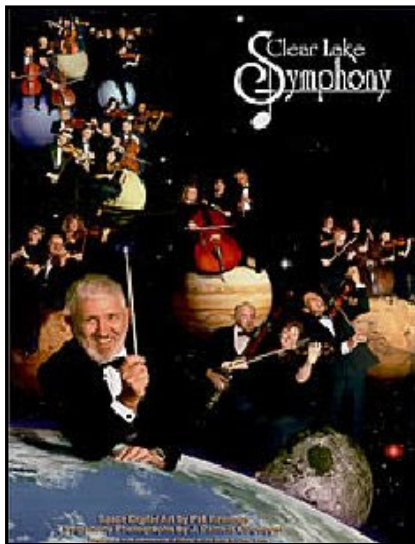


## 2021 - 2022 Season Concert – February 4, 2022

The Clear Lake Symphony, with Music Director, Dr. Charles Johnson, starts its 46<sup>th</sup> season in the Fall of 2021. The Symphony, recognized as a premiere community orchestra, is a member of ASCAP and BMI. Its goals are to present classical music for the residents of the Bay Area and to provide opportunities for the Bay Area musicians to create a variety of musical experiences for the enjoyment of the community. Six regular season performances including the Christmas “Pops” will be held featuring various classical selections and guest soloists. Join the Symphony as it celebrates its 46<sup>th</sup> Anniversary with its return to live audience performances! We encourage masking in consideration of the symphony players and the audience and social distancing where possible.

All concerts will be held at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church Auditorium, 18220 Upper Bay Road in Nassau Bay across from NASA Johnson Space Center at 7:30 PM.



The Clear Lake Symphony will be performing the fourth concert of their 2021-2022 season on Friday, February 4, 2022 at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church Auditorium located at 18220 Upper Bay Road across from NASA Johnson Space Center. Celebrating their 46<sup>th</sup> season, the Orchestra will present a delightful evening of classical music. The Orchestra will be led by Dr. Charles Johnson, in his 40<sup>th</sup> year as Conductor and Musical Director of the Clear Lake Symphony.



**Dr. Charles Johnson**  
Conductor  
& Musical Director

Reminder: All concerts will be on Friday evenings at 7:30 p.m. For a list of all the season concerts, please click on the following link:

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### Clear Lake Symphony

Program - February 4, 2022

*Variation on a Theme of Haydn* Brahms  
Andante  
Variations I - VIII  
Finale

*Suite No. 4, Op. 61 (Mozartiana)* Tchaikovsky  
No. 1 - Gigue  
No. 2 - Menuet  
No. 3 - Preghiera  
No. 4 - Theme et variations (1 - 10)

INTERMISSION

*Symphonic Metamorphosis*  
*On Themes of Weber* Hindemith  
Allegro  
Turandot Scherzo  
Andantino  
Marsch

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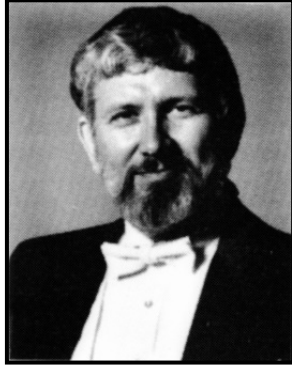


*Next Concert - March 4, 2022*  
7:30 PM

—Gloria Dei Lutheran Church—

Featuring the Youth Concert  
Competition Winners in Concert

Concert Tickets are available from Eye Trends, 515 Bay Area Blvd., Suite 300 (next door to Starbucks). Phone number: 281-488-0066. Individual are: \$13 adults, \$10 senior citizens (age 55 & up) & \$8 students. Tickets are also available at the concert ticket table the night of the concert.



## Dr. Charles A. Johnson

### Conductor

Charles Anthony Johnson received his M.A. in composition and his Ph.D. in musicology from the University of California at Los Angeles. As a student he played violin and viola in the Stockton Symphony, University of Pacific, and UCLA orchestras, performing with Roger Wagner, Lukas Foss, Jan Popper and others, and was Assistant Conductor of the UCLA Orchestra.

From 1967 until 1978, Dr. Johnson was on the faculty of Sam Houston State University in Huntsville, Texas, where he taught music history and theory and conducted the orchestra. While there, he also established and was a member of the faculty string quartet, and from 1974 to 1978 was conductor of the Bryan - College Station Chamber Orchestra.

Dr. Johnson was a violist with the Houston Ballet Orchestra from 1973 to 2013 and has also performed with such groups and artists as the American Ballet Theater, Joffrey Ballet, Ballet Nationale de Cuba, Royal Ballet, Royal Canadian Ballet, Eva Marton, Jose Carreras, and others. He is presently in his 39th season as Conductor and Music Director of the Clear Lake Symphony and was for six years the Conductor and Music Director of the Houston Civic Symphony. Dr. Johnson has been a guest conductor of the Houston Ballet and has conducted in Spain, Poland, and the Czech Republic. He has made recordings with the Bohuslav Martinu Symphony and the Nueremberg Symphoniker.



## Next Concert

### Youth Concerto Winners Concert

March 4, 2022, 7:30 PM

*at Gloria Dei Lutheran Church*

Join the Clear Lake Symphony for an evening of delightful music featuring the Youth Concerto Competition Winners in Concert. The Orchestra will also perform the "Helios Overture" by Nielsen.



# Special Features

## Clear Lake Area Symphony Society

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## 2021 - 2022 Season Youth Concerto Competition

The Clear Lake Symphony held its annual Youth Concerto Competition on January 8, 2022 for young artists from Houston area high schools, junior highs, and elementary schools. The winners will be provided with a scholarship and the opportunity to perform with the Symphony. The winners will perform on the March 4<sup>th</sup> concert in 2022. A total of 36 contestants participated in this year's competition. Winner's photos and bios will be posted later on the Clear Lake Symphony's website and Facebook page.

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Caroline Lawson, flute



Caroline Lawson

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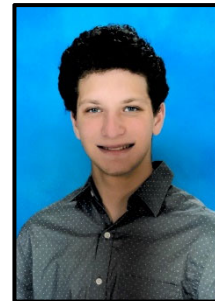
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#### Senior Piano Division

Sam Goldfarb



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Sam Goldfarb

### String Division

#### Junior String Division

Nicholas Wong, cello

#### Senior String Division

Ellen Joowon Seok, violin

Mary Brook Hartmann, cello



Nicholas Wong



Ellen Joowon Seok



Mary Brook Hartmann

## Concert Tickets

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### September 17, 2021 Fall "Pops"

Popular Light Classical & Jazz Selections

Damrosh - *Star Spangled Banner*

Dragon - *America the Beautiful*

Lewis - *Night and Day*

Cranfill - *American Folk Song Portrait*

Moore - *The Lord of the Dance*

Custer - *Salute to the Big Bands*

Beethoven - *Egmont Overture*

Kasinger - *Cardinal*

Brubaker - *Gershwin by George*

Hayman - *More, from "Mondo Cane"*

Custer - *Duke Ellington Medley*

### October 29, 2021 Halloween Concert

Dvorak - *Noon Witch*

Liszt - *Totentanz* (Todd Van Kekerix, piano)

Lyadov - *Kikimorra*

Mussorgsky - *Night on Bald Mountain*

Dukas - *Sorcerer's Apprentice*

### December 3, 2021 Christmas "Pops"

Holiday Favorites

with

Gloria Dei Chorale

### February 4, 2022 Classics Concert

Brahms - *Variations on a Theme of Haydn*

Tchaikovsky - *Mozartiana*

Scott - *Impressions from the Jungle Book*

Hindemith - *Symphonic Metamorphosis*

### March 4, 2022

Winners - Youth Concerto Competition

### April 22, 2022

Spotlighting: Women Composers

Farrenc - *Premiere Overture, Op. 23*

Smyth - *"On the Cliffs of Cornwall"*

Taileferre - *Ballade* (Soyoon Lee, piano)

Mayer - *Sinfonie No. 5*

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