



IN LEAGUE

A QUARTERLY NEWSLETTER



Coming up: Holiday Wreathmaking & Coffee Social



Tuesday December 3
9:30am-11:00am
Stratton Student Center
(W20-307)

We've made the giant holiday wreaths that hang at 77 Mass Ave for 90 years. Come and join us for coffee, pastries and crafting as we kick off the holiday season.

We will be making three giant wreaths, around 6 feet across! We provide everything you'll need if you want to join in!

Register online at wl.mit.edu.



Join us for a

Coffee Social

2025
Thursday January 23
Wednesday February 26

8:30am-9:30am

Emma Rogers Room
(10-340)

Just as it sounds! Stop by and get your morning coffee (or tea!), with delicious pastries, all on us! this is a chance to connect with colleagues, meet new people, and get to know the League.

Please register at wl.mit.edu, so we know how much coffee to brew.

MIT Women's Chorale: Holiday Concert

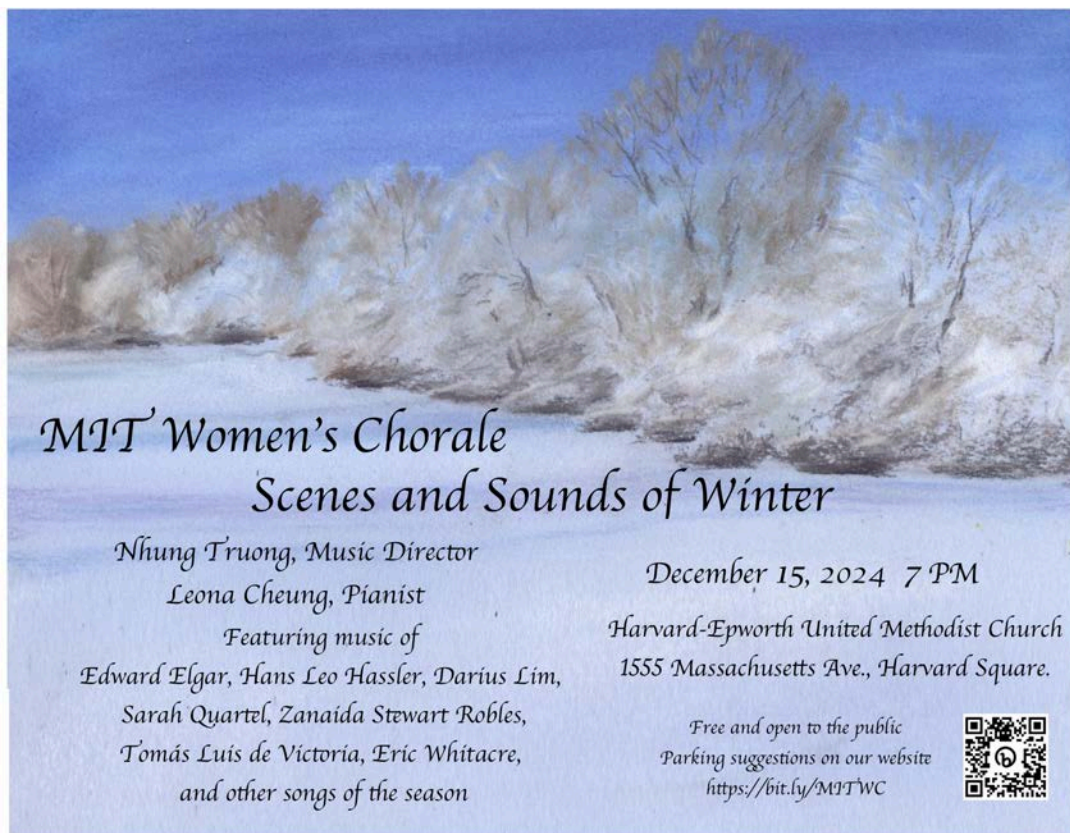
Sunday, December 15

Harvard-Epworth United Methodist Church, 1555 Massachusetts Ave., Cambridge.

7:00pm

The MIT Women's Chorale invites all to their concert, Scenes and Sounds of Winter. Directed by Nhung Truong, the concert will feature the hauntingly beautiful piece by Edward Elgar, The Snow, with flute duo and piano. The concert will span styles ranging from late Renaissance to contemporary pieces, and choral arrangements of lovely and lively music from several folk traditions.

Free and open to the public. Directions and parking suggestions can be found on their [website](https://web.mit.edu/womensleague/womenschorale/): <https://web.mit.edu/womensleague/womenschorale/>




MIT Women's Chorale
Scenes and Sounds of Winter

Nhung Truong, Music Director
Leona Cheung, Pianist
Featuring music of
Edward Elgar, Hans Leo Hassler, Darius Lim,
Sarah Quartel, Zanaída Stewart Robles,
Tomás Luis de Victoria, Eric Whitacre,
and other songs of the season

December 15, 2024 7 PM
Harvard-Epworth United Methodist Church
1555 Massachusetts Ave., Harvard Square.

Free and open to the public
Parking suggestions on our website
<https://bit.ly/MITWC>



Winter Clothing Drive



Help students in need keep warm this winter!

Every year, we partner with the ARM Coalition (Accessing Resources at MIT) to reach out to the students at MIT with the greatest financial need, and give them the opportunity to request the clothing they need to get through the long Northeast winter. Some of these students come from warmer climates, and haven't dealt with a winter like ours, and all of them need to support to be able to afford winter items that will hold up to whatever Massachusetts



Since COVID, we've run this annual drive as an online request form - students tell us exactly what they need, and we share that information to help find donors who can send them coats, gloves and hats. Head to the Women's League website to get involved, and look out for an email in your inbox with all details as well. Thank you, always, for your support of this valuable program. It means the world to the students we help. Visit: wl.mit.edu

Book Discussion Group

The book Discussion Group meets on Zoom, with occasional in-person events. Please write to Maxine Jonas (jonas_m@mit.edu) to be added to their mailing list.

January 22

Chasing Beauty
Natalie Dykstra

February 26

Remarkably Bright Creatures
Shelby Van Pelt

March 26

Their Eyes Were Watching God
Zora Neale Hurston

April 23

A Year in Provence
Peter Mayle

May 28

Lessons in Chemistry Bonnie Garmus



Fiber Crafts Group

It's a good time to get creative and finish that project! The Fiber Crafts Group offers the space to craft online with friends. Meetings will be held throughout the Fall semester via Zoom. Feel free to sign in at any time over the hour, and stay for as long as you like. For a Zoom invite, please email Claudia James (nonnajames@gmail.com) or Olimpia Cacaes-Brown (Olimpia@mit.edu). All events are held 12:00-1:00pm.

2024	2025
December 10	March 11
	April 8
2025	May 13
January 14	June 10
February 11	



HOLIDAY MAKER FAIR

December 11th 2024, 9am-5pm:
Gifts & Crafts & the Endicott House Plant Sale

December 12th 2024, 9am-5pm:
Gifts & Crafts
MIT Lobby 10



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Save the Date: IAP

Independent Activities Period (IAP) is a four-week period in January for flexible teaching and learning. MIT community members can organize, sponsor, and participate in a wide variety of activities.

Visit <https://elo.mit.edu/iap/> for more information.

The MIT Women's League Newsletter is published during the academic year. Please email the office for a hard copy of the newsletter or for any questions you may have.

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