



# Houston Early Music — 2008/2009 Season

Music from the Middle Ages through the 18th Century—  
World-class concerts performed with historical instruments and with styles true to the period.

Fri., Sept. 26, 2008, 8:00PM

## LA DONNA MUSICALE

*THE PLEASURES OF LOVE  
AND LIBATION:*

*Airs by Julie Pinel and other Parisian women.*

First Evangelical Lutheran Church  
1311 Holman (at Caroline)

Boston-based La Donna Musicale is dedicated to the research and the historical performance of music by women composers. Their concert recreates the luxuriant environment of an intimate Parisian salon, replete with the sounds of voices in solo, duo, and trio settings, with flute accompaniment and supported by the captivating tones of the harpsichord, and viola da gamba. [www.ladm.org](http://www.ladm.org)

Tue., Nov. 11, 2008, 7:30PM

## RICHARD EGARR, Harpsichord

*J.S. BACH'S WELL-TEMPERED  
KLAVIER, BOOK 1*

First Unitarian Universalist Church  
5200 Fannin

Dubbed "The Bernstein of early music" (NPR) for his extraordinary charisma and outstanding ability to communicate with his audience, Egarr will perform from J.S. Bach's monumental collection of preludes and fugues. [aam.co.uk/dsegarr.htm](http://aam.co.uk/dsegarr.htm)

Mon., Dec. 8, 2008, 7:30PM

## NOWELL

### LIBER unUSUALIS

Trinity Episcopal Church  
1117 Holman (at Main)

Since its founding in 1996, Liber unUsualis has soared to prominence for its warm, compelling,

and assured performances of Medieval and early-Renaissance music. The American vocal quartet will set the tone for the season with a program of European Christmas music. [liberunusualis.com](http://liberunusualis.com)

Sat., Jan. 17, 2009, 8:00PM

## FRETWORK with CLARE

### WILKINSON, Mezzo-soprano

*HAPPY BIRTHDAY, HENRY!*

Celebrating Purcell's 350th Birthday  
Christ Church Cathedral  
1117 Texas Avenue

A fitting birthday tribute for England's greatest baroque composer—England's finest performing Purcell's songs and instrumental works. Fretwork, the viol consort, is joined by the radiant voice of mezzo-soprano Claire Wilkinson. [Fretwork.co.uk](http://Fretwork.co.uk)

Fri., April 3, 2009, 8:00PM

## ENSEMBLE GALATEA

### Monica Huggett Violin, Richard Savino,

Theorbo, Bruce Dickey, Cornetto.

*CURIOSE INVENZIONI:*

*17th Century Italian Musical Fireworks*

Palmer Memorial Episcopal Church  
6221 Main St.

Huggett and Savino return to Houston, this time with Bruce Dickey and the musicians of Ensemble Galatea, performing a stunning program of seventeenth-century virtuoso Italian masterworks. Works by Marini, Castello, Buonamente, Rognoni and more!

[sonnerie.org.uk/monica.php](http://sonnerie.org.uk/monica.php)

[concertopalatino.com/bruce\\_dickey](http://concertopalatino.com/bruce_dickey)

[www.naxos.com/artistinfo/Richard\\_Savino/666.htm](http://www.naxos.com/artistinfo/Richard_Savino/666.htm)

## SUBSCRIPTION RATES

Choose a season package of five tickets to all of the concerts or a mini-pass option selecting tickets to three concerts. Prices at the door are \$30 for general admission, \$25 for seniors and \$10 for students (with student ID). Free admission for children under 15.

## FULL SEASON SUBSCRIPTION

General Admission \$135 x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

Senior Admission \$110 x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

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## MINI-PASS Select three concerts

\_\_\_ La Donna Musicale \_\_\_ Fretwork

\_\_\_ Richard Egarr \_\_\_ Ensemble Galatea

\_\_\_ Liber unUsualis

General Admission \$80 x \_\_\_\_\_ = \_\_\_\_\_

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