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invited*

to a short reception after  
the concert to honour YSPF

President,

*Joan Milkson,*

who received the

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this month.

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7:30 PM

First Unitarian Congregation  
30 Cleary Ave

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*Welcome! Season 2023-2024*

*Young String  
Performers  
in Concert*

with guest host

*Floralove Katz*

**Saturday, November 25th, 2023  
at 7:30 p.m.**

First Unitarian Congregation of Ottawa  
30 Cleary Avenue



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## Young String Performers in Concert – Program – 25 November 2023

- 🎵 Scherzando, from Trio in G major Hob. XI:70. . . . . F.J. Haydn  
 Owen Zhong, ‘cello  
 Lucas Zhong, piano
- 🎵 Adoration ..... F. Borowski  
 Alec Lu, violin  
 Natalia Bibik, piano
- 🎵 Concerto No. 1 in A minor ..... J. Accolay  
 Cindy Xia, violin  
 Natalia Bibik, piano
- 🎵 Sonata in G minor ..... H. Eccles  
*I. Largo*  
*II. Allegro*  
 Élisabeth Baxa, ‘cello  
 Philippe Prud’homme, piano
- 🎵 Sonatensatz ..... J. Brahms  
 Veronika Jovic, violin  
 Katarina Jovic, piano
- 🎵 Vocalise Op. 34 No. 14 Lentamente molto  
 cantabile ..... S. Rachmaninoff  
 Hannah Cheung, ‘cello  
 Philippe Prud’homme, piano
- 🎵 Polish Dance ..... E. Severn  
 Yuhui (Olivia) Xie, violin  
 Elena Semenets, piano
- 🎵 Piano Trio in E flat major “Kegelstatt” KV 498 . . . . . W.A. Mozart  
*III. Allegretto*  
 Bennett Van Barr, violin  
 Grace van der Sloot, viola  
 Anouk Marks, piano

### \*\*\*\*\* INTERMISSION (10 minutes) \*\*\*\*\*

- 🎵 Baal Shem ..... E. Bloch  
*II. Nigun*  
 Élise Dubé, violin  
 Pierre-Richard Aubin, piano
- 🎵 Gavotte No. 2 in D major ..... D. Popper  
 Josephine van der Sloot, ‘cello  
 Frédéric Lacroix, piano
- 🎵 Sonata in B flat major Op. 36 H. Vieuxtemps  
*I. Maestoso*  
 Grace van der Sloot, viola  
 Frédéric Lacroix, piano
- 🎵 Concerto in E minor Op. 64 .. F. Mendelssohn  
*I. Allegro, molto appassionato*  
 Bennett Van Barr, violin  
 Scott Richardson, piano
- 🎵 Five pieces for two violins .... D. Shostakovich  
*I. Prelude*  
*II. Gavotte*  
*IV. Waltz*  
*V. Polka*  
 Benedetta Gauthier-Mamaril,  
 Carolyn Xiao, violins  
 Ryan Shen, piano

### We express our appreciation to:

#### our dedicated teachers of this evening’s performers:

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|-----------------------|----------------------|
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