



SOUTH BEND SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA

Alastair Willis, Music Director, *Ernestine M. Raclin Chair*
Burkhart Advertising, Inc., Holiday Pops Conductor Chair

Tsung Yeh, Conductor Laureate

Violin I

Mark Portolese, Associate
Concertmaster
Barbara K. Warner Chair
Azusa Tashiro, Assistant
Concertmaster
Jessica Bennett
Candace Thomas
Louisa Blood
Jae Sung Lee
Janis Sakai
Anna Carlson

Violin II

Nicolas Orbovich, Principal
Irene M. Siberell Chair
Rachel Brown, Acting Principal
Wells Fargo Bank Chair
Tamara Stojanovic
Chris Milliken
Clara Woolley
Barb Arnold
Deborah Barker
Michelle Wynton

Viola

Gabriel Schlaffer, Principal
Anonymous Patron Chair
Maria Ritzenthaler,
Associate Principal, *Barnes
and Thornburg, LLP Chair*
Rachel Goff
Nick Munagian
Matthew Barwegen

Cello

Lara Turner, Principal,
*Dorothy and Herbert A.
Schiller, M.D., Chair*
Brook Bennett, Associate
Principal, *Peg and Robert O.
Laven Chair*
David Machavariani, *South Bend
Symphony Orchestra League Chair*
Allison Chambers
Denise Kuehner
Kathleen Long

Bass

Edward W. Randles, Principal,
Leo J. McKernan Chair
Victor Dome, Associate Principal
Diana Ford
Weldon Anderson
Jason Niehoff

Flute

Leslie Short, Principal
Christopher H. Wilson Chair
Eliza Bangert, *Jane and E. Blair
Warner Chair*
Scott Metlicka

Piccolo

Scott Metlicka
*Pricewaterhousecoopers,
LLP Chair*

Clarinet

Trevor O'Riordan, Principal
Sergey Gutorov, *Dr. and Mrs.
James M. Wilson Chair*
William Olsen

E♭ Clarinet

Sergey Gutorov

Bass Clarinet

William Olsen, *Sharon and
Vincent Scuzzo, M.D. Chair*

Bassoon

Jill Dispenza, Principal
Jason E. Kramer

Oboe

Jennet Ingle, Principal
Cushwa Family Chair
Lindsay Wiley
Beverly Butts Guthrie

English Horn

Lindsay Wiley, *Stanz
Foodservice, Inc. Chair*

Horn

Kurt Civilette, Principal
Jeremiah Frederick, *Shirley and
Joseph Hennessy Chair*
Anna Mayne
Brian Goodwin, Assistant Horn

Trumpet

Stephen Orejudos, Principal,
*Linda and Bruce Bancroft
Chair*
James Carter
Christian Anderson

Trombone

David Roode, Principal
Masterworks: *Mossberg and
Company, Inc. Chair*;
Pops: *The Martin Foundation
Chair*
William Clark

Bass Trombone

Helene Dauerty

Tuba

Yukitada Onitsuka, Principal,
The Thompson Family Fund Chair

Harp

Renee Wilson, Principal
Barbara J. Shields Byrum Chair

Piano

Soo Young Kim, Principal
Pops: *Wanda Haines Chair*

Timpani

Simon Gomez Gallego

Percussion

Kent Barnhart, Principal
Peg and Ray Larson Chair
Lana Wordel
Andrew Cierny



2022 Community Foundation Performing Arts Series

South Bend Symphony Orchestra

Alastair Willis, Conductor

August 20, 2022 • 7 p.m.

Chris Wilson Pavilion, Potawatomi Park
South Bend, Indiana

Since 1992, the Community Foundation of St. Joseph County has been connecting people who care with causes that matter. A nonprofit philanthropic endowment, the Community Foundation serves the people of St. Joseph County through initiatives and grant-making in the areas of arts and culture, health and human services, youth and education, community and economic development, and parks and recreation.

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Celebrating its 90th Season, the South Bend Symphony Orchestra is the region's only professional orchestra and is committed to engaging the community in all it does. In addition to being recognized by the National Endowment for the Arts and other state and local arts funding organizations, the South Bend Symphony Orchestra is the recipient of the Community Foundation of St. Joseph County's Leighton Award for Nonprofit Excellence, which recognizes a local nonprofit organization that demonstrates superior leadership, management, and programming. Learn more about the Symphony's 2022-23 season at southbendsymphony.org.

MUSIC DIRECTOR ALASTAIR WILLIS

Grammy-nominated conductor **Alastair Willis** is the Music Director of the South Bend Symphony Orchestra and Principal Conductor and Artistic Advisor of the Symphonia Boca Raton. In previous seasons, Willis has guest-conducted orchestras around the world. In the 2021-22 season, Willis was re-engaged by the Chicago Symphony, Qatar Philharmonic, Pacific Northwest Ballet, La Porte County Symphony, and Salute to Vienna and made his debut with the Rockford Symphony.

Born in Acton, Massachusetts, Willis lived with his family in Moscow for five years before settling in Surrey, England. He received his bachelor's degree with honors from England's Bristol University, an Education degree from Kingston University, and a Master of Music from Rice University's Shepherd School of Music. Willis currently resides in South Bend, Indiana, with his wife and daughter.

THE PLAY-ALONG MUSICIANS

This annual concert traditionally includes the Community Foundation's "Play Along"—an opportunity for local musicians to perform along with the South Bend Symphony. This year, we're showcasing five talented members of the South Bend Youth Symphony Orchestras: Micah Gresl-Turner, cello; Ruth Halperin, violin; Erika Ruiz, violin; Kotaro Tsuji, violin, and Danielle Williamson, violin. These students will join the Symphony for Mascagni's Intermezzo and Badelt's "Pirates of the Caribbean." Learn more about the South Bend Youth Symphony Orchestras at sbyso.org, including information about auditions for the 2022-23 season.

PROGRAM: LOVE AND PASSION

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TchaikovskyPolonaise from *Eugene Onegin*

Mendelssohn.....*A Midsummer Night's Dream*

Two excerpts: Nocturne

"Hochzeitsmarsch/Wedding March"

Khachaturian.....Adagio from *Spartacus*

MascagniIntermezzo from *Cavalleria rusticana*

Badelt/arr. Ricketts....."Pirates of the Caribbean"

Intermission (15 minutes)

Rodgers/arr. Custer "Carousel Waltz"

Wagner/arr. Ryden "Ride of the Valkyries"

Offenbach.....Barcarolle from *Les Contes d'Hoffmann*

Williams....."Raiders" March from *Raiders of the Lost Ark*

Bernstein.....*West Side Story* Teaser

Selection for Orchestra, arr. Mason

"Maria"

"I Feel Pretty"

Balcony Scene

Featuring: Nicholas Belton & Alexandra Imbrosci-Viera

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