

St. Benedict's
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

School of Music

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You are invited to email each instructor to schedule your lesson.*

OPENING JUNE 2015



Candace Keach
Flute & Recorder for
Ages 6–Adult

Candace studied flute at the University of Georgia and the New England Conservatory in Boston.

She was continued her studies with Marcel Moyse, Michel Debost, and William Bennett, In 2010 she was awarded placement on the Georgia Arts Council Touring Artist Roster and the Southern Artistry Registry.

She has been principal flutist with the Macon Symphony Orchestra since 1985. She has been a featured performer in Italy, Switzerland, and France, as well as at several National Flute Association Conventions.

Ms. Keach is flute professor at Spelman College and the University of West Georgia. She also teaches flute and recorder at The Lovett School and The Westminster Schools.

For more information or to schedule your lesson:
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James Malcolm Cobb
Guitar for Ages 8–Adult

James received his undergraduate degree in guitar performance from the University of Delaware. He continued his studies at the Curtis Music

Conservatory in Philadelphia with Peter Segal and with Ed Simon (Paul Simon's brother) at the Guitar Study Center in New York City. In 1981, he took first prize in composition at the Delaware State Music Teachers Association.

Mr. Cobb was also formerly instructor of guitar at the University of Delaware and The Wilmington Music School. He is well versed in teaching all styles of guitar performance including: Classical, folk, blues, rock, and jazz acoustic or electric finger style or plectrum.

Please visit his website for his commercial releases.
www.jamesmalcolmcobb.com

Mr. Cobb also toured as Member of A1A and The Official Jimmy Buffett Tribute, 2005–2012.

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George Butler
Cello for ages 11 - Adult

George Butler is a graduate of the College-Conservatory of Music at the University of Cincinnati and has studied additionally at the Westminster Choir College and the Cincinnati Christian University.

At seventeen, George was the only instrumentalist from the state of Ohio chosen and invited to perform on cello in a national youth symphony orchestra at New York's Carnegie Hall under the direction of the late great maestro Leopold Stokowski.

While a student at the famed College-Conservatory he was principal cellist of conservatory orchestras for three of his years there. He was a student of internationally renowned cellists Arthur Bowen and Lynn Harrell.

Mr. Butler has been a professional musician for over forty years. In addition to teaching in private studio, he performs as cellist for the award winning Kazanetti String Quartet.

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Rebecca Shipley
Voice for male or female,
ages 14–Adult

Rebecca attended Florida State University obtaining a Bachelor of Music in Voice and Music Therapy. She has studied at the American

Institute of Musical Studies Graz, Austria, the Summer Intensive Fredric Popper Masterclasses, and the Georgia State University Summer Opera Workshop.

Presently, she serves as a member of the Atlanta Opera Chorus where she has performed since 1995. She has worked as freelance soloist for Theatrical Outfit, Capital City Opera Company, DeKalb Music Theatre, 14th St. Playhouse, The Atlanta Opera Studio, The Atlanta Opera and The Atlanta Camerata.

At the Cathedral of Christ the King Catholic Church in Atlanta, she is the director of the Young Children's Choirs program and regularly serves as soprano soloist.

Ms. Shipley can be heard on the Telarc label for the Grammy-award winning recording of *P.D.Q. Bach c.d. Oedipus Tex and Other Choral Calamities*, Atlanta Opera and the Albany Records label *The Golden Ticket*.

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Brenda Pruitt
Piano for Ages 4–Adult

Brenda obtained her Bachelor of Music Degree in Piano Pedagogy from Furman University and a Master of Music Degree in Music Therapy in Florida State University.

Ms. Pruitt has extensive experience in music performance, and music education (early childhood through adult). Her work achievements include developing the Musikgarten programming for the Cathedral of St. Philip serving over 100 children each semester. She has created education programs for the Atlanta Symphony Orchestra, The Atlanta Opera and Opera for Youth, in addition to serving as the Executive Director of the Atlanta Gay Men's Chorus.

She presently serves as staff singer and Choral Assistant and Director of Allegro Early Childhood Music Program at The Cathedral of St. Philip. She has taught in private piano studio since 2009 instructing preschool aged children through adults

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