



Help spread joy and goodwill... at Christmas, and all year long.

The Street Haven Women's Choir



Singing lifts you up... It's serenity for me, singing. It's bringing back my voice. It's a good feeling when you go in front of people, you're not being judged, but being heard.

—Street Haven Women's Choir Member

The Toronto Choral Society is proud to introduce you to our sister choir, the Street Haven Women's Choir.

Street Haven is a multi-faceted organization located in downtown Toronto, serving women through emergency shelter beds, addiction services, a learning centre, and supportive housing. To learn more about Street Haven and find out how you can help, please visit their website at www.streethaven.com or call 416-967-6060 ext. 225.

The Street Haven Women's Choir was begun in 2000 by Geoffrey Butler for women who use the services of Street Haven, as well as staff and friends. Every week, at the Street Haven shelter, the choir learns music ranging from Mozart to modern folk songs.

In the past few years, the Street Haven choir has made a number of public appearances, and has been featured in several news articles and showcased on local television programs.

But even more important is the sense of pride and accomplishment that members gain from learning and performing, and the joy and sense of community that music brings them every time they gather to sing.

The Street Haven Women's Choir is funded through the Toronto Choral Society and with private donations. To learn more about the choir, find out how you can support it, or arrange for a performance, visit the Street Haven Women's Choir page on the TCS website www.torontochoralsociety.org or call 416-410-3509.

Please join us in early 2012 for a benefit concert to support the Street Haven Women's Choir! Details will be available in January from choir members and the TCS website at www.torontochoralsociety.org.

The Toronto Choral Society sincerely thanks Toronto Firefighters' Association Operation Christmas Tree for their generous ongoing support of the Street Haven Women's Choir.