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Mostly senior choir to perform at Fargo Theatre
Singing throwback TV show theme songs
for night of family fun

FARGO, N.D. – The public is invited to attend an evening of nostalgia at the Fargo Theatre Thursday, May 4 as the Touchmark Choir leads a tour back in time to favorite TV show theme songs. There is no charge for the concert, which starts at 7 p.m. at the Fargo Theatre on Broadway Avenue. Doors open at 6:30 p.m.

The performance, which also will include several skits, is sure to be a hit with all generations. Songs will include memorable tunes from *The Mary Tyler Moore Show*, *The Beverly Hillbillies*, *The Mickey Mouse Club*, *Gilligan's Island*, *LaVerne & Shirley* and many more favorites. The set list stretches from the 1950s to present day, embracing shows like *Sesame Street* that are still on the air. There will be many chances for every member of the family to clap along.

“These are the classic songs we still know by heart, says Touchmark Life Enrichment/Wellness Director Anne-Marie Fitz. “They’re the ones we’ve sung as kids in front of the TV, and they remain impossible to forget, even though some of the shows were on the air more than 50 years ago.”

She adds the concert is a great opportunity to round up families and friends for an interactive concert of reminiscing.

The Touchmark Choir performs two main shows per year, one in the spring and one in the fall. Choir members include about 35 Touchmark residents and staff, with ages ranging from mid-30s to 101 years old. The Choir has been singing together nearly a decade and is directed by volunteers Dawn Papenfuss and Suzanne Schultz, two local music directors. This annual concert is in addition to several other performances the Choir typically presents for local schools, retirement communities and social groups. Members rehearse once a week. They have been practicing for the upcoming spring show since early this year.

Touchmark at Harwood Groves is an award-winning, full-service retirement community offering a range of homes and lifestyle options for people 55 and greater. The on-site Health & Fitness Club is open to anyone over 50 and includes an indoor heated pool, a variety of training systems to engage multiple muscle groups, personal training and classes. For more information, visit Touchmark.com.

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