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## Saint Joseph College presents **The Gospel Festival of New England**

Friday, January 20



WEST HARTFORD, CONN. - It is almost time for the annual Gospel Festival of New England, which brings together accomplished singers from various congregations. The festival will be on Friday, January 20, 2012 at 7:00 p.m. in the Bruyette Athenaeum's Hoffman Auditorium on Saint Joseph College's main campus in West Hartford. General Seating. All tickets are \$15 if purchased in advance, or \$20 on the day of the event. For ticket information, call the Frances Driscoll Box Office at 860.231.5555 or order online at [www.sjc.edu/arts](http://www.sjc.edu/arts).

John H. Whitaker, the founding Artistic Director of the Festival, will reprise his role and the Reverend Nora Wyatt Jr. will return as the host of this year's event.

Each year, audiences praise the creativity of the musical performances and the talent of the featured artists. The festival this season will showcase choirs from Mount Olive Church Ministries, Hartford, Conn.; Mount Calvary Baptist Church, Hartford, Conn.; Alden Baptist Church, Springfield, Mass.; and Canaan Baptist Church of Christ, Springfield, Mass.

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*Saint Joseph College, founded in 1932 by the Sisters of Mercy to provide higher education opportunities for women, is a comprehensive institution serving women from diverse backgrounds and religious traditions. More than 22 majors and six pre-professional programs are available plus accelerated bachelor's to master's degrees. Responsive to the evolving educational needs of the community, the School of Graduate and Professional Studies offers both women and men graduate degree programs including: management, counseling, education, and nursing along*

*with online programs in biology, biochemistry and nutrition. In addition, the undergraduate Weekend Program for Adult Learners, professional certificate programs relevant to today's workforce and other continuing co-educational learning opportunities are available. In fall 2011, the Saint Joseph College School of Pharmacy, the first doctoral program in the College's 79-year history, welcomed its first class to Hartford 21 on Trumbull Street in downtown Hartford. View our Web site at [www.sjc.edu](http://www.sjc.edu).*

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