

Call for Auditions

- GVOC's 40th season is here and we are looking for more talented community members to join our amazing orchestra and chorus.
- Date: Tuesday August 25th, 2015
- When: 6-8pm
- Where: St. Paul's in Pittsford (28 Lincoln Ave)
- Come join an organization that puts on great classical concerts, an amazing dinner concert with familiar tunes and does community outreach to nursing homes! There's so many ways to be involved.
- [Email \(info@gvoc.org\)](mailto:info@gvoc.org) or call (223-9006) now with your name, instrument or vocal part to schedule a time for August 25th! Check out the [website \(gvoc.org\)](http://gvoc.org) for more information.

Music restores sense of joy

As I age in this loud, overwhelming, bad news society I hear myself at times making statements that are less than positive about our world in general, our country and our city. I was, therefore, shocked by an outstanding happening last Friday evening.

A friend invited us to enjoy a performance by the Genesee Valley Orchestra and Chorus at the Church of the Assumption in Fairport. This was a low charge performance titled "Opera Goes To Church," and our expectations were none other than to look forward to our friend singing.

I am struggling with words that would explain the surprise we felt when the incredibly beautiful music began filling our souls. Music resounding into the depth of our being and releasing such joy. How does one thank a group of people for bringing back a balance of what is beautiful in this often maligned society?

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