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Alexandria, VA - Come and experience the music of Pro Coro Alexandria as they sing about nostalgic trips to the seaside in *To the Sea*! Did your spring break end too soon? Are you dreaming of your next trip to the beach? Perhaps you're longing to relax by the tranquil waters. If so, this concert is for you!

Join Alexandria Choral Society's chamber ensemble Pro Coro Alexandria as we explore music written about water and the sea. We'll start with music from the earliest Gregorian chants and chorales and move onto Debussy's impressionist soundscape, "Les Berceaux." Our water filled exploration will continue with music by Alexandria native B.E. Boykin, sea shanties, and popular favorites like Shenandoah, Let the River Run, and The Wellerman. And watch out for the Drunken Sailor!

ACS is excited to partner with Del Ray Artisans for *To the Sea*! There will be artists live sketching among audience members during the show, as they use our music to inspire their art! Their artwork will be available for purchase immediately following the performance.

Saturday, April 20th at 7:00pm

Westminster Presbyterian Church, [2701 Cameron Mills Rd, Alexandria, VA 22302]

Tickets available at: <https://www.alexandriachoralsociety.org/pca-to-the-sea>

There will be one more chance to see ACS perform after this concert! ACS's 54th season comes to a close in May with a concert filled with music of love, healing, and growth entitled *Just As I Am*, featuring the winners of our annual Sing Off Grant, the Alexandria City High School Advanced Choir and their director, Theodore Thorpe III. Thank you to all who have supported ACS this season!

Brace yourself for celebration as we gear up to commemorate our 55th season! At ACS, we're not just about performances; we're about YOU and the vibrant Alexandria community we passionately serve. Imagine a fusion of voices across Alexandria, blending ensembles of various ages and musical genres in perfect harmony. To celebrate, ACS is teaming up with a stellar lineup of local Alexandria-based choirs throughout our season! Stay connected with us at our website alexandriachoralsociety.org or @alexchoral on Instagram to learn more. Join us for what may be our most fantastic season to date!

About the Alexandria Choral Society:

Since its founding in 1970, the Alexandria Choral Society has delighted audiences year in and year out. For half a century, ACS has enriched the Alexandria community with a broad spectrum of choral works, from the Renaissance to modern American composers, from small chamber pieces to major works for chorus and orchestra, and from a great variety of musical cultures. With thoughtful programming, including several world premieres, ACS is expanding the choral repertoire in the city of Alexandria and greater Washington region.

For more information visit alexandriachoralsociety.org. Follow ACS on [Facebook](#) and [Instagram](#).

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