

About The Music Settlement

Since 1912, The Music Settlement has connected people from all ages and backgrounds to celebrate and share experiences through the universal language of music. Our vision is to unlock the potential in everyone. Our mission is to inspire and welcome all to our music and arts community to learn, create, celebrate, and heal.

We ensure music and the arts are accessible to all through our generous financial assistance program and year-round enrollment at our historic east side campus in University Circle and our west side campus in Ohio City.

Our programs are delivered by exceptional faculty and music therapists in an environment that nurtures individual achievement and creativity, allowing students and clients to reach their full potential while developing a lifelong love of the arts.

We offer generous financial aid and scholarships so that all have access to our beneficial arts-infused programming. We also welcome and encourage all members of our community to get involved with TMS in a variety of opportunities: as volunteers; attending recitals, performances, and events; and through gifts of support.

Center for Music

Our Center for Music delivers first-class music instruction in a variety of musical styles in private lessons, ensembles, and performance opportunities to students of all ages and abilities. Programs and courses are designed based on the needs and interests of the community.

Center for Early Childhood

Focused on children from 3-weeks through six years of age, our Center for Early Childhood is a top-rated 5-Star "Step Up To Quality" school that infuses music and the arts in Preschool, Kindergarten, and summer camp programming.

Center for Music Therapy

Our Center for Music Therapy utilizes music-based interventions to impact the lives of children and adults living with a variety of challenges. We are the first community organization to offer clinical, preventative, and supportive services focused on the healing powers of music on a large scale.

Bop Stop

Owned and operated by TMS, Bop Stop is a live music and performance venue in Ohio City. In addition to presenting live music, Bop Stop hosts private events and fundraisers to support local schools, organizations, and other arts and culture initiatives.

THANK YOU!

We can't do it without you!

All proceeds from this event benefit our mission to inspire and welcome all to our music and arts community to **learn**, **create**, **celebrate**, and **heal**. Your support allows us to deliver accessible, life-enhancing music and arts experiences to people of all ages and abilities.

Donate today at [TheMusicSettlement.org/Give](https://www.TheMusicSettlement.org/Give)



The Music Settlement

OHIO CITY • UNIVERSITY CIRCLE



Student Recital

Featuring the Students of
Linda Allen, Glenn Holmes, Patti Evans,
Victoria Marra, Eve McPherson, Joseph Mook,
Joe Slusarski, and Linda White

Accompaniment by Anne Wilson

Thursday, December 18, 2025
6:00 PM

The Music Settlement
11125 Magnolia Drive
Cleveland, OH 44106

Follow us on social!



www.TheMusicSettlement.org | 216.421.5806

Welcome

Thank you for joining us!

program

Straight, No Chaser

*Afi Scruggs, electric bass
Student of Glenn Holmes

T. Monk

Bear Dance

*Jonah Paponetti, piano
Student of Patricia Evans

B. Bartok

Whiskey Before Breakfast

*Jose D. Agudelo, guitar
Student of Joe Slusarski

Folk Tune

Carnival

Hafsa Abdur Rahman, piano
Student of Linda Allen

J. Bastien

Allegro (duet)

*Jasper Laughlin, flute
Student of Linda White, flute II

L. v. Beethoven

Defying Gravity
from *Wicked*

*Elise Yablonsky, mezzo-soprano
Student of Eve McPherson

S. Schwartz

What's New?
More

*Curtis Hopkins, piano
Student of Joseph Mook

B. Haggart
A. Williams

Matador

*Jasper Laughlin, tenor saxophone
Student of Victoria Marra

R. Giralmo, W. Coggins

Rhapsody in G Minor, op. 79, no. 2

*Leen Akas, piano
Student of Patricia Evans

J. Brahms

* denotes TMS Merit Scholarship student

discover the JOY of music
this season

10% OFF
PRIVATE MUSIC LESSONS*
OFFER EXPIRES 1/16/2026



T&C apply. Visit www.TheMusicSettlement.org/Holiday2025 for details.

play it forward instrument fund

Help us grow the community fund!

The Play It Forward Instrument Fund was established by a current Suzuki student of The Music Settlement to help repair and maintain donated instruments, as well as instruments used by the TMS Suzuki Department. The objective is to ensure that students have access to an instrument in good working condition.



To donate, scan the QR code and reference the "Play It Forward" fund in the comment section.

upcoming events

Chamber Music in the Galleries: Linking Legacies

Friday, Dec. 19th at 6:00 pm
Cleveland Museum of Art

Rev. Martin Luther King, Jr. Memorial Concert

Sunday, Jan. 18th at 3:00 pm
The Music Settlement - University Circle

Our programs are generously funded by:

