

Chamber Players Series

Messiaen's Quartet for the End of Time

April 24, 2014 ~ 8 p.m.

The Lyceum
Alexandria, Va.

featuring

Senior Master Sgt. Bill Tortolano, violin

Master Sgt. C. Franklin McKinster, cello

Master Sgt. Steven Erickson, piano

Technical Sgt. Ben Bowers, clarinet

Upcoming Thursday Concerts

Jewish Community Center of Greater Washington
6125 Montrose Road, Rockville, Md.
All concerts begin at 8 p.m.

May 1 - "An Evening of Jazz: Trumpet/Saxophone Quintet"

May 8 - "Traditional Music of Ireland featuring Celtic Aire"

May 15 - "Contemporary Music Ensemble"

May 22 - "Music for Clarinet and Voice Trio"

For more information, please call our concert line at
202-767-5658 or visit our website:
www.usafband.af.mil



Aim High ... Fly, Fight, Win

Olivier Messiaen
(1908 – 1992)

Quatour pour la fin du temps (Quartet for the End of Time)

1. Liturgie de cristal

(Crystal liturgy)

2. Vocalise, pour l'Ange qui annonce la fin du Temps

(Vocalise, for the Angel who announces the end of time)

3. Abime des oiseaux

(Abyss of birds)

4. Intermede

(Interlude)

5. Louange a l'Eternite de Jesus

(Praise to the eternity of Jesus)

6. Danse de la futeur, pour les sept trompettes

(Dance of fury, for the seven trumpets)

7. Fouillis d'arcs-en-ciel, pour l'Ange qui annonce la fin du Temps

(Tangle of rainbows, for the Angel who announces the end of time)

8. Louange a l'immortalite de Jesus

(Praise to the immortality of Jesus)

Due to the nature of the work, we ask that you refrain from applause at the conclusion of tonight's concert. However, please stop by and chat with us. We'd love to meet you and talk about what we do for our nation's Air Force.

Col. Larry H. Lang, *Commander & Conductor*

The United States Air Force Band

Master Sgt. Jeremy Koch, *Noncommissioned Officer in Charge*

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