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WIND ENSEMBLE FEATURED

CHARLESTON, IL--Eastern Illinois University's Symphonic Wind Ensemble, conducted by Tom Brawner, will be featured on the Sunday Afternoon Concert Series at Christ Church Cathedral in St. Louis.

The free concert, at 2:00 p.m. February 19, is open to the public and is the result of an invitation from the church's music concert coordinator and music director, Patrick Partridge. (The cathedral's monthly concert series brings serious music to downtown St. Louis and is a regular feature on public radio station KFUO). It will be broadcast later on KFUO.

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For Eastern, the concert is a part of the band's annual tour, which includes a 7:30 performance in Eastern's Dvorak Hall February 18. The ensemble will also play guest concerts at high schools in O'Fallen and Collinsville on the 20th and Mascoutah and Highland on the 21st.

The 48 member wind ensemble is the premier concert band in the department of music. Chosen by competitive audition, the members are among the most proficient musicians on campus.

The program for the tour includes music by Bach, Saint-Saens, Sweelinck, and Alfred Reed.

One of the highlights of the concerts will be a performance of Paul Creston's Concertino for Marimba and band by Eastern Illinois University percussion teacher, Johnny Lane. The concerts will close with Valdres, (a Norwegian March), and American Pageant (A Medley of Patriotic Tunes).