



PEACE MEMORIAL CONCERT SERIES

presents

Johnny Varro & Swing 7

Our Lord's Day – February 13, 2022

Three o'clock in the Afternoon

Johnny Varro's Swing 7 was organized in 1994 under the tutelage of Johnny to fulfill a lifetime ambition to have a band that would play and encompass all the music he loved and appreciated.

If we think Count Basie, Benny Goodman and Duke Ellington we've got the spirit of this great jazz concert! We'll hear arrangements of favorite tunes from the 30s, 40s and 50s as renown jazz pianist Johnny Varro teams up with his topnotch ensemble. Thanks for joining us as Johnny and his friends transport us around the world!

Bandleader and jazz pianist extraordinaire Johnny Varro has performed stateside in the best known clubs in New York City, Los Angeles and throughout the world. The band has toured Germany and played at the Festival in Ascona, Switzerland. The Swing 7 is a very tight unit with special arrangements by Johnny with lots of room for the soloists to improvise. The Swing 7 recorded for Arbors Records in 1994, 1997, 2000, and 2007. Today, he is joined by the following celebrated musicians:

Randy Sandke, trumpet
Jeff Lego, trombone
Dave MacKenzie, alto sax and clarinet

Rodney Rojas, tenor sax
Charlie Silva, bass
Ric Craig, percussion

If you enjoy today's performance, mark your calendar for the Suncoast Jazz Festival
November 18-20, 2022 on Clearwater Beach.
suncoastjazzfestival.com



Important Notice to Attendees

COVID-19 has been declared a worldwide pandemic by the World Health Organization and is known to be extremely contagious. The virus is believed to spread from person-to-person contact and/or by contact with contaminated surfaces or objects, and/or through the air. People can be infected and show no symptoms and therefore spread the disease. Although it will endeavor to apply all reasonable health protocols, the Peace Memorial Concert Series cannot guarantee you will not become exposed to or contract COVID-19 while attending one of our performances. Therefore, if you choose to attend our performance, you acknowledge and accept the risk that you may be exposing yourself to and/or increasing your risk of contracting COVID-19, and you release and waive any claim and any right to bring suit against the Peace Memorial Presbyterian Church of Clearwater in Florida and its trustees, agents, employees, or other representatives for any harm, injury or damage arising therefrom.

In keeping with our mission to present live artists to our community, the Peace Memorial Presbyterian Church joins other arts organizations in the Tampa Bay area and the United States in efforts to reduce the spread of the highly transmissible COVID-19 Delta variant.

Peace Memorial Concerts recognizes the safety of our patrons, musicians, staff, and volunteers. Therefore, anyone attending our concerts will be required to show proof of full COVID-19 immunization (at least 14 days since the final dose) or a COVID-19 PCR negative test result within 72-hours prior, or a negative COVID-19 antigen test result within 6-hours prior. Furthermore, all patrons regardless of immunization status must wear a mask over their nose and mouth at all times.

For help in navigating these new procedures, telephone Timothy Belk, Director of Music Ministries and Organist at 800 | 479-8846.

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