

About Gilbert & Sullivan

The Gilbert & Sullivan comic operas were composed between 1871 and 1896 in Victorian London. Their sparkling musical scores by Sir Arthur Sullivan and their dazzling lyrics by Sir William S. Gilbert have kept them popular throughout the English-speaking world ever since. They've been called the "Saturday Night Live" of their day for their satiric appeal, but they have proven universal and timeless in their comic and ironic treatment of human foibles through their "airy persiflage" and "innocent merriment." And the popular appeal of the music has endeared them to millions who cherish "laughing song and merry dance." They are arguably the most popular "musical comedies" ever written for the stage.



Our Mission

The Gilbert and Sullivan Society of Austin was founded with the purpose of educating the public and preserving the works of Gilbert and Sullivan. Formed in 1976, the group entertains and educates thousands of Central Texas residents every year.

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Gilbert & Sullivan Austin

presents



Preview Musicale

May 21, 2017

Gethsemane Lutheran Church
Austin, Texas



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Program

Welcome and Introduction Libby Weed

"Pour, O pour the pirate sherry" Pirates & Joshamee Gibbs

Musical Piracy in the New World Ralph MacPhail, Jr.

"Yo Ho (A Pirate's Life for Me)" (*Disneyland*) . . . Captain Jack Sparrow
& Company

Disneyland Pirates Janette Jones

"When Frederic was a little lad" Tia Dalma

"Oh, better far to live and die" Captain Jack Sparrow & Pirates

"Climbing over rocky mountain" Tamara, Syrena, & Mermaids

"Oh, men of dark and dismal fate" Governor Swann & Company

"Oh, dry the glistening tear" Mermaids & Elizabeth Swann

"When the foeman bares his steel" Commodore Norrington,
Elizabeth Swann, Tamara, Governor Swann, Pirates, & Mermaids

"Now for the pirates' lair" / "When you had left our fold" . . Tia Dalma,
Captain Jack Sparrow, & Will Turner

"Stay, Frederic, stay!" Elizabeth Swann & Will Turner

"Hail, Poetry" Captain Jack Sparrow, Company, & audience

"Now to the banquet we press" (*The Sorcerer*) . . . Company & audience

Davy Jones (Pianist) Jeanne Sasaki

Please join us for refreshments after the program.

Produced and Directed by Janette Jones

Special Thanks:

Steve Schwartzman / Photography

Pastor Karl Gronberg / Gethsemane Lutheran Church

Cast

Arthur DiBianca - Governor Swann (Major-General Stanley)
Sam Johnson - Captain Jack Sparrow (The Pirate King)
Jake Jacobsen - Joshamee Gibbs (Samuel)
Andy Fleming - Will Turner (Frederic)
Russell Gregory - Commodore Norrington (Sergeant of Police)
Suzanne Lis - Elizabeth Swann (Mabel)
Teri Johnson - Tamara (Edith)
Jaimie Lowe - Syrena (Kate)
Patricia Combs - Tia Dalma (Ruth)

The Pirates of the Caribbean (Pirates of Penzance, Police)

Garrett Cordes	David Kaufman	Robert LeBas
Luke Pebler	Scott Poppaw	Glenn Russell
Trevor Senter	Ian Stilwell	Charlie Vazquez

Mermaids (General Stanley's Daughters)

Hannah Boyd	Rosa Mondragon Harris	Abigail Jackson
Janette Jones	Sarah Manna	Susan Meitz
Ellie Mellen	Jenny Ohrstrom	Iona Olive
Erica Salinas	Rachel Silvers	Sarah Steele
	Brittany Trinité	

