



Dear GRCC members,

The Friends of Historic Two Saints Inc. is a nonprofit secular organization recently formed for the sole purpose of raising funds for the maintenance and ongoing restoration of a church building named St. Luke & St. Simon Cyrene (Two Saints) located at 17 S. Fitzhugh St. in downtown Rochester, NY.

The mission of The Friends of Historic Two Saints is twofold:

First, is to raise awareness of the building's importance as a cornerstone of the City Hall Historic District and of the building's unique place in Rochester's history. The building is the oldest public building still in use in the city of Rochester (1824) and Nathaniel Rochester was a founding member of the congregation. Second, is to raise funds for the ongoing maintenance and restoration of the building with regular fundraising.

Bero Architects of Rochester is doing an extensive building needs assessment to prioritize needed repairs. Donors will know at all times exactly how their donations are being used. A major component of the fundraising will be Two Saints Events. Two Saints Events, under the umbrella of The Friends of Historic Two Saints, will hire out building space as a venue for weddings, concerts and other events.

Please join us for a glass of wine, a dessert and a jazz concert to raise money for roof repairs!

Date: Wednesday November 8th

Time: 7-9 pm

Location: 17 S. Fitzhugh Street Rochester, NY. 14614

Tickets: \$20. Pay online- paste the following into your browser:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/friends-of-historic-two-saints-1st-annual-benefit-fall-concert-tickets-38806185345> or send payment to:

Friends of Historic Two Saints, Inc.

PO Box 14916

Rochester, NY 14614

If you are not able to attend a donation would be greatly appreciated.

Please tell your friends and associates. We cannot afford to lose such an irreplaceable part of our great city's history!

Thank you,

Larry Steffler

Director of Friends of Historic Two Saints.