



GCS photo

The Georgetown Choral Society arranged a video to thank front-line workers for their efforts during the past year.

# CHORAL SOCIETY THANKS FRONT-LINE WORKERS VIA VIDEO

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The Georgetown Choral Society (GCS) is offering a little musical gratitude for front-line workers' efforts over the past year.

The society recently released a video — a cover by local members of Josh Groban's "You Raise Me Up" — as their way of saying thanks.

"We wanted to show our appreciation for the people who have gotten us through thus far, whether they're medical workers, store workers, garbage collectors, police," said GCS Chair Isabel Watkinson.

A request for submissi-

ons was made to the community for audio, video, and photos, for the project.

"We were almost flooded with submissions," Watkinson said.

The video was released to coincide with the anniversary of the beginning of the pandemic.

In 2021, the Georgetown Choral Society is celebrating its 50th anniversary, having spent the previous year unable to host in-person rehearsals and performances.

Instead, the group has met every Monday via Zoom, though technological limitations, such as signal delay, made it impossible for the group to sing to-

gether.

"Standing shoulder to shoulder, belting our moist air as we sing is probably the perfect way to spread the virus," Laurent Thibault of the choral society, wrote on the GCS website.

"Needless to say, we have been completely shut down for the past year."

A virtual performance is being planned for May, around the same time the GCS would, in pre-pandemic times, have held their spring performance.

The GCS is a non-profit, volunteer-run, organization with about 70 members. More information is available at [www.GeorgetownChoral.ca](http://www.GeorgetownChoral.ca).

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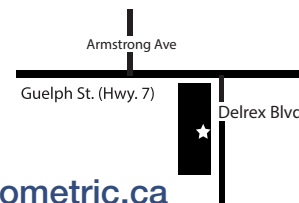
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