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2025-2026 MUSIC CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER

28 4:00 pm Hope and Remembrance - Addiction
(Wicomico Goes Purple)

NOVEMBER

2 5:00 pm Choral Evensong for All Saints Sunday
(with Potluck Supper)

DECEMBER

7 7:00 pm Advent Lessons and Carols
21 6:00 pm Handel's Messiah

JANUARY

6 6:00 pm Festal Eucharist for Epiphany

FEBRUARY/MARCH

February 25; March 4, 11, 18, 25
12:30 pm Wednesday Lenten Organ Meditations

MARCH

15 5:00 pm Lenten Choral Evensong (with Potluck Supper)

MAY

1 7:00 pm Choral Evensong for St. Philip and St. James (with Potluck Supper)
17 4:00 pm Spring Concert — All St. Peter's Choirs

SPRING (TBA)

Green Hill Church benefit concert — period music, period food
Church Stroll — Broadway collaboration

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2025-2026!*

The mission of the
St. Cecilia Guild
is "to enrich the life of St. Peter's Episcopal Church and the broader community on the Eastern Shore through the promotion of excellent liturgy, music and art to the greater glory of God."

Lauma Akmene M.Mus. *St. Peter's Director of Music*



Lauma Akmene was appointed Director of Music at St. Peter's Episcopal Church in Salisbury, MD, in June 2025. She is an accomplished music director, organist, and conductor with experience across Latvia, Canada, and the United States. She has performed at festivals including the XV Latvian Song and Dance Festival in Toronto and the 37th International Organ Music Festival at Riga Cathedral, and has collaborated with the Grammy-winning Pacific Boychoir Academy.

Deeply connected to her Latvian heritage, Lauma served as Artistic Director of the Northern California Latvian Choir and champions works by Latvian composers, female composers, and composers of color. She studied organ at McGill University, church music at the Luther Academy in Riga, and organ and piano at the Academy of Music, Dance and Fine Arts in Plovdiv. At St. Peter's, she directs the music program, oversees liturgical music, and organizes concerts and special events, bringing excellence and cultural richness to worship and the wider community.



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