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**WDAV 89.9 CLASSICAL PUBLIC RADIO
CELEBRATES THE SEASON WITH LIVE HOLIDAY CONCERT
BROADCASTS AND EVENTS**

November 27, 2009 | DAVIDSON, NC – This holiday season, join WDAV 89.9 Classical Public Radio for a series of live holiday concert broadcasts and events showcasing some of the area’s best music and music-makers. Listen over the air at 89.9 FM, online at wdav.org and iTunes – or attend these concert broadcasts in person!

Charlotte Chamber Music “First Tuesday” Concert

Tuesday, December 1 at 1 PM

First Presbyterian Church, 200 West Trade Street, Charlotte

WDAV’s **Mike McKay** hosts this special live concert broadcast. The centerpiece of the concert will be Mozart’s soaring *Exultate Jubilate*, featuring the crystalline voice of soprano Melanie Russell. The marvelous teenage talent Sarah Sullivan is front and center in the *Flute Concerto in D* by Mozart contemporary Josef Myslivecek. Admission is free.

A VOX Christmas from St. John’s

Friday, December 4 at Noon

St. John’s Baptist Church, 300 Hawthorne Lane, Charlotte

WDAV’s **Jennifer Foster** hosts this special live concert broadcast. It’s a festive program of holiday favorites and new discoveries from the innovative choral ensemble VOX (now the premiere ensemble of Carolina Voices). VOX will be led by conductor David Tang and joined by a host of special guests, including the Saint John’s Baptist Church Choir, the Charlotte Contemporary Ensemble, guitarist Bob Teixeira, and the West Charlotte Senior High School Choir. Admission is free.

WDAV's Holiday Open House

Friday, December 4, 6-8 p.m.

WDAV, 423 North Main Street, Davidson

Share some Christmas cheer with WDAV at its annual Holiday Open House on Friday, December 4 from 6 to 8 p.m. Enjoy studio tours, seasonal refreshments and lively holiday music performed by local artists. Then stroll down Main Street and join Christmas in Davidson, our town's annual family-friendly holiday celebration with music, holiday shopping, horse-drawn carriage rides and more. All the festivities are free of charge. Ample parking is available in the lot on Jackson Street behind the WDAV studios.

The Beggar Boys: A Celtic Christmas

Sunday, December 13, 3 p.m.

St. Alban's Episcopal Church, 301 Caldwell Lane, Davidson

For the first time ever, WDAV shares a great Davidson holiday tradition with the Carolinas and the world: Kate Minogue and The Beggar Boys in their annual holiday concert of songs, tunes, stories, and dancing to welcome the season and warm the spirit. WDAV's **Rachel Stewart** hosts this original live broadcast. For ticket information, call 704-941-0650.

About WDAV 89.9 Classical Public Radio

Celebrating its 31st year on the air, WDAV 89.9 Classical Public Radio broadcasts the best original classical music made in the Carolinas and around the world. As a service of Davidson College, WDAV reaches a 22-county region centered in the Charlotte, NC metro area and ranging from Rock Hill, SC to Galax, VA. Listen to WDAV live online 24 hours a day at www.wdav.org.

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