



Houston Madrigal & Chamber Choir Festival

MARCH 8, 2025 THE FOUNDRY CHURCH 8350 JONES ROAD, HOUSTON, TX 77065



American Classic is thrilled to offer our signature choral festival in Houston for the first time. With the San Antonio and North Texas sites full and with waiting lists for 2025, the time was right to expand. The storied history of this premiere festival began in 1972, when Mary Ann Winden founded the Roosevelt Madrigal Festival with the sole purpose of encouraging quality performances of chamber repertoire in a collaborative atmosphere.

The inaugural festival will conclude with performances by two outstanding adult performing groups and the Awards Ceremony. In Houston there are two divisions, each consisting of 32 singers or fewer: 1) Mixed Chamber Ensemble 2) Treble or Tenor Bass Ensemble.

- Hear the marvelous acoustics in the beautiful Foundry Church
- Seek a special "Performance of Distinction" award
- Receive a superb professional recording for archives/future auditions
- Vie for designation as the 2026 Honor Choir in the division(s) you have entered

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