

OCTAVO SERIES

CHURCH AND COMMUNITY CHOIR FESTIVAL

CARNEGIE HALL

Experience our popular **OCTAVO SERIES** for qualified choirs. Singers will collaborate on a distinctive variety of six shorter works alongside a renowned guest conductor and the exceptional professionals who provide obligato instrumentation and collaborative piano. Festival repertoire, to be prepared before arrival, will be chosen by guest conductors and the expert musicians of **MANHATTAN CONCERT PRODUCTIONS**. The Octavo Series is ideal for choirs that prefer shorter works and want the excitement of dynamic performance in an iconic concert hall.

All packages include our acclaimed ensemble services:

VENUE

Performance at New York City's legendary Carnegie Hall, Isaac Stern Auditorium.

EXPERIENCE

Festival chorus performance alongside the New York City Chamber Orchestra, attend other portions of evening concert from seats in the audience, and ensemble listing on official concert poster.

PREPARATION

Festival chorus development, preparation monitoring by MCP staff, mp3 part learning tracks, rehearsal space, and professional collaborative pianist.

POST-CONCERT

Tickets to buffet reception, video archival recording of your performance, certificate of participation for each performer, MCP lanyard for identification and souvenir, framed mini-poster for ensemble, and professional photos available for purchase.

CONCERT STAFF

Professional production team handles venue management, advertising, and audience development.

OPERATIONS STAFF

Personalized support from an MCP associate with optional flight assistance for groups selecting our Hospitality package.

FORWARD MOTION

Director access to MCP's online learning platform, *Forward Motion*, with 40+ video courses and over 100 hours of professional development.



Jennaya Robison
GUEST CONDUCTOR

Jennaya Robison is the Artistic Director of the National Lutheran Choir and is a highly accomplished conductor, educator, and soprano. Her extensive work in the field of choral conducting includes serving as the Raymond R. Neevel/Missouri Associate Professor and Director of Choral Studies at the University of Missouri-Kansas City Conservatory until 2023, Associate Professor of Choral Music at Luther College from 2013 to 2020, and founding Scottsdale Musical Arts in 2009. Robison frequently appears at regional and national choral conferences and seminars; regularly leads All-State and honor choirs, workshops, and festivals; and has taught courses in choral singing and global connection in the United States, Namibia, South Africa, Germany, and Italy. She is the editor of the National Lutheran Choir Series with MorningStar Music Publishers and the Jennaya Robison Series with Pavane Publishing, and she is an active arranger and composer of choral music. She is the national chair of Music in Worship for the American Choral Directors Association. She holds the Doctor of Musical Arts in choral conducting from the University of Arizona, the Master of Music in conducting and voice from the University of New Mexico, and an undergraduate degree in music (education and voice) from Luther College.

MUSICIANSHIP package



Rehearsals in host hotel ballroom, sound check and performance at legendary Carnegie Hall, and tickets to post-concert buffet reception.

HOSPITALITY package



Rehearsals, sound check, performance, post-concert buffet reception, and three-night stay at The Westin New York at Times Square (or similar) with additional nights available upon request, based on availability.

VALUE bundle add ons

1. MOLTO:

Broadway show and choice of observation deck* OR museum admission**



2. PRESTO:

Broadway show, observation deck, museum, and MTA/OMNY Pass



3. SAVOR:

Buffet breakfasts at restaurant near hotel (2 or 3 breakfasts)



*Observation Deck choices include Top of the Rock, Empire State Building, SUMMIT One Vanderbilt, or The Edge at Hudson Yards.

**Museum choices include 9/11 Memorial, Metropolitan Museum of Art, MoMA, American Museum of Natural History, or Museum of Broadway (maximum of 25 people per time slot).



PRICING

MUSICIANSHIP package

Performers | \$935 Non-Performers | \$169

One complimentary package earned after 25 performers.

Non-Performer package includes a premium ticket to the concert and access to rehearsals, sound check, and post-concert reception.

HOSPITALITY package +

Performers | \$1,199 Non-Performers | \$435

One complimentary package earned for every 25 performers.

Pricing above based on quadruple occupancy.

Triple Occupancy: Add \$85 per person
 Double Occupancy: Add \$250 per person
 Single Occupancy: Add \$750 per person

VALUE bundle add ons	MOLTO \$175 per person  +  or 	PRESTO \$225 per person  +  +  + 	SAVOR \$50 / \$75 per person for 2 / 3 breakfasts   
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SAMPLE ITINERARY: including optional Hospitality, Presto, and Savor packages

JUNE 20 WELCOME TO THE BIG APPLE!

- Arrive in vibrant New York City and check in to the host hotel.
- Explore NYC's iconic sights at your leisure.
- Wrap up the day with your first rehearsal in a hotel ballroom.

JUNE 21 DISCOVER AND PERFORM

- Enjoy a buffet breakfast at a restaurant just steps away from the hotel.
- Kick off the morning with an energizing rehearsal.
- Enrich your stay with an exciting visit to a museum in the afternoon.
- Experience the magic of Broadway with a must-see show!

JUNE 22 CONCERT DAY!

- Fuel up with a buffet breakfast.
- Final touches with a morning brush-up rehearsal.
- See stunning views of New York City from the observation deck of your choice.
- Sound check and concert performance at legendary Carnegie Hall.
- Celebrate with a post-concert buffet reception.

JUNE 23 FAREWELL NYC

- Depart from New York City taking home memories that will last a lifetime!

