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hristmas with Lance Luce

Sunday, December 4, 2016 3:00 p.m.

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Our last concert of 2016 brings a very familiar face to the stage of the Senate Theater, Lance Luce.

Lance is on the Board of Directors of the Detroit Theater Organ Society, and is the President of the society.

Lance is an internationally acclaimed theatre organist. He has played hundreds of concerts all over the United States, Canada, England and Australia.

His concerts are praised for appealing to audiences of all ages, containing a wide variety of musical styles.

At age 18, Lance won 1st place honors in the Yamaha National Electone organ competition in California. The next year he was appointed the Head Staff Organist at Radio City Music Hall in New York, on the largest Wurlitzer ever built.

Lance has made many recordings, including being part of the famous "Theatre Organ Greats - A Salute to Radio City Music Hall" double LP.

For many years, Lance was the "Featured Entertainment" at the console of a theatre organ at several "Pizza Parlour" style restaurants. Two in Michigan, and the highly successful "Organ Grinder Restaurant" in Toronto Canada, where he played for 8 years.

Lance began playing the theatre pipe organ at age 10 at the Royal Oak Theatre near his Michigan home. By age 13 he was playing at that same theatre for intermissions. During his teenage years he began playing the organ at a local church on Sundays, and performed countless times for area organ clubs and societies.

Lance is currently on the staff at the Fox Theatre (Detroit) and Michigan Theatre (Ann Arbor), and is one of the organists at the Redford Theatre in Detroit, Michigan. He continues to be a church organist, recording artist, and maintains a busy

concert schedule.

Christmas music will fill the air of the Senate Theater with Lance's concert, and as a special treat intermission will be extended so that everyone that attends can enjoy an assortment of Christmas desserts.

Doors to the Senate Theater open at 2:00

p.m., with the concert starting at 3:00 p.m. Come enjoy a wonderful afternoon of great music!





### Rockin' The Holidays at the Senate Theater

December 17th, 2016 7-10 PM

A 'Fun'draiser to benefit the

Historic Wurlitzer and Senate Theater

Live music on stage, including the organ,

A sing-along, fun raffles and more!

Advance tickets just \$25! Visit WWW.DTOS.ORG



### ntermission Dessert Buffet for Christmas Concert

#### Dave Calendine, DTOS Board of Directors

It is time for the traditional Christmas dessert buffet at the Senate Theater. Members are asked to bring goodies to share with everyone at Lance Luce's concert on December 4. We would like to have cookies, brownies and other fancy baked goods (finger foods only, please!). You are also encouraged to bring foods such as cheese and veggies for our friends and guests that can't have the sweet items. The coffee, Christmas punch (non-

alcoholic) and water are free that day.

The intermission will be extended so that there will be plenty of time to eat and renew friendships.

No need to make reservations. Just bring your favorite goodies. Place them on the table in the concessions lobby before the show, and our Senate elves will make sure that everything is all set before the intermission.

#### 2017 Concert Series Announced!



Simon Gledhill March 26–3pm

> Dennis James April 23–3pm





Fr. Andrew Rogers May 21–3pm

Donna Parker June 11—3pm





Clark Wilson September 17–3pm

> Justin LaVoie October 15–3pm





Dave Wickerham November 12–3pm

Mark Herman & Anthony Snitker December 3–3pm







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