity Saga in Concert

May 1–3 Fri & Sat 7:00pm, Sun 2:00pm

Various *Marvel Studios' Infinity Saga*
Concert Experience

Holiday Concerts

Handel's Messiah Joyful Praise

Dec 12–14 Fri & Sat 7:30pm, Sun 3:00pm

Nicholas McGegan, conductor
Sherezade Panthaki, soprano; Sara Couden, contralto
John Matthew Myers, tenor; Philippe Sly, bass-baritone
St. Louis Symphony Chorus; Erin Freeman, director

Mercy Holiday Celebration

Dec 20, 21 & 23

Sat & Sun 2:00pm & 7:30pm, Tue 2:00pm

Stuart Malina, conductor
St. Louis Symphony Chorus; Erin Freeman, director

IN UNISON Christmas

Dec 18–19 Thu & Fri 7:30pm

Kevin McBeth, conductor
St. Louis Symphony IN UNISON Chorus

New Year's Eve Celebration

Dec 31 Wed 7:30pm

Stéphane Denève, conductor
Stewart Goodyear, piano



Host your company's holiday celebration at the SLSO! Call **314-286-4155** to learn more.

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