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to those who make this evening possible!

These concerts would not be possible without the musicians who donate their performances, the churches who open their sanctuaries free of charge, and the generous local community members and businesses who donate the funds to allow the NYE committee to be able to produce brochures and posters and do the other necessary things to make the evening freely available to all. The 2024 donors are:

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FREE CONCERTS

DECEMBER 31st, 2024 6PM-12AM

Wall Street United, First Presbyterian, First Baptist,
St. Johns United (Arts Hub), & St. Lawrence Churches



*Featuring Local Performers
in a Variety of Genres*



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Giving Back to the Community Through Music

Volunteers began these concerts 33 years ago to provide live entertainment to welcome in the New Year. To-date these concerts have raised over \$160,000 through the freewill offerings made by audience members. These donations support local charities selected by the individual churches.

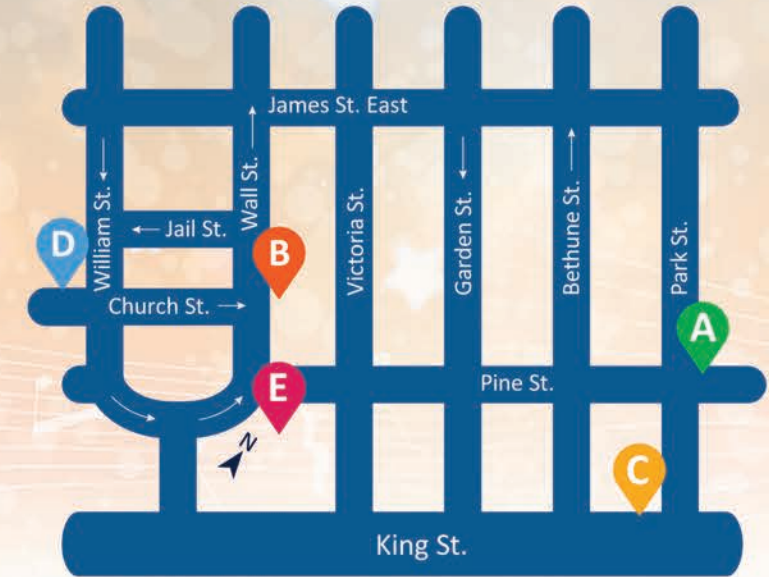
Thank you for your generous donations.

The New Year's Eve Concert Committee

The volunteer committee undertakes the necessary footwork, co-ordination and fund-raising to continue this annual tradition.

Denise Bowes
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Katherine Hobbs
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Donna Matheson
(Chair)
Judith Quick
Eleanor Whitlock



- A** St. Lawrence Anglican
80 Pine St
- B** Wall Street United
5 Wall St
- C** St. John's United
(Arts Hub) 32 Park St
- D** First Presbyterian
10 Church St
- E** First Baptist
5 Pine St



LOOKING FOR A REFRESHMENT OR SNACK?

The Brockville Music Festival Committee sell hot beverages and snacks at Wall Street United Church in the Heritage Hall at the back of the sanctuary from 6.30 to 10:30 PM. Everything is a bargain at \$1 each!

The funds raised support the Brockville Music Festival April 27-May 1, and the Stars of the Festival Concert on May 6, 2025.

Free Will Offerings for Local Charities are Welcome!

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SCHEDULE

All concerts will last for 45 minutes giving ample time to walk between churches

	St. Lawrence Anglican Church	Wall Street United Church	St. John's United Church (Arts Hub)	First Presbyterian Church	First Baptist Church
6 PM	<p>Rising Stars Young talents Madilyn Verbrugge (<i>piano</i>), Amira Weaver (<i>Voice</i>), Aliyah Janssens (<i>piano</i>), Claire Girouard (<i>Voice</i>) and Olivia Allen (<i>piano</i>) will open the festivities this year.</p>				
7 PM	<p>James King In his classic rock n roll troubadour style, King delivers unique and original interpretations of your fav pop/rock songs from the 60s to the 90's, peppered with his poetic original tunes.</p>	<p>Brockville Concert Band Under the direction of Chris Coyea and Judith Quick, the award-winning Brockville Concert Band is comprised of 60+ talented woodwind, brass and percussion players. They enjoy playing a diverse repertoire, including marches, folk and Broadway selections as well as specially commissioned pieces</p>	<p>CR5 Bluegrass An evening of your bluegrass favourites performed by local award-winning group, CR5 Bluegrass with special guest & founding member, Barry Garvin!</p>		
8 PM	<p>Classical Classics Concert organist Jeff Reusing plays classics on the magnificent Casavant pipe organ. Jeff will be joined by violinist Anna Reusing and cellist Jan Jensen.</p>		<p>CR5 Bluegrass Due to popular demand, CR5 are back to perform a second show for those that missed it at 7PM!</p>	<p>River House River House returns again this year with their smooth harmonies and eclectic song mix. Join this rockin' cover band on a musical journey from classics to contemporary, performing rock, pop, folk, plus a dash of country just for fun! River House (David & Tina Miles, Jackie McGuire) often performs at fundraisers for local charities and is regularly seen at open mic nights around town.</p>	<p>U Other 2 Pam Foster and Donald Wachenschwanz, a duo who cover folk, pop, rock and U2 songs. Their set theme this year is "an Evening of Love Songs."</p>
9 PM		<p>Matthew O'Halloran and Evan Veenstra Returning for a second year, the dynamic duo of Matthew O'Halloran (piano/keyboard) and Evan Veenstra (electric bass) will perform a variety of popular, jazz, Motown and original music.</p>		<p>First Presbyterian Bell Choir Sound and Choreography – 8 talented musicians use 37 tuned bronze handbells to ring traditional and seasonal music.</p>	<p>Festive Flutes and St. Lawrence Recorder Quartet Festive Flutes explore many styles of music from serious to pop to jazz St. Lawrence Recorder Quartet – 4 recorder players play both historic and modern music on various sizes of recorders.</p>
10 PM		<p>Samia Odeh Songs of Peace and Hope An evening with Samia Odeh on piano and vocals.</p>		<p>Dallis Campbell, Andrew Morley and Cameron Wales Accompanied by Margaret Whisselle, this trio of talented performers will captivate their audience with a diverse mix of pop, rock and folk music with style and artistic flair.</p>	<p>Natalie Edwards and Friends Natalie is back again for an eighth year of singing favourites, old and new in a variety of styles. Join her and Donna Matheson, Tammy Leonard and Paul Edwards for a fun performance with some sing-alongs.</p>
11:15 PM		<p>Nicole Geneau and Friends Nicole Geneau, Gillian Hosick, Justin Crowe, Andrew Filion and Oliver Filion, all from the stellar cast of "Oliver!" will perform a selection of Broadway showstoppers, accompanied by the wonderful Donna Matheson. Expect a night of toe-tapping and sing-along worthy tunes from some of your favourite shows.</p>			



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