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Jazz, classical ensemble to perform at Jazz at Chimes concert

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OAKLAND — Jazz at the Chimes' last concert of the 2017 season will feature Resonance Jazz Ensemble, at 2 p.m. Nov. 19 at Chapel of the Chimes, 4499 Piedmont Ave., Oakland.



Resonance Jazz Ensemble, an eight-member group of jazz and classical musicians, will perform the final concert of the 2017 Jazz at the Chimes series at 2 p.m. Nov. 19 at Chapel of the Chimes, 4499 Piedmont Ave., Oakland. (Courtesy of Richard Jett)

The concert will showcase the eight-member Resonance Jazz Ensemble performing originals from its upcoming CD release, as well as creative arrangements of jazz standards, pop tunes and classical favorites.

“Resonance is the only jazz ensemble in Northern California with this unusual instrumentation melding cello, bass, viola, violin, saxophones, flute, vocals, piano and drums to create a novel ‘Chamber Jazz’ sound,” said bandleader and pianist Steve McQuarry.

Resonance Jazz Ensemble brings together musical artists of diverse backgrounds. Members of the octet have performed with many legendary artists, such as Dizzy Gillespie, Louie Bellson, Clare Fischer, Dave Anderson Quartet, Joe Lovano, Jethro Tull, Mingus Amungus, Gloria Estefan, as well as the Marin and Berkeley symphonies, Woodminster Theatre Orchestra and the California Pops Orchestra.

Band members are: Nancy Bien, cello; Ted Burik, bass; Greg German, drums; Georgianna Krieger, saxophone; Michelle Mastin, viola; Stephen McQuarry, piano; Michèle Walther, violin; and Laura Austin Wiley, flute and vocals.

For more information about Resonance Jazz Ensemble, go to the website:

<http://www.resonancejazz.com>.

IF YOU GO

What: Jazz at the Chimes featuring Resonance Jazz Ensemble

When: 2 p.m., Nov., 19

Where: Chapel of the Chimes; 4499 Piedmont Ave. Oakland; plenty of free parking

Tickets: \$15 general admission for concert and reception; advance ticket sales through Brown Paper Tickets or cash only at the door, depending on availability; ticket sales begin at 12:30 p.m.; doors open at 1:30 p.m.

Ticket link: <http://resonancejazz.brownpapertickets.com/>

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