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## From Adam Brakel

The Director of Music and Organist at  
The Royal Poinciana Chapel

I am excited to present to you this varied and  
eclectic season, featuring performers locally and  
abroad. This season promises to be thrilling and  
diverse, with many musical styles and varieties  
incorporated and presented. I encourage and  
invite you to join us for the Chapel services,  
as well as the additional concerts provided  
throughout this upcoming season. I'm extremely  
honored to present this series of programs and  
services for this wonderful community!

Sincerely,

*Adam J. Brakel*



THANKSGIVING CELEBRATION

Sunday, November 22, 2026 at 10:30AM

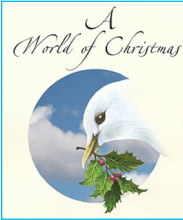
In Celebration of Thanksgiving, come hear the beauty of Orchestra, Chorale and Organ as we worship, singing hymns of praise, thanks and beauty. This service will feature the beautiful *O Divine Redeemer* by Charles Gounod, and *Total Praise* by the late Richard Smallwood.



CHRISTMAS CANTATA

Sunday, December 6, 2026 at 10:30AM

The annual Christmas cantata will be Joseph Martin's, *A World of Christmas*. This festive work includes your favorite carols of the season and will also invite members of the congregation and community to join in the singing. *Singers who wish to join the chorus for this cantata are asked to attend at least two rehearsals, choosing from the following dates: November 8, November 15, November 29.*



CHRISTMAS WITH THE CHORALE

Thursday, December 10, 2026 at 7:00PM

Join with members of the Chapel Chorale as we sing Christmas carols and enjoy Fellowship for this informal gathering. Light refreshments served as we welcome in the season in the Kirkman Fellowship Hall.



HANDEL'S MESSIAH

Monday, December 14, 2026 at 7:00PM



The Masterworks Chorus of the Palm Beaches, featuring Soloists and Orchestra, conducted by Bryan Ijames, presents its annual *Messiah* here at the Chapel. Please visit [www.masterworkspb.org](http://www.masterworkspb.org) for all tickets.



CHRISTMAS EVE AT THE CHAPEL

Thursday, December 24, 2026

**4:00PM** Family Service, Children's Nativity, Service of Lessons and Carols and Candlelight, Chorale and Quintet  
**8:00PM** Traditional Service with Brass Quintet and Chorale. Service of Lessons and Carols and Candlelight

JAZZ AND STRIDE PIANO WITH STEPHANIE TRICK

Sunday, January 17, 2027 at 2:30PM



Come and enjoy the amazing piano talents of Stephanie Trick, as she plays a wide variety of Jazz Piano and Stride classics. Come enjoy works of the likes of Fats Waller, Willie the Lion Smith, Scott Joplin, and many others. She will also feature her talented husband, Paolo Alderighi, on a few selections of piano with 4 hands.

SCOTTISH SUNDAY

Sunday, January 24, 2027 at 10:30AM

Continuing in the rich tradition of Scottish Sunday here at the Chapel, we extend "a thousand welcomes and many thanks" to all who worship. A fun fellowship hour will follow worship in Kirkman Fellowship Hall.



DISTINGUISHED ARTIST SERIES DR. PETER LATONA

Sunday February 7, 2027 at 10:30AM

Dr. Peter Latona, Director of Music at the Basilica of the National Shrine of the Immaculate Conception in Washington, DC, oversees one of the finest music programs in the country! Dr. Latona will join the music staff here for worship following a workshop for the Chorale on Saturday morning.



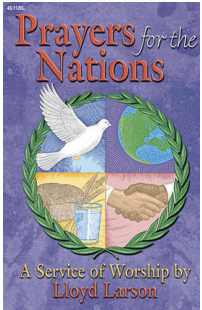
PATRIOTIC CANTATA

Sunday, February 14, 2027 at 10:30AM

*Prayers for the Nations, Lloyd Larson*

The annual patriotic cantata will feature this wonderful work by Lloyd Larson to celebrate and honor our freedom as Americans, as well as to pay homage to our Presidents.

*Singers who wish to join the chorus for this cantata are asked to attend at least two rehearsals, choosing from the following dates: January 24, January 31, or February 7.*



AN EVENING OF SONG PRESENTED BY PALM BEACH OPERA

Thursday, March 4, 2027 at 6:30PM

Experience the beauty and expressive power of the art song repertoire in An Evening of Song. Presented in Kirkman Fellowship Hall, this special recital features the Palm Beach Opera Resident Artists alongside virtuosic pianist and



PBO Associate Conductor Gregory Ritchey, performing works by Schubert, Debussy, Vaughan Williams, and more. *Tickets are \$50*

*and may be purchased at [pbopera.org](http://pbopera.org) or by calling the Palm Beach Opera Box Office at 561.833.7888.*

PALM BEACH ATLANTIC CONCERT CHOIR

Sunday, March 14, 2027 at 2:30PM

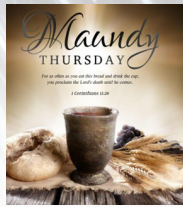
Under the direction of Sonia Santiago, the Palm Beach Atlantic Concert Choir will provide an afternoon of beautiful music in the Chapel, featuring a plethora of composers and styles.



MAUNDY THURSDAY

Thursday, March 25, 2027 at 7:30PM

Leonardo DaVinci's *Last Supper* dramatic performance of Jesus and his disciples.



GOOD FRIDAY SERVICE

Friday, March 26, 2027 at NOON

A moving and memorable service featuring the beautiful *Requiem* of John Rutter featuring the Chapel Chorale and Orchestra.



EASTER SUNDAY

Sunday, March 28, 2027

at 9:00AM and 11:00AM

A glorious celebration on Easter morning with Chorale, Organ, Brass and Timpani. Stunning Easter floral arrays celebrate the year's most important Sunday.

BLUEGRASS SUNDAY

Sunday, April 04, 2027

at 10:30AM

The celebrated duo, "Dailey and Vincent" will be here to inspire all who attend worship with the stylings of their Bluegrass music.



CELEBRATING AMERICA 250 WITH TRUMPET AND ORGAN

Sunday, April 11, 2027 at 2:30PM

Trumpeter Chuck Seipp, of the United States Army Band, and Organist Craig Williams, of West Point Military Academy, will perform a program in honor of America's 250th anniversary. This amazing program will feature a projection screen and ceremonial organ and trumpet music to celebrate this important milestone.

