PEOPLES' VOICE

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Judson Memorial Church Assembly Hall Entrance at 239 Thompson Street, between West 3rd and West 4th Streets New York, NY 10012 Fully Wheelchair Accessible

> In Person and **Usually Livestreamed Check Website!**

12/6 Charlie King

Charlie King is a musical storyteller and political satirist. Pete Seeger hailed him as "One of the finest singers and songwriters of our time." Charlie has been at the heart of American folk music since the early 60s. His songs have been recorded and sung by Pete Seeger, Holly Near, Ronnie Gilbert, John McCutcheon, and Arlo Guthrie. "If we had more Charlie Kings in the world, I'd be less worried." - Peggy Seeger "Luckily, we have him!" - Tom Paxton charlieking.org/

Tret Fure

Tret Fure began her career at the age of 16, singing in coffeehouses and campuses in the Midwest. At 20, she was performing as guitarist and vocalist for Spencer Davis, touring with him and penning the single for his album "Mousetrap." She recorded her first album in 1973. Some career highlights include winning the South Florida Folk Festival Singer/Songwriter Competition in 2 out of 3 categories (Best Overall and Best Up-Tempo Song), winning the Women in the Arts Jane Schliessman Award for Outstanding Contributions to Women's Music, and winning the A Still Small Voice 4U songwriting competition with her song "Monuments." Tret's latest album, "Lavender Moonshine," addresses the times in which we live. Tret also teaches guitar and songwriting, paints pet portraits on commission, and has even published a cookbook, "Tret's Kitchen." tretfure.com/

Coming in January: Jan 3: Lucas Rotman Jan 10: The Ranzo Boys Jan 17: Martin Luther King Jr. Celebration with Atiba Wilson & Kiyoko Yamaoka-Layne; Jan 31: Lisa Roma & Friends

The Peoples' Voice Cafe is an alternative coffeehouse offering quality entertainment. We provide a space for the artistic expression of a wide variety of humanitarian issues and concerns. The cafe is run as a not-for-profit collective, and is not affiliated with any political organization. New participating members are always welcome. The Peoples' Voice Cafe's 2025–2026 season is supported in part by the generosity of the Folk Music Society of New York and Judson Memorial Church. The Peoples' Voice Cafe is alcohol free.

SATURDAYS at 8 pm sharp

December 202

Doors open at 7:15 Suggested Contribution \$20

\$12—Friends of Peoples' Voice Cafe \$12—Judson Memorial Church Members \$12—Folk Music Society of NY Members \$12—Students and Youth

> More if you choose, less if you can't (Nobody turned away for lack of money.)

Brooklyn Women's Chorus

The Brooklyn Women's Chorus was formed in October 1997 by Bev Grant, who was the director until she retired in 2021. Last year they welcomed new director Caroline Kuhn. The chorus sings socially relevant songs by contemporary American songwriters such as Bev Grant, Garth Brooks, Jackson Browne, Pat Humphries and Sandy O. Topics range from freedom and social justice, to peace, resistance, women's labor history, and empowerment. The Brooklyn Women's Chorus communicates with a joyful voice, sure to uplift anyone who hears them. brooklynwomenschorus.com/

Lissa Michalak

Lissa Michalak loves songs that make her laugh, stick in her head, or send chills down her spine. She has performed solo and unaccompanied as well as with friends and guitars since the mid-1980s. She uses her rich knowledge of human movement, expression, and anatomy to enhance both her vocal sound and physical performance. Lissa is also one half of the traditional song duo Hilo. youtube.com/@hilotradsongs

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Songs of the Season, with Robin Greenstein & Friends In-Person Only!

Robin Greenstein is an accomplished musician and performer with a fascinating resume. She majored in music in college (classical guitar) and worked under folk legend Hedy West ("500 Miles"). After graduation, she was signed as a songwriter to Bob Dylan's company. Robin was a Clinician-Performer for Martin Guitars and a headliner for Renaissance Cruises. She toured the U.S. college circuit and Europe for years and performs for Club Med. Šhe has released six CDs of original music, traditional folk, children's music and a holiday CD, "Songs of the Season." Robin is delighted return to Peoples' Voice to perform her multicultural holiday show celebrating Chanukah, Christmas, Yuletide, Kwanzaa and Solstice! She will be joined by some special guests. Audience participation encouraged!

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COVID-19 Policy: Masks available but not required.

If you would like to make a donation to the Peoples' Voice Cafe, you may do so through our website, or send it to: Peoples' Voice Cafe, c/o Campbell, 252 W. 91st St. #64, New York NY 10024. For more information or if you'd like to volunteer, call 212/787-3903.