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September
27, 2009 - 7:30 pm

VMS appears with Diablo Symphony Orchestra in an all Mendelssohn program,

at the Dean Leshner Center for the Arts, Walnut Creek.

Tickets: \$20 (available from Diablo Symphony website)

Classic Hymns

October 25, 2009

Our popular
program of from last spring, including...

Precious Lord, Take My Hand

Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring – Bach

Jerusalem – Parry

Eternal Father, Strong to Save - Whiting

… and

many more favorites

Christus, Carols and Contemplation

December 5 & 13, 2009

Mendelssohn's Christus

Vaughan Williams' Fantasia on Christmas Carols

Lauridsen's O Magnum Mysterium

more! ...and

Continuing the celebration of Mendelssohn's bicentenary, we'll be performing his unfinished oratorio on the life of Christ - a kind of combination of Handel's Messiah and Bach's St. Matthew Passion. Sadly, the entire

work is rarely performed (and there isn't a current recording in print of the piece!).

June 2010

Complete Choral Works of Samuel Barber

...to
celebrate Barber's centenary.

He is one
of the greatest American composers, best known for his Adagio for Strings.

(We are also accepting singers just for the Barber concerts, if you wish to join us.)

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