

## The 2016 Festival at a Glance

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**Opening Event - Gala Recital and Reception**  
Trinity Lutheran Church

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**Organ Recital by David Arcus**  
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**Guided Tour - Illuminated Manuscripts:  
Treasures from the Collection**

The Reading Public Museum  
500 Museum Road, Reading

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Saturday, October 15, 7:30 p.m.  
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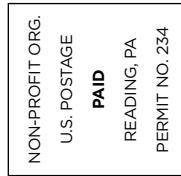
By Lillian Hellman  
Presented by special arrangement with  
Dramatists Play Service, Inc., New York  
WCR Center for the Arts

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# Fall Festival OF THE Arts

SEPTEMBER - OCTOBER 2016  
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*Christ Episcopal Church and Trinity Lutheran Church present the Fall Festival of the Arts as an expression of the covenant they share and as a celebration of God's creative gifts.*

*The Festival invites its church members and the wider community to celebrate, to participate in, and to support excellence in the arts.*

Christ Episcopal Church | 435 Court Street | Reading, PA 19601  
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# Events

# Fall Festival OF THE Arts

## TO PURCHASE TICKETS

### 2016 Opening Event: Gala Recital and Reception

Friday, September 16, 7:00 p.m.  
Trinity Lutheran Church, Nave

Enjoy an hour of music and poetry performed by local student musicians and Reading High students from the Poetry Out Loud project. Poetry Out Loud is a national program in which high school students compete in the recitation of works by recognized poets. Reading High School students have proudly placed at the regional, state and national competitions over the last decade.

Performances and readings will be followed by a reception where you can meet and greet these talented young people and Fall Festival of the Arts enthusiasts. Bring the family and come early! **Free Admission**

### Organ Recital by David Arcus

Sunday, September 25, 4:00 p.m.  
Trinity Lutheran Church, Nave



David Arcus is Parish Musician of St. Matthew's Episcopal Church in Hillsborough, North Carolina, where he oversees adult and junior/youth choral programs and presides at the 1883 Hook & Hastings organ in the early nineteenth century church. He is in demand as a solo recitalist, having performed throughout the United States, Europe, and Great Britain. Dr. Arcus' recitals have included premieres of new works by well-known composers such as Aaron Jay Kernis, Dan Locklair, and Marianne Ploger. His concert audiences particularly enjoy his brilliant improvisational work. **Free will offering**

### Illuminated Manuscripts: Treasures from the Collection - Guided Tour

Friday, September 30  
7:00 p.m.

The Reading Public Museum  
500 Museum Road, Reading

Join us for a guided tour of some of the finest treasures from The Reading Public Museum collection of illuminated manuscripts, followed by dessert and coffee. Group limited to 20 participants so reservations are required. Please call 610-374-4861 to register by September 20.

**\$15.00 payable at the door (cash or check only)**



Joachinus de Gigantibus de Rotenberg (German, active 1440s - 1490s), *Bifolio from Book of Hours* (detail), c. 1469 - 1494, ink on vellum, Museum Purchase.

### Concert: Kurt Weill from Berlin to New York

Friday, October 7, 7:30 p.m.  
WCR Center for the Arts  
140 North 5th Street, Reading

Maria Damore and Lars Potteiger celebrate the brilliant musical legacy of Kurt Weill, composer of *Mack the Knife*, *Speak Low* and *September Song*.

Maria and Lars are the perfect duo to bring Weill's music to the audience. Maria's remarkable voice and her careful respect for turn of phrase in a lyric when paired with Lars' agile facility for Weill's jazzy melodies, make this a concert not to be missed!

**Adults \$20.00, students \$10; payable at the door (cash or check only)**



MARIA DAMORE



LARS POTTEIGER

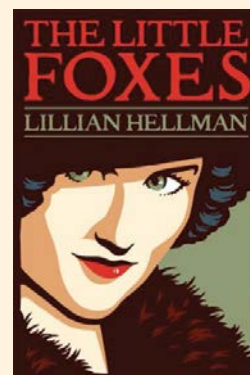
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"Greed knows no time or place" is an adage that holds true in 2016 as much as it did in 1939 when Lillian Hellman's classic American play premiered. Hellman masterfully crafts a tale of family politics and corporate greed that is at once dizzyingly deceptive while being devilishly fun.

The Hubbard family can only be described as ravenous - a family with an uncanny ability to manipulate each other in ways that rival the mega-corporations of today. Discover the lengths a family will go to for success.

Directed by John Gancar (*Mary Stuart*, *James Joyce's The Dead*), the production features many Fall Festival veterans.

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Tickets for 32<sup>nd</sup> Annual Fall Festival events with an admission charge are available at the door. **Cash or personal check only.**

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- Abraham Lincoln Hotel (fee charged)