

♪ **JOIN OUR CHORUS!** ♪
THE SCHILLER INSTITUTE
HOUSTON COMMUNITY CHORUS

We invite you to join and sing, even if you have never sung outside of the shower! Open to the public. Come listen, watch and join. Dorceal Duckens is maestro!

Join our *rehearsals at:*
Lansdale Community Center, 8201 Roos Road,
Houston 77036 * Tuesday evenings, 6PM – 7:30 PM

(Note: Please call number below, to confirm our rehearsal location over summer.)

All rehearsals and performances of the Chorus are held at the Verdi tuning of A=432Hz (C approximately 256 Hz), and the chorus always rehearses at this tuning, which allows the greatest resonance of the human singing voice, and transparency with instrumental voices.

Our chorus is dedicated to the classical repertoire, drawing from the African-American Spirituals and the works of J. S. Bach through Verdi and Brahms.

The combination of the proper pitch, bel canto training, and qualified musical direction allow for a young chorus to have a warmth and fullness of sound which can surprise even professional musicians. Come join us on Tuesday evenings!

Call for more information: 713-830-9049 ♪

*** A Spring Concert ***
A Musical Dialogue of
Cultures



Tuesday evening, May 16, 2017
6:30 PM – 8:30 PM

They come bearing gifts. Not gifts you can touch with your hands, but gifts that touch your soul! Gifts of beautiful music that celebrate our shared dreams.

Program by the Schiller Institute & Friends

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Harris County Precinct #3



Program

The Star Spangled Banner

Ave Verum Corpus by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

Bundeslied by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart

Houston Schiller Institute Community Chorus
Dorceal Duckens, Maestro - Piano accompanist: Kirk Rich

Jurame by Maria Grever

Arturo Domingo, Tenor
Piano accompanist: Kirk Rich

Ragg Yaman

A Dhum of Indian folk melodies

M.G. Shetty, Tabla & Sangeeta Panse, Sitar

Dormiro Sol from Don Carlos, by Giuseppe Verdi

Dorceal Duckens, Baritone
Piano accompanist: Kirk Rich

Violin Sonata No.1 in G Minor by J.S. Bach

Adagio and Fuga movements
Xia Xia Zhang, Violin

- ***Short Intermission*** -

Dime que si - arranged by Alfonso Esparza Oteo

Arturo Domingo, Tenor
Piano accompanist: Kirk Rich

Send Me a Rose, XinJiang province folk song Molihua (Jasmine Flower), traditional folk song

Sylvia Yan, Dizi; Francine Di, keyboard and vocal,
and Amanda Cheung, Pipa
-Members of Eastern Echo -

Didn't My Lord Deliver Daniel? - Arranged by Harry Burleigh

Dorceal Duckens, Baritone
Piano accompanist: Kirk Rich

I've been 'Buked - arranged by Hall Johnson

Deep River - arranged by J. Jefferson Cleveland

Va Pensiero from Nabucco, by Giuseppe Verdi

The Lord Bless You and Keep You - Peter C. Lutkin

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**Please thank all our Special Guests for their music.
Their wonderful gifts made this program possible!**