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**Madison Symphony Orchestra Offers Free Community Christmas Carol Sing**  
*Sing-along with the Overture Concert Organ, Tuesday, November 29, 2016*

Madison, WI – The Madison Symphony Orchestra (MSO) invites the entire community to celebrate the season and sing together with the Overture Concert Organ at a free Christmas Carol Sing in Overture Hall, 201 State Street, Tuesday, November 29, at 7 p.m.

All ages are welcome and no registration or tickets are required.

The Christmas Carol Sing will feature holiday favorites including *Joy to the World*, *Angels We Have Heard on High*, *Away in a Manger*, and *The First Noel* along with some lesser known works such as Gustav Holst's arrangement of *In the Bleak Midwinter*. MSO Principal Organist and Curator Samuel Hutchison will lead the carol singing, which will last approximately one hour.

For more holiday singing, come 45 minutes early to *A Madison Symphony Christmas* concerts to hear the Madison Symphony Chorus sing Christmas carols in the festively-lit lobby of the Overture Center. Concerts will be presented Friday, Dec. 2 at 7:30 p.m., Saturday, Dec. 3 at 8:00 p.m., and Sunday, Dec. 4 at 2:30 p.m. in Overture Hall. Tickets can be purchased at <http://www.madisonsymphony.org/christmas>, through the Overture Center Box Office at 201 State Street, or by calling the Box Office at (608) 258-4141.

Support for all Overture Concert Organ programs is provided by the Diane Endres Ballweg Fund. With a gift from Pleasant T. Rowland, the Madison Symphony Orchestra (MSO) commissioned the Overture Concert Organ, which is the stunning backdrop of all MSO concerts. For more Overture Concert Organ information, visit [madisonsymphony.org/organ](http://madisonsymphony.org/organ)

The Madison Symphony Orchestra starts its 91<sup>st</sup> season with the 2016-17 concerts. The MSO engages audiences of all ages and backgrounds in live classical music through a full season of concerts with established and emerging soloists of international renown, an organ series that includes free concerts, and widely respected education and community engagement programs. Find more information at [madisonsymphony.org](http://madisonsymphony.org).

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