

The Bala Brass Ensemble

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BALA BRASS CHAMBER MUSIC SERIES

MASSACHUSETTS BASED BALA BRASS GIVES BENEFIT CONCERT

The award-winning chamber ensemble BALA BRASS (www.balabrass.org) will present a Benefit Concert with proceeds going to the Plymouth Task Force for the Homeless on March 7, 2008 at The Church of the Pilgrimage UCC, Plymouth, MA. The program will feature compositions by Dana Wilson, Morley Calvert, and Gustav Holst. Admission to the concert is free to the public with donations gratefully accepted.

BALA has been exciting audiences around the world with its infectious spirit and energetic performances. They have recently been featured Artists at the **International Trumpet Guild Conference**, **The New York Brass Conference**, and **The Northeast Tuba Euphonium Conference**. Bala has also been involved in numerous world premiers collaborating with award winning composers.

ABOUT BALA: As a brass quintet dedicated to furthering the art of brass music performance, BALA was the first group of its kind to be invited to participate in the *Osaka International Chamber Music Festa* in Japan in 2002. BALA was also awarded the bronze medal at the *2001 Fischhoff Chamber Music Competition* as well as being honored as a finalist in the *2001 Coleman Chamber Music Competition*. Recently the quintet has been enthusiastically received in such venues as Von der Mehden Recital Hall at the University of Connecticut, Bezanson Recital Hall at the University of Massachusetts Amherst, Pickman Concert Hall at the Longy School of Music, Harvard University, and the University of Indiana.

EVENT:

7:00 pm
Friday, March 7, 2008
The Church of the Pilgrimage UCC
8 Town Square, Plymouth, MA
Admission: Free

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