A heartwarming celebration returns with The Tabernacle Choir and Orchestra

Also This Month Call the Midwife Christmas Specials
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Craft in America
Friday, December 16
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Let Maine Public be the soundtrack for your holiday season!

Celebrate the season with Maine Public’s Classical Holiday Stream – a delightful selection of seasonal music from the Boston Pops, the Tanglewood Festival Chorus, the Canadian Brass, the Cambridge Singers, and a host of others.

The Classical Holiday stream is available day and night at mainepublic.org and on the Maine Public app whenever you need just the right music to accompany your holiday preparations and celebrations. Unsure of how to access our streaming services including the holiday stream? Go to mainepublic.org and click on “Maine Public Holiday Stream” under the Classical tab and you’ll find easy to follow instructions there!

The Maine Public Classical Holiday Stream is made possible by the support of our members – thank you! – and the generosity of the Good Shepherd Food Bank, the Maine State Music Theater, Eastern Mold Remediation, Rising Tide Co-Op, Richard Parks Furniture Gallery, and Central Maine Power.

Dash of Maine Cooking Challenge is cooking!

The recipes have already started rolling in for Maine Public’s Dash of Maine Cooking Challenge. Our first submission was a Maple Pumpkin-Pecan Pie with Whiskey Butter Sauce recipe! At stake? Two winners will each receive a $250 gift certificate to Now You’re Cooking in Bath. Submit a favorite recipe and a photo of your completed dish by MIDNIGHT, Wednesday, December 14, to Maine Public at fun@mainepublic.org. Go to our website, mainepublic.org, for all the details! Winners will be selected by Maine chefs Stephen Corry (Petite Jacqueline and 555 North) and David Turin (David’s and David’s 388). A HUGE thanks to our Dash of Maine Cooking Challenge sponsors – Central Maine Power and Real Maine – without whose support these types of experiences would not be possible.

See if you know all that and more!

We have two News & Brews trivia nights planned for December. We’ll be returning to Side By Each in Auburn on Thursday, December 8, from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. and to the Maine Beer Company in Freeport on Wednesday, December 14, from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Be sure to register your team in advance by emailing anew@mainepublic.org and please show up by 5:30 to check in, get a seat, and be ready to play! Winning teams get bragging rights, gift certificates, and custom Maine Public gear. A SHOUT OUT to the team at Live + Work in Maine for their support of News & Brews and helping make these events possible.

Our Book Club wraps up 2022!

We hope you’ve had a chance to read our last All Books Considered Book Club selection of the year: Downeast: Five Maine Girls and the Unseen Story of Rural America by Gigi Georges. That book club meeting is coming right up – Thursday, December 15, at 7:00 p.m. – and will be hosted by Cindy Han. Have a question in advance for the author? Send it over to us at fun@mainepublic.org and Cindy will do her best to work it into the conversation. Be sure to pick up a copy from our exceptional book club sponsor – Bull Moose – or from any of our book club partner bookstores found on our website, mainepublic.org.
December Television Specials

Daniel Emmet & Pia Toscano, Simply the Best
*Friday, December 2, 9:00 pm*

Two powerhouse vocalists team up in a concert that embodies simply the best music from across the generations. Daniel Emmet and Pia Toscano, who both currently tour with Grammy-winning producer David Foster, are bona fide stars who exemplify elegance, beauty and show-stopping, stunning vocals. The dynamite duo perform solos and duets with songs that span across the genres, from The Beatles, Elvis, The Righteous Brothers, Celine Dion, Puccini, and so much more, all intertwined with personal memories and humor. The evening is filled with audience favorites such as “Can’t Help Falling in Love,” “Beauty & The Beast,” “Unchained Melody,” “All By Myself” and “Nessun Dorma.”

**O Holy Night: Christmas with the Tabernacle Choir**
*Tuesday, December 13, 8:00 pm  Sunday, December 25, 8:00 pm*

It’s a night of music and musings with the return of a beloved annual celebration of songs and holiday traditions! The Tabernacle Choir and Orchestra welcome Broadway performer Megan Hilty as guest artist and actor Neal McDonough as narrator. Hilty and McDonough join the festivities to deliver a deeply personal program that weaves together well-known holiday tunes and classic Christmas carols. This year’s theme features traditional Irish musical numbers and storytelling about the role of family and celebrations at this time of year. With the splendid offerings of the choir and orchestra, the result is an uplifting holiday and musical feast that inspires hope and invites the peace of the season.

**Call the Midwife Christmas Specials**
*Begin Sunday, December 25, at 2:00 pm*

It’s a heartwarming afternoon and evening of *Call the Midwife* when three Christmas specials from the past re-air on December 25 between 2:00 and 6:30 p.m. Then, at 9:00 and 10:30 p.m., the midwives and Sisters at Nonnatus House are back as well as other familiar faces in a new Christmas presentation. In this year’s compelling story, there is plenty of drama as well as some holiday cheer. With Christmas approaching, the midwives move to their maternity clinic and are delighted when their first patient is someone they know. Life in Poplar is returning to normal after last season’s tragic train crash, and everyone unites for a festive talent show.

In a star-studded event on Wednesday, December 14, at 8:00 p.m., Prince William’s prestigious environmental award, The Earthshot Prize, is given to this year’s five winners for their innovative solutions to help repair our planet. The award has an ambitious goal that aims to tackle our biggest environmental challenges.
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**6 Monday**

8:00-10:00 pm SymphonyCast

Saint Paul Chamber Orchestra, Pekka Kuusisto, conductor and violin; Cindy Cox: Dreaming a World’s Edge; Vaughan Williams: The Lark Ascending; Farrèn: Symphony No. 3.

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**8 Thursday**

7:00 pm Chanukah in Story and Song

The Western Wind performs Ladino songs of Spanish Jews, Yiddish melodies of Eastern Europe and more.

8:00-10:00 pm New York Philharmonic

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8:00-10:00 pm New York Philharmonic

Prokofiev: Selections from Romeo and Juliet; Tchaikovsky: Symphony No. 5.

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7:00 pm A Choral Christmas With Stile Antico

Choral group VocalEssence performs.

8:00 am Welcome Christmas

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9:00 am A Choral Christmas With Stile Antico

Stile Antico offers radiant sacred music.
from the Renaissance.
10:00 am Christmas with the Morehouse and Spelman Glee Clubs
   The choirs perform a joyous mixture of spirituals and carols.
11:00 am A Soulful Christmas
   Black music and composers present choral music, spiritual and jazz-inspired styles.
12:00 pm All Is Bright
   Sacred choral music is by Cantus, Chanticleer and the Cambridge Singers.
1:00 pm Maine Public Classical Holiday Special
   Our Classical hosts celebrate the season with stories and memories of favorite music.
5:00 pm Boston Baroque Presents Handel's Messiah
9:00-10:00 pm Winter Holidays Around the World
   Music from many traditions joyfully celebrate the holidays.
26 Monday
7:00 pm The Sounds of Kwanzaa
8:00-10:00 pm SymphonyCast
   Czech Philharmonic, Daniil Trifonov, piano; Selina Ott, trumpet. Shostakovich: Piano Concerto No. 1; Rachmaninoff: "Ne poj, krasavico"; Dvorák: Symphony No. 8.
27 Tuesday
8:00-10:00 pm Chicago Symphony Orchestra
   Handel: Messiah, Part 1; Kiri Te Kanawa, soprano; Anne Gjevang, contralto; Keith Lewis, tenor; Gwynne Howell, bass-baritone. Gabrieli/Crees: Selections; Gabrieli/Block: Cantus, Chanticleer and the Cambridge Singers.

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17 Saturday
10:00 pm-12:00 am Echoes Winter Solstice
   A sleighful of sounds takes us into winter.

18 Sunday
7:00 pm Chanukah Memories
   The Maine Rebbetzin, Lisa Mayer, shares stories and songs for the Festival of Lights.
7:30 pm Chanukah Tales
   Eight food-inspired stories explain traditional Chanukah dishes.
8:00-9:00 pm Selected Shorts
   "Holidays with Mom"

19 Monday
2:00-3:00 pm Hanukkah Lights
   Selected stories from past years are read.
7:00-8:00 pm Chanukah in Story and Song
   The Western Wind performs Ladino songs of Spanish Jews, Yiddish melodies of Eastern Europe and more.

20 Tuesday
2:00-3:00 pm Candles Burning Brightly
   Food, traditional activities and plenty of music celebrate Chanukah.

21 Wednesday
7:00-8:00 pm A Paul Winter Solstice
   The Paul Winter Consort and guests offer music on the darkest night of the year.

23 Friday
7:00-8:00 pm A Chanukah Celebration
   Chicago a cappella performs Jewish choral music.

24 Saturday
6:00 am A Chanticleer Christmas
7:00-8:00 am The One Recipe Holiday Special
   Host Jesse Sparks and guests talk about their “One,” the recipe that signals that the holiday has begun!
10:00 am A Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols
   Christmas eve services air live from King’s College in Cambridge, England.
12:00 pm Festivo Alt.Latino
   Gaby Moreno and her band perform tracks from her holiday album Posada. Guests are Gina Chavez and Chicoano Zen bandleader Michael Ramos.
1:00 pm All Is Bright
   Sacred choral music is by Cantus, Chanticleer and the Cambridge Singers.
2:00 pm A Soulful Christmas
   Black music and composers present choral music, spiritual and jazz-inspired styles.
3:00 pm Tinsel Tales
   “NPR Christmas Favorites”
4:00-5:00 pm Tinsel Tales 2
   “More Christmas Favorites”
6:00 pm A Mountain Stage Holiday
8:00 pm Jonathan Winters’ A Christmas Carol
9:00 pm Joy to the World
   “Holiday in Pink” The little orchestra Pink Martini plays songs from across the globe.
10:00 pm All Songs Considered for the Holiday Extravaganza
11:00 pm-1:00 am An Echoes Christmas
   Singer Mary Fahl offers a live performance.

25 Sunday
5:00 am A Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols
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   Choral group VocalEssence performs.
10:00 am St. Olaf Christmas Festival
   The choirs perform sacred choral works.
12:00 pm Christmas with the Morehouse and Spelman Glee Clubs
   The choirs perform a joyous mixture of spirituals and carols.
1:00 pm An Afro Blue Christmas
   Howard University’s a cappella group and pianist Cyrus Chestnut perform.
2:00 pm Jazz Piano Christmas 38
3:00 pm The Film Score: Music for the Winter Holidays
   “White Christmas” and other songs from wintertime movies are featured.
4:00-5:00 pm The Big Tiny Desk Holiday Special
   Guests are Sharon Jones & The Dap-Kings, Steve Martin, Hansson and more.
6:00 pm Tinsel Tales 3: Even More
   NPR voices tell stories of the season.
7:00 pm Tinsel Tales 4: So Much More
   More Christmas stories from NPR.
8:00 am A World Café Holiday
9:00 pm A Choral Christmas With Stile Antico
   Stile Antico offers radiant sacred music from the Renaissance.
10:00 pm A Chanticleer Christmas
   The superb 12-man ensemble sings holiday favorites new and old.
11:00 pm-12:00 am All Is Bright
   Sacred choral music is by Cantus, Chanticleer and the Cambridge Singers.

26 Monday
2:00-3:00 pm A Season’s Griot
   Kwanzaa is celebrated in story and song.
7:00-8:00 pm The Sounds of Kwanzaa
   Kwanzaa’s history, its guiding principles and music honor the holiday.

31 Saturday
8:00 pm-12:00 am Toast of the Nation
   Ring in the New Year with lively jazz.
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<td>Nitty Gritty Dirt Band: 50 Years and Circlin’ Back - The band’s musical milestones and hits are celebrated with guests Vince Gill, John Prine, Jackson Browne, Alisa Krauss, Rodney Crowell, Jerry Jeff Walker, Jimmy Ibbotson, Sam Bush, Jerry Douglas and Byron House. (Ends 11:00 pm)</td>
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<td>Dolly Parton: I Will Always Love You - The beloved singer-songwriter’s career is celebrated with songs that include “Coat of Many Colors,” “Here You Come Again” and “9 to 5.”</td>
<td>Reba McEntire: My Chains Are Gone - Country music superstar Reba McEntire sings classic hymns and songs of hope from her debut gospel album and is joined by guests Trisha Yearwood, the Issacs, and Kelly Clarkson. (Ends 11:00 pm)</td>
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<td>Washington Week</td>
<td>Firing Line with Margaret Hoover</td>
<td>The Doobie Brothers with Michael McDonald: 50th Anniversary of Radio City - The Doobie Brothers became instrumental in turning the “SoCa” sounds of the ‘60s into ‘70s radio gold. Michael McDonald breathed new life into classic R&amp;B songs like “What a Fool Believes.”</td>
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<td>American Experience Test Tube Babies - In 1978, the birth of the world’s first successful test tube baby stirred debate over the limits of science. (Ends 11:00 pm)</td>
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<td>Sister Boniface Mysteries - A jigsaw puzzle is a vital clue. Father Brown - A child killer is found dead.</td>
<td>Mary Berry’s Country House at Christmas</td>
<td>Broadchurch Season 2 (5 of 8) New information forces Hardy and Ellie to re-evaluate what they believe; is it possible that they’ve been wrong about everything so far? (Ends 11:00 pm)</td>
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<td>Margaret receives an unexpected offer from Henry. The three families collide at a wedding, and Henry’s past is revealed.</td>
<td>Masterpiece Howards End (4 of 4) Margaret and Tibby get Henry to help resolve issues at Howards End, where the three families have a showdown. (Ends 11:00 pm)</td>
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  - **Jon Stewart: The Mark Twain Prize**: - A star-studded lineup pays tribute to the comedian, producer, author and social activist from the Kennedy Center stage in Washington, DC. (Ends 11:00 pm)

**Create**:
- **America’s Kitchen Irish Staples**
- **Cook Well with Rory O’Connell**
- **The Great American Recipe If I Were a Recipe**
- **Rick Steves Central Turkey**
- **Travelscope Taiwan**
- **PBS NewsHour**

**World**:
- **(7:00 pm) The Ornament**
- **Emery Blagdon Life on the Line The Surge**
- **Stories from Stage Sugar & Spice**
- **Nature Cat**
- **Ready Jet Go!**
- **Cyberchase**
- **Molly of Denali**

**PBS Kids**:
- **Alma’s Way**
- **Pinkalicious & Peterrific**
- **Nature Cat**
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- **December 26**
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  - **Jon Stewart: The Mark Twain Prize**: - A star-studded lineup pays tribute to the comedian, producer, author and social activist from the Kennedy Center stage in Washington, DC. (Ends 11:00 pm)

**Create**:
- **Chris Kimball Taste of Vietnam**
- **Cook Well with Rory O’Connell**
- **The Great American Recipe The Daily Dish**
- **Rick Steves Central Turkey**
- **Travelscope Taiwan**
- **PBS NewsHour**

**World**:
- **Ancient Skies Finding the Center**
- **Ancient Skies Our Place in the Universe**
- **Nature Cat**
- **Ready Jet Go!**
- **Cyberchase**
- **Molly of Denali**

**PBS Kids**:
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- **Pinkalicious & Peterrific**
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- **December 27**
  - **American Masters Groucho & Cavett**: The enduring friendship between television personality Dick Cavett and his mentor, iconic comedian Groucho Marx, is chronicled.
  - **Jon Stewart: The Mark Twain Prize**: - A star-studded lineup pays tribute to the comedian, producer, author and social activist from the Kennedy Center stage in Washington, DC. (Ends 11:00 pm)

**Create**:
- **Chris Kimball Taste of Vietnam**
- **Cook Well with Rory O’Connell**
- **The Great American Recipe Love Language**
- **Rick Steves France’s Loire**
- **Outside: Beyond Calif. Foothills**
- **PBS NewsHour**

**World**:
- **(7:00 pm) The Dalai Lama**
- **POV An Act of Worship**
- **Spiritual Audacity: Abraham Joshua Heschel Story**
- **Nature Cat**
- **Ready Jet Go!**
- **Cyberchase**
- **Molly of Denali**

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**Main (HD)**:
- **December 28**
  - **American Masters Groucho & Cavett**: The enduring friendship between television personality Dick Cavett and his mentor, iconic comedian Groucho Marx, is chronicled.
  - **Jon Stewart: The Mark Twain Prize**: - A star-studded lineup pays tribute to the comedian, producer, author and social activist from the Kennedy Center stage in Washington, DC. (Ends 11:00 pm)

**Create**:
- **Lidia’s Kitchen Elegant Eats**
- **Cook Well with Rory O’Connell**
- **The Great American Recipe Moveable Feasts**
- **Rick Steves Paris Side-Trips**
- **Travelscope Taiwan**
- **PBS NewsHour**

**World**:
- **(7:00 pm) The Dalai Lama**
- **POV An Act of Worship**
- **Spiritual Audacity: Abraham Joshua Heschel Story**
- **Nature Cat**
- **Ready Jet Go!**
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**Main (HD)**:
- **December 29**
  - **American Masters Groucho & Cavett**: The enduring friendship between television personality Dick Cavett and his mentor, iconic comedian Groucho Marx, is chronicled.
  - **Jon Stewart: The Mark Twain Prize**: - A star-studded lineup pays tribute to the comedian, producer, author and social activist from the Kennedy Center stage in Washington, DC. (Ends 11:00 pm)

**Create**:
- **Chris Kimball Everyday Venice**
- **Cook Well with Rory O’Connell**
- **The Great American Recipe Moveable Feasts**
- **Rick Steves Paris Side-Trips**
- **Travelscope Taiwan**
- **PBS NewsHour**

**World**:
- **America Reframed Drivers Wanted**
- **Spiritual Audacity: Abraham Joshua Heschel Story**
- **Nature Cat**
- **Ready Jet Go!**
- **Cyberchase**
- **Molly of Denali**

**PBS Kids**:
- **Alma’s Way**
- **Pinkalicious & Peterrific**
- **Nature Cat**
- **Ready Jet Go!**
- **Cyberchase**
- **Molly of Denali**

**Main (HD)**:
- **December 30**
  - **American Masters Groucho & Cavett**: The enduring friendship between television personality Dick Cavett and his mentor, iconic comedian Groucho Marx, is chronicled.
  - **Jon Stewart: The Mark Twain Prize**: - A star-studded lineup pays tribute to the comedian, producer, author and social activist from the Kennedy Center stage in Washington, DC. (Ends 11:00 pm)

**Create**:
- **The Great American Recipe Moveable Feasts**
- **The Great American Recipe Party on a Plate**
- **The Great American Recipe Mix It Up**
- **Rick Steves Paris Side-Trips**
- **Travelscope Taiwan**
- **PBS NewsHour**

**World**:
- **(7:00 pm) A. Masters Norman Lear**
- **American Masters Groucho & Cavett**
- **PBS NewsHour**

**PBS Kids**:
- **WordGirl**
- **Odd Squad**
- **Nature Cat**
- **Ready Jet Go!**
- **Cyberchase**
- **Molly of Denali**
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### Main (HD) Television Weekend Listings
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**3 Saturday**

- **6:30 am** Dr. Fuhrman’s Food As Medicine
- **8:30 am** Suze Orman’s Ultimate Retirement
- **10:30 am** The Dean Martin and Frank Sinatra Family Christmas Show
  - The two stars and their families come together for this memorable Christmas celebration filmed in 1967.
- **12:00 pm** Andy Williams: Greatest Love Songs
  - The romantic crooner’s best-loved songs are performed, including “Moon River,” “Love Story,” “Dear Heart” and “Born Free.”
- **1:30 pm** Magic Moments: The Best of 50s Pop
  - Phyllis McGuire, Pat Boone and Nick Clooney host this nostalgic trip back to the 1950s.
- **4:00 pm** Celtic Woman: Postcards from Ireland
  - The ensemble goes on a musical journey through stunning land and seascapes around Ireland.
- **6:00 pm** Washington Week
- **6:30 pm** PBS News Weekend
- **7:00 pm** Andy Williams: Greatest Love Songs
  - The romantic crooner’s best-loved songs are performed, including “Moon River,” “Love Story,” “Dear Heart” and “Born Free.”
- **9:00 pm** This Land Is Your Land
  - The Smothers Brothers and Judy Collins take a musical journey through the evolution of modern American folk music.
- **10:00 pm** The Who Hits 50!
  - In this 2015 performance the band performed many of their classic hits, including “My Generation,” “Who Are You” and “You Better You Bet.”
- **11:30 pm-1:30 am** Suze Orman’s Ultimate Retirement

**4 Sunday**

- **6:30 am** The Buddha
- **9:00 am** Frontline
  - “From Jesus to Christ: The First Christians”
- **2:00 pm** Suze Orman’s Ultimate Retirement
- **4:00 pm** John Sebastian Presents: Folk Rewind
  - Sebastian focuses on the greatest singers and songwriters of the classic 1950s and ’60s folk era.
- **6:00 pm** Firing Line with Margaret Hoover
- **6:30 pm** PBS News Weekend
- **7:00 pm** Burt Bacharach’s Best
  - Dionne Warwick, Tom Jones, Dusty Springfield, The Carpenters, B.J. Thomas and others perform the composer’s hits.
- **8:30 pm** Riverdance 25th Anniversary Show
  - Catapulting “Riverdance” into the 21st century, this cinematic experience immerses viewers in the extraordinary energy and passion of Irish music and dance.
- **10:30 pm-12:30 am** 60s Pop, Rock & Soul
  - Featured are hits and favorites of the AM era perform, including Frankie Laine, Herman’s Hermits, Davy Jones of The Monkees and more.

**10 Saturday**

- **6:00 pm** Aging Backwards 3 with Miranda Esmonde-White
- **8:00 pm** Deepak Chopra: Becoming Metahuman
- **9:30 am** Pain Secrets: The Science of Everyday Pain
- **11:30 am** Doo Wop, Pop and Soul Generations
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- **6:30 pm** PBS News Weekend
- **7:00 pm** The Dean Martin and Frank Sinatra Family Christmas Show
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- **8:30 pm** Frankie Valli & The Four Seasons: A Life on Stage
  - It’s a trip down memory lane with the “Jersey Boys” on the 60th anniversary of the release of The Four Seasons’ first hit, “Sherry.”
- **10:00 pm** Classical Rewind
- **11:30 pm-1:30 am** Pain Secrets

**11 Sunday**

- **8:00 am** Nature
  - “Snow Bears”
- **9:30 am** Joyful Pain Free Living with Lee Albert
- **11:30 am** Rick Steves European Christmas
  - Moments to Remember
  - Legends of the late ’50s and early ’60s pop era perform, including Frankie Laine, The Four Aces, and The Platters.
- **1:30 pm** Country Pop Legends
  - Country music legend Roy Clark hosts a collection of top country hits from the 1950s to ’70s, with performances from Glen Campbell, Crystal Gayle and more.
- **6:00 pm** Firing Line with Margaret Hoover
- **6:30 pm** PBS News Weekend
- **7:00 pm** Les Miserables 25th Anniversary
  - The 25th anniversary of the legendary musical was marked with a concert featuring more than 500 actors and musicians.
- **11:00 pm-1:00 am** 5 Steps to a Loving & Purposeful Life

**17 Saturday**

- **9:00 am** Garden Smart
- **9:30 am** Tonya & Porter’s Love of Quilting
- **10:00 am** Ciao Italia
- **10:30 am** How She Rolls
- **11:00 am** Christina Cooks
- **11:30 am** Lidia’s Kitchen
- **12:00 pm** Sara’s Weeknight Meals
- **12:30 pm** My Greek Table
- **1:00 pm** Cook’s Country
- **1:30 pm** America’s Test Kitchen
- **2:00 pm** Hungry Now
  - The twisted path from childhood food insecurity to a homeless adult is studied.
- **3:00 pm** Ask This Old House
- **3:30 pm** This Old House
- **4:00 pm** Make48
- **4:30 pm** Ray Stevens Cabaray Nashville
  - “Angaleena Presley”
- **5:00 pm** The Lawrence Welk Show
- **6:00 pm** Washington Week
- **6:30 pm** PBS News Weekend
- **7:00 pm** As Time Goes By
  - Jean and Lionel are alone for the weekend.

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7:30 pm  Sister Boniface Mysteries
   A woman is found dead with a jigsaw puzzle.
8:15 pm  Father Brown
   A child killer is found dead.
9:00 pm  Mary Berry’s Country House at Christmas
10:00 pm  Broadchurch
   Season 2 (5 of 8) Hardy and Ellie re-evaluate what they believe. Is it possible that they’ve been wrong about everything so far?
11:00 pm-12:00 am  Austin City Limits
   “The War and Treaty/Ruthie Foster”

18  Sunday
8:00 am  Earth’s Sacred Wonders
   “House of the Divine” (1 of 3)
9:00 am  Earth’s Sacred Wonders
   “Closer to the Divine” (2 of 3)
10:00 am  Earth’s Sacred Wonders
   “Visions of the Divine” (3 of 3)
11:00 am  The Magic of Christmas in Alsace
   Christmas is celebrated in small towns and villages in a region of France.
11:30 am  Joseph Rosendo’s Travelscope
   “Taiwan”
12:00 pm  Rick Steves’ Europe
   “Ethiopia”
12:30 pm  Make48
1:00 pm  This Old House
1:30 pm  Ask This Old House
2:00 pm  Masterpiece
   “Poldark 5” (2 of 8) Demelza and the children become caught in a dangerous web.
3:00 pm  Masterpiece
   “Poldark 5” (3 of 8) Ross helps Ned, but at a cost.
4:00 pm  American Experience
   “Billy Graham” The life of one of the most influential Christian leaders of the 20th century is explored.
6:00 pm  Firing Line with Margaret Hoover
6:30 pm  PBS News Weekend
7:00 pm  Masterpiece
   “Howards End” (1 of 4) A misunderstanding sets into motion a series of events that intertwine the lives of three families.
8:00 pm  Masterpiece
   “Howards End” (2 of 4) Mrs. Wilcox made a final request regarding Howards End. The Schlegels face eviction.
9:00 pm  Masterpiece
   “Howards End” (3 of 4) The three families collide at a wedding, and Henry’s past is revealed.
10:00 pm  Masterpiece
   “Howards End” (4 of 4) At Howards End, the three families have a showdown.
11:00 pm-12:00 am  Seaside Hotel

24  Saturday
9:00 am  Garden Smart
   “Trees: Planting and Care”
9:30 am  Fons & Porter’s Love of Quilting
   “Remembered”
10:00 am  Ciao Italia
   “Artistic Salads”
10:30 am  How She Rolls
   “Speaking of Biscuits”
11:00 am  Christina Cooks
   “Want to Be a Happier Camper?”
11:30 am  Lidia’s Kitchen
   “Rethink Risotto”
12:00 pm  Sara’s Weeknight Meals
   “The World in a Meatball”
12:30 pm  My Greek Table
   “Sephardic Cooking of Thessaloniki”
1:00 pm  Cook’s Country
1:30 pm  America’s Test Kitchen
   “Vindaloo and Chana Masala”
2:00 pm  Hopeful: The Story of MaineWorks
   A company based in Portland, Maine, exclusively employs ex-cons and people in recovery.
3:00 pm  Mary Berry’s Ultimate Christmas
   The beloved British home cook and friends prepare her ultimate Christmas feast.
4:00 pm  A St. Thomas Christmas: Bloom Eternal
   “Lo How a Rose E’er Blooming” by Roger Cichy and other music celebrates the Advent season.
5:00 pm  St. Olaf Christmas Festival: Love Divine
   Featuring familiar carols and beloved choral works, the theme “Love Divine” is explored in this cherished, annual tradition.
6:00 pm  Washington Week
6:30 pm  PBS News Weekend
7:00 pm  The Magic of Christmas in Alsace
   Christmas is celebrated in small towns and villages in a region of France.
7:30 pm  Christmas Greetings from Aroostook
   Featured are music, food and celebrations in this inspired edition of this annual tradition.
8:00 pm  O Holy Night: Christmas with the Tabernacle Choir
   Broadway performer Megan Hilty and actor Neal McDonough help celebrate the holidays through music and storytelling in an Irish-inspired edition of this annual tradition.
9:00 pm  Call the Midwife Holiday Special
   With Christmas approaching, the midwives move to their maternity clinic. Everyone unites for a festive talent show.
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31  Saturday
6:00 am  Maine Public Favorites
2:00 pm  I Come from Away: An Immigrant in Maine
3:00 pm  Aging Backwards 2
4:00 pm  Lawrence Welk’s TV Treasures
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6:30 pm  PBS News Weekend
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11:00 pm-12:00 am  Maine Public Favorites
Hopeful: The Story of MaineWorks
Thursday, December 22, 9:00 pm; Saturday, December 24, 2:00 pm

In 2010, Margo Walsh literally built a business from her kitchen table. She created an innovative employment company with a social mission: to dignify the experience for people who face real barriers to workforce reentry. Her company, MaineWorks, based in Portland, Maine, exclusively employs ex-convicts and people in recovery for jobs in the construction field. In this uplifting portrait of an American entrepreneur with a social conscience, many of her employees share their stories of hope. Maine’s Governor Janet Mills and Senator Angus King point out how Margo’s model is ripe for both state and nationwide roll-outs. MaineWorks is already operational throughout Maine and expanding into five other states. Margo was part of the discussion for staffing for the future as the Infrastructure bill worked its way through Congress. MaineWorks gives people a second chance to rebuild their lives, and provide a pathway back to the community and redemption.

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