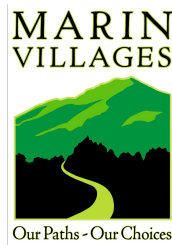


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THINGS TO DO--HOLIDAY EDITION!

December 21, 2020

SHOWS AND MUSIC FOR THE SEASON

[Meet Me in Saint Louis](#) – A holiday special in song and on screen through January 2nd. Pay what you can; \$25 suggested price.

Transcendence Theater Company Online Broadway Holiday Show – December 18 – 23, 8:00pm for evening shows and 4:30pm for matinees. Appears to be a pay-what-you-wish ticket. Check online [here](#).

[Christmas Carol On Air](#) – A.C.T. moves its annual Christmas carol holiday show online. Ticket prices vary. Some include commemorative books for kids.

[The Nutcracker](#) – **SF Ballet** digital version, both filmed and interactive. Tickets are \$49 and allow 48 hours for viewing. Runs until December 31.

[The Nutcracker](#) – **NY City Ballet**, December 11 to December 31. Tickets for a single viewing are \$25. Options for on-demand viewing are available too. You may have to sign up for a 30-day free trial of Marquee TV.

The Nutcracker with other companies – [Check out Playbill](#) for a complete list.

[Three Decembers](#) – A chamber opera presented by Opera San Jose; on-demand streaming December 3 through December 31. Music by Jake Hegge, libretto by Gene Scheer. Based on an unpublished play by Terrence McNally. \$40

[39 Holiday Movies to Watch on Netflix Now](#)

[A Chanticleer Christmas: from Darkness to Light](#) – A new film of this iconic SF group. December 15 to January 1, \$25.

[Kung Pao Kosher Comedy Online](#) – Shows December 24, 25 and 26 on sale now. \$25 – \$50 (pay what you wish). Answers the perennial question: what are Jews supposed to do on Christmas?

[Christmas at Grace Cathedral](#) – Concerts and services

[Oh, Tannebaum](#), played on bells – The SF Boys Chorus

[2020 Holiday TV Schedule](#)

IN CASE YOU NEED A BREAK FROM THE HOLIDAYS

Differing perspectives of cats and dogs regarding our enforced stays at home

[Cats](#)

[Dogs](#)

[The Top 10 Ocean Stories of 2020](#) – *The Smithsonian Magazine*

[Beethoven's 250th Anniversary Celebration](#) – About 1½-hour video concert

[Racism at the County level associated with increased COVID 19 cases and death](#)

Larry Brilliant and Peter Hoetz: [Vaccinating Our Way Out of the Pandemic](#) – About an hour-long pod cast, Larry Brilliant is the first half hour, and Peter Hoetz is the second.

HUMOR

What do you call a broke Santa? St. Nickel-less

What's the difference between a Christmas alphabet and the regular alphabet? The Christmas alphabet has no-el

What do you call a kid that refuses to believe in Santa? A rebel without a Claus

[And finally, a bit of COVID humor, in case you started to make travel plans in 2020](#)

New 2020 Airport Codes

Popular Spring Break Destinations

LVG - Living Room	PAT - Patio
KIT - Kitchen	BAL - Balcony
BTH - Bathroom	OFC - Office
MBR - Master Bath	BKY - Backyard
BDM - Bedroom	BMT - Basement

Enjoy your trip!

You'll stay on the couch! You'll stay in your room!
You'll stay in a chair for a meeting on Zoom!
You'll stay in the bathroom—a brief getaway!
There are so many places at home you will stay!



Anyone else's car
getting 3 weeks to the
gallon at the moment ?

LOOKING FOR SOMETHING ELSE, OR SOMETHING ON A PRIOR LIST?

You can look back at recent lists [on our website](#).

For the online items noted in this list and previous lists, we've done our best to make sure the links work. But if they don't, we suggest you Google the name of the place or activity to get to the site. Most of these activities are free, and most are not time-sensitive (although a few have a minimal charge or a deadline).



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