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New Dominion Chorale to present GLORIA IN EXCELSIS

**ACCLAIMED TENOR TO PERFORM WITH NEW DOMINION CHORALE**

New Dominion Chorale and Orchestra will present its annual holiday concert on December 2nd at 4:00 p.m. at the Rachel M. Schlesinger Concert Hall and Arts Center on the Alexandria Campus of Northern Virginia Community College, 4915 East Campus Drive, Alexandria, Virginia.

The program, entitled GLORIA IN EXCELSIS will feature the internationally acclaimed tenor, Issachah Savage, and local favorite Bob McDonald (bass). The concert will include music by Giacomo Puccini, Johann Christoph Friedrich Bach, Felix Mendelssohn and Thomas Beveridge.

Thomas Beveridge, Artistic Director of New Dominion Chorale, will conduct the performance, which will also feature soprano Annie Schwartz, mezzo-soprano Julia Farbstein, tenor Aaron Tucker, and baritone André Darvasan-Stanciu.

The featured work will be Puccini's "Messa di Gloria," written when the composer was 18 years old and over time has become one of the most popular works in its genre.

Mr. Beveridge has also chosen to conduct "The Childhood of Jesus" by J.C.F. Bach, a work that was revived and edited by his father, the Rev. Dr. Lowell P. Beveridge.

New Dominion Chorale, now in its 28th season, is one of the Washington area's largest choral societies. Tickets for GLORIA IN EXCELSIS on December 2nd may be purchased online at [www.newdominion.org](http://www.newdominion.org) or at the door at the time of the performance. Ticket prices are \$35 for adults, \$30 for seniors 62 and older, and \$15 for students ages 5 to 22. Group tickets are available for groups of 10 or more at \$25 per ticket. All tickets are for general admission, and parking is free.

For more information go to [www.newdominion.org](http://www.newdominion.org) or [president@newdominion.org](mailto:president@newdominion.org)



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