



Community Arts Program (CAP)

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2020 VIRTUAL Summer Concert Series

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Summer Concert Series marks its 35th Season (First Virtual)!

***Six, delicious after-dinner VIRTUAL concerts bringing
South Florida musicians to concertgoers' homes!***

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MIAMI, FL - 7:30 p.m. (EST) EVERY Thursday, July 9 through August 13, locals and the world are invited to the **Community Arts Program (CAP) 2020 VIRTUAL Summer Concert Series!** Take a seat at **CommunityArtsProgram.org** or Community Arts Program **Facebook** - and feast your eyes and ears!

From opening night with jazz pianist Shelly Berg in a program titled *My Favorite Things!* to *A Jazz Shout-Out Finale for a Dave Brubeck 100th* closing night - six, delicious after-dinner concerts feature outstanding South Florida musicians. Within the comfort of one's home, these six, one-hour jazz and classical concerts are **FREE. Donations will be accepted** each concert evening to help support the South Florida musicians and technicians making it possible.

The Community Arts Program Summer Concert Series has entertained more than 69,000 people since it began in 1985. The Series has grown into a time-honored tradition and, more recently, part of a Community Arts Program that also provides music education to children and youth in its award-winning CAP Conservatory for the Arts and CAP Miami Jazz Institute.

"We're very excited to again present a line-up of incredible artists," says **Mark Hart, Executive and Artistic Director** of the **Community Arts Program**. *"Though we'll miss welcoming concertgoers within the beauty of CAP's home at the historic Coral Gables Congregational Church, we're thrilled to virtually reach an even broader audience across all of Florida and the world!"*

CAP 2020 VIRTUAL Summer Concert Series ARTIST LINE-UP

JULY 9 – SHELLY BERG

The *Community Arts Program (CAP) 2020 VIRTUAL Summer Concert Series* opens with *My Favorite Things!* Shelly Berg—critically praised jazz pianist and Dean of the acclaimed Frost School of Music at the University of Miami—serves up an enchanting hour of his choice jazz standards and classics!

JULY 16 – MISTY LEAH BERMUDEZ & ALVARO BERMUDEZ

Join in *Classic Latin Love Songs & Melodies* with mezzo-soprano Misty Leah Bermudez and guitarist Alvaro Bermudez. This engaging wife and husband duo will cradle listeners in a program of Latin love songs from the early- to mid-20th century - with selections from Mexico, Cuba, Ecuador, Colombia, and Brazil.

JULY 23 – ZACH BARTHOLOMEW TRIO WITH LINDA ALVARADO

In a concert titled *Oscar Meets Ella*, music by the *Maharaja of the keyboard*, Oscar Peterson, and the *First Lady of Song*, Ella Fitzgerald, come to life with the Zach Bartholomew Trio - Zach Bartholomew (piano), Gary Thomas (bass), and Lucas Apostoleris (drums). With the sweet vocals of Linda Alvarado, it's a delicious evening of listening!

JULY 30 – THE 5 STRING SWING QUARTET

A night with *The Great American Songbook* brings some of the most important and influential American popular songs and jazz standards from the early 20th century. The 5 String Swing Quartet—Steffen Zeichner (violin), Derek Fairholm (piano), Benjamin Whitman (bass), Ludwig Afonso (drums)—serves up enticing arrangements for an hour of savory, musical desserts!

AUGUST 6 – SCOTT FLAVIN

Settle in for an hour of mesmerizing beauty! In a program titled *One Voice*, violinist Scott Flavin fills the senses with music from Europe and the African Diaspora, to today's America.

AUGUST 13 – THREEFOLD

The *Community Arts Program (CAP) 2020 VIRTUAL Summer Concert Series* concludes with *A Jazz Shout-Out Finale for a Dave Brubeck 100th!* The talent-filled group Threefold—Mark Small (saxophone), Martin Bejerano (piano), and John Hart (guitar)—presents an hour of tunes by some of their favorite jazz artists – including Dave Brubeck in his 100th birthday year. Take 60... for this celebratory finale feast!

CAP 2020 VIRTUAL Summer Concert Series DIGITAL PLATFORMS

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Press Release, Community Arts Program (CAP) Logo, Artists' Pics and Bios.