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# Orchestra Collective of Orange County presents An Evening of Beethoven

*Southern California's collectively-run symphony orchestra ushers in 2018 with a pair of classics*

Sunday, February 11, 2018  
Anaheim United Methodist Church  
1000 S State College Blvd  
Anaheim, CA 92806  
6:30 P.M. (pre-concert talk at 6:00 PM)  
Free parking on site

\$20/general admission; \$15/seniors and students; \$10/ages 12 and under  
Tickets available online ([ocofoc.org](http://ocofoc.org)), from the box office (714) 758-5247, or at the door

**Orchestra Collective of Orange County** (OCofOC) will present its third concert of the 2017-18 season on Sunday, February 11. The program features two beloved classics by **Ludwig van Beethoven**, his *Egmont* Overture and Symphony No. 3 in E-Flat Major, *Eroica*. After kicking off the season with a concert featuring young soloists and a Halloween extravaganza (with costumes, no less), OCofOC is returning to the core of the Romantic symphonic repertory. The stunning *Egmont* overture, which moves from a brooding opening to a fierce, majestic close and the *Eroica* symphony, with its epic opening movement, haunting funeral march, and rambunctious, unstoppable finale will truly offer audiences a night to remember.

OCofOC is a collectively-run symphony orchestra based in Orange County, California. Founded in 2016 by veterans of the Southern California classical music scene, we believe that collaboration and self-governance can and will yield amazing results, both artistically and otherwise! A group that embodies and embraces diversity of all kinds, we strive to produce one-of-a-kind musical events that will thrill both longtime concertgoers and complete musical newbies.

OCofOC is proud to perform at Anaheim United Methodist Church's, which offers an intimate audience experience, with great acoustics and sightlines that give concertgoers a chance to get up close and personal with the music and musicians.

The concert will be conducted by OCofOC artistic director, **Dr. David Rentz**. Music director of the Orange County Symphony from 2011 to 2016, Dr. Rentz is an accomplished choral, orchestral, and opera conductor who currently serves as associate professor of music at Chaffey College, as resident conductor of the Chamber Opera Players of Los Angeles, and as a founding conductor of C3LA (Contemporary Choral Collective of Los Angeles). He has received fellowships and grants from the Yale alumniVentures program and the National Endowment for the Humanities, and, in 2015, was named guest professor at Xiamen University (China).

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