

ABOUT SACRA/PROFANA

When I first began shaping this season, I was captivated by inspiration from "The Invisible Life of Addie LaRue." In the story, Addie is cursed with immortality, yet forgotten by everyone the moment she leaves the room. Still, she becomes a muse for artists across centuries, appearing in paintings whose descriptions often end with the phrase "Value: Unknown." That phrase grabbed me. It felt endlessly evocative, suggesting things beyond price, things we cannot yet comprehend, and mysteries still unfolding in science, art, and even the cosmos. From there, the season's theme, Value: Unknown, was born. We've crafted a four-concert season, each program exploring this idea through a different lens.

--Juan Carlos Acosta
Artistic Director



SACRA/PROFANA

presents world-class choral music by combining technical mastery with a dedication to diversity and inclusion.

The ensemble is acclaimed for its range, merging pop, classical, and contemporary works with a commitment to amplify the artistic voices of women and underrepresented communities alongside traditional repertoire.



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presents
SEASON 17

**VALUE:
UNKNOWN**

CONCERTS IN SEASON 17

SAT. OCTOBER 18, 2025 7PM

L.O.S.T.

*Featuring Jason Carl Rosenberg's
"L.O.S.T." and Thomas Tallis'
"Lamentations of Jeremiah"*

San Dieguito United Methodist Church
170 Calle Magdalena,
Encinitas, CA 92024

Five centuries apart, two companion pieces engage in dialogue across centuries. Thomas Tallis' "Lamentations of Jeremiah" intertwines with Jason Carl Rosenberg's bold composition, "L.O.S.T.," a meditation on grief and renewal. Renaissance polyphony dissolves into modern harmonies, reemerging in an unforgettable performance of timeless music made urgent, intimate, and profoundly human.

FRI. DECEMBER 12, 2025 7PM

IMMEASURABLY BRIGHT

A Holiday Concert

St. Mark's United Methodist Church
3502 Clairemont Dr
San Diego, CA 92117

Like sunlight on snow or the brilliance of a clear winter day, the music of the season brings light to the year's darkest nights. SACRA/PROFANA returns with "Immeasurably Bright," a radiant and joyful holiday concert to warm and uplift the soul.

SAT. FEBRUARY 28, 2026 7PM

THE INFINITE AND THE DIVINE

San Dieguito United Methodist Church
170 Calle Magdalena,
Encinitas, CA 92024

The celestial bodies have inspired artists, philosophers, and theologians throughout human history. Drawing upon choral repertoire spanning centuries and cultures, SACRA/PROFANA will explore different perspectives on the stars, the night sky, and our place in the universe.

SAT. APRIL 25, 2026 7PM

WHERE THE SEA MEETS THE SKY

With Guest Conductor Saunder Choi
San Dieguito United Methodist Church
170 Calle Magdalena,
Encinitas, CA 92024

The season finale is as personal as it is powerful. Curated and conducted by award-winning Filipino-Chinese composer Saunder Choi, this concert journeys across the Pacific with music from the Philippines, China, and the United States. Blending cultural works with Choi's own compositions, it evokes horizons where sea and sky meet in a story of heritage, identity, and discovery.

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