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## **Derry Church Rejoices with "Gaudete!" A Joyful Christmas Concert**

November 2023 — "Gaudete" means "Rejoice," and that's what the singers and ringers will be doing at this year's Christmas concert. The joyful program will feature the Sanctuary Choir, Derry Ringers, harp, and orchestra, and will be presented at 2 pm and 5 pm on Sunday, December, 10 in the sanctuary at Derry Presbyterian Church, 248 East Derry Road, Hershey. The 2 pm concert will also be live-streamed on [derrypres.org](http://derrypres.org) and [YouTube.com/derrypres](https://www.youtube.com/derrypres).

The concert is part of the church's 2023 Arts Alive Cultural Series. A free-will offering will be received. Handicapped parking and an elevator are available.

Under the direction of Dan Dorty, Director of Music and Organist at Derry Church, you can look forward to works including Angels Carol, In the Bleak Midwinter, Carol of the Bells, and opportunities for the audience to sing along on carols including Angels We Have Heard on High and It Came Upon a Midnight Clear. Featured soloists include Nina Cline and Christyan Seay, and Susan Shuey will also be conducting.

Derry Presbyterian Church is affiliated with the Presbyterian Church (USA). Worship services are held on Sundays at 8:00 and 10:30 am and Tuesdays at 6 pm in the Chapel. For more information, call the church office at 717-533-9667 or visit [derrypres.org](http://derrypres.org).

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