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KAREN'S KORNER

Fall has arrived and in a few weeks we will see her full splendor! I can't wait to see all of the gorgeous color! My decorations have been up since Labor Day and in case you are wondering "What is wrong with her?", I'm just excited as this is my very favorite season!

And speaking of exciting things, this month at Opus I we will meet on Monday, October 14, 2024 for fellowship and a great presentation of "Political Campaign Songs" given by our member Susan Cooper. Personally, I've always wondered where these songs come from and am looking forward to learning more about their origins! Be there for a great learning experience and great fellowship!

And as always, *Let there be music!*

Karen



OCTOBER MEETING INFORMATION !

JOIN US AT OUR OCTOBER MEETING !



Inspiration Provided
By
Sue Stevenson

Political Campaign Songs

Presented by
Susan Cooper

October 14, 2024

Hospitality Provided
By
Joyce Gindlesperger
And
Linda Maurhoff

LifePointe Alliance Church

Music Room

Registration: 9:30 AM

Program and Brunch: 10:00 AM



Join us for a great program of information and learning about campaign songs presented by Sue Cooper. Also, not to mention the fellowship!

****Masks Are Optional!****

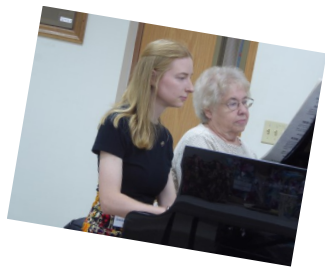
See you there!



MEMORIES OF OUR SEPTEMBER MEETING !



In case you missed the September meeting, we had a wonderful time of food and fellowship followed by musical entertainment from Linda Maurhoff and Jessica Wood. The program theme was "Music of America and Beyond", consisting of many piano and violin duets. A great time was had by all!





MEMBER NEWS !



Recently widowed, Joyce Moon Strobel has been traveling to see sons and families in New Hampshire as well as Costa Rica! She is active at the Lutheran Church downtown Pittsburgh., even as “Composer in Residence”! Blessings to you, Joyce.

Kathy Kelso continues singing with the Pittsburgh Concert Chorale and they are rehearsing for the December 6,7,8th concerts. Way to go, Kathy!

Linda Maurhoff is doing a fantastic job as Treasurer of Opus I, Treasurer of PFMC, and VP of the Northeastern Region of NFMCC. All this and teaching her private piano students and playing at LifePointe Alliance Church. How does she do it all? We are so proud of her!

There were 16 Opus I members and 1 guest at the September opening meeting and brunch. We welcomed Robin Toomey, LifePointe’s (retiring) Church Administrator and violin student of Jessica Wood. Glad to have you, Robin.



AND FOR NOVEMBER... !



Our November 11th Opus I meeting is on Veterans' Day and we will be using the theme songs of the different branches of our military. YOU can contribute by bringing photos of veterans from your family or friends and we'll display them and maybe have time to do some sharing!

DUES ARE DUE NOW !

Bring your check for (\$35.00/individual, \$50.00/couple) to our October meeting on October 14th or mail t to:



Linda Maurhoff; Treasurer,
Opus I Music Society
203 Downieville Rd.
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A late fee will be assessed after October 1st.

BOSCOV'S FRIENDS HELPING FRIENDS !

Our annual fund raising event at Boscov's will be held on October 22, 2024, 8:00 AM—11:00 PM. We need volunteers to work this event for an hour or two. If you are interested or need more information, see Ruth Ann McChesney. She can be reached at 724-601-7072 or email: pfmtcRAM@hotmail.com.



Check Us Out On FaceBook!

Our link is: www.facebook.com/groups/opusonemusic (copy and paste into your browser!)

MARK YOUR CALENDAR !



October 14, 2024

Political Campaign Songs

Presented by Susan Cooper

Where: LifePointe Alliance Church in the Music Room

When: 9:30 AM Registration and Refreshment

10:00 AM Program



October 22, 2024

Friends Helping Friends—Boscov's Fundraising Event

Where: Boscov's in Butler

When: 8:00 AM—11:00 PM

November 11, 2024

Veteran's Day Celebration

Presented by The Membership

Where: LifePointe Alliance Church in the Music Room

When: 9:30 AM Registration and Refreshment

10:00 AM Program



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