



**The Bach Choir of Bethlehem, Bach Festival
 Orchestra, Bel Canto Youth Chorus and PYT
 PRESENT
 Benjamin Britten's *Noah's Flood (Noye's Fludde)*
 SCHOOLTIME Performances**

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Lehigh University's Packer Memorial Church	Fri. 2/28	10:00 am	_____/____/____
Recommended for Grades K – 12	Fri. 2/28	1:00 pm	_____/____/____
\$7.50 per ticket			
Approx. length: 1 hour		Total attendees	_____

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 Yes, please contact me about a school residency.

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The Bach Choir of Bethlehem and The Bach Festival Orchestra under the direction of Greg Funfgeld, in partnership with The Bel Canto Youth Chorus, Pennsylvania Youth Theatre, and members of the Young People's Philharmonic, the Junior String Philharmonic, and the Lehigh University Philharmonic bring Benjamin Britten's opera *Noah's Flood (Noye's Fludde)* back to the Lehigh Valley after 27 years.

PYT's Jill Dunn Jones directs a joyous new production of Britten's masterpiece combining the talents of professional singers, actors, instrumentalists, and a large youth chorus. The chorus, comprised of singers from The Bel Canto Youth Chorus, Pennsylvania Youth Theatre, and area school children, will play the role of the animals, and will be prepared by Bel Canto Artistic Director, Joy Hirokawa.

Song and spectacle combine in this story of Noah and the ark. Based on the Medieval Chester play, this opera was composed in 1958 for a children's performance in Aldeburgh, England. Since then, the glorious music and charming production qualities have made it a favorite for audiences of all ages.

This fully staged production of Britten's one-act opera has been performed worldwide, with its American premiere taking place sixty years ago in New York. Traditionally staged in churches, this year's Family Concert will take place in Packer Memorial Church at Lehigh University. Britten combines a child's curiosity and whimsy with great emotional power in this work. The audience will join for the first hymn, which includes a thundering depiction of the biblical storm.