

# PEOPLES' VOICE



[www.peoplesvoicecafe.org](http://www.peoplesvoicecafe.org)

Judson Memorial Church Assembly Hall  
Entrance at 239 Thompson Street,  
between West 3rd and West 4th Streets  
New York, NY 10012  
Fully Wheelchair Accessible

In Person and  
Usually Livestreamed  
Check Website!

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## Peter Pasco Memorial Concert *In-Person and Livestreamed*

Peter Pasco was a talented songwriter and multi-instrumentalist who wrote over 100 songs and performed countless others. He performed at the Speakeasy, Peoples' Voice Cafe, Clearwater events, Mother's Kitchen, nursing homes, and street fairs. Most people remember Peter for his humanity and willingness to give of himself for good causes, to other artists, friends and family, or total strangers needing caring or a smile. Peter left us on January 15, 2023. Tonight we pay tribute, remembering Peter's life in song and sharing his story.

**Joel Landy** has been an activist his entire adult life, organizing and promoting events for social justice and environmental issues. From corporate media and class warfare to climate chaos and the NRA, Joel delivers intelligent songs with wit and humor in a style that reminds many of a young Phil Ochs. His music has been published in *Sing Out!* magazine and heard on Pacifica Radio stations. He also produces the award-winning television program, *Songs of Freedom*. [singfreedom.org](http://singfreedom.org)

**lisa roma**, aka ElektrikGoddess, is a singer-songwriter of jazz-infused folk and pop songs that embody the human experience, love, our etheric connection to Nature, and the search for peace. Inspired since childhood, her main music influences are Debussy, Jobim, Crosby Stills & Nash, Billie Holiday, Carole King, Laura Nyro and Joni Mitchell. lisa began recording in the mid-1970s and released a CD in 2004. She also sings with her new trio Conscious Conversation.

**Judy Livingston** is a folk soprano, often compared to a young Joan Baez, and inspired by Judy Collins. Her uplifting songwriting is influenced by heroes Donovan and George Harrison. Judy is committed to the power of Sound Healing with singing bowls, sound baths and voice. She is a Certified Sound and Music Practitioner. Judy sings regularly at meditation gatherings in NYC. Judy teamed up with Peter Pasco in the late 1980s, performing in Greenwich Village clubs and other New York City and Brooklyn venues.

The Peoples' Voice Cafe is an alternative coffeehouse offering quality entertainment. We provide a space for the artistic expression of a wide variety of humanitarian issues and concerns.

The cafe is run as a not-for-profit collective, and is not affiliated with any political organization. New participating members are always welcome. The Peoples' Voice Cafe's 2024-2025 season is supported in part by the generosity of the Folk Music Society of New York and Judson Memorial Church. The Peoples' Voice Cafe is alcohol free.

## SATURDAYS at 8 pm sharp

Doors open at 7:15

Suggested Contribution **\$20**

\$12—Friends of Peoples' Voice Cafe

\$12—Judson Memorial Church Members

\$12—Folk Music Society of NY Members

\$12—Students and Youth

More if you choose, less if you can't

(Nobody turned away for lack of money.)

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## Irish Style Folk Club Night *In-Person Only*

In pubs and social halls throughout Ireland (as well as in England, Scotland, and Wales) you will find what are called folk clubs. Somewhat akin to open mics, these are groups of friends and neighbors who get together on a regular basis to share songs and enjoy each other's company. Often a folk club invites a featured guest performer for part of the evening. That is what PVC will do tonight, with County Cork native Donie Carroll performing a 40-minute featured guest set. Otherwise members of the audience can sign up to lead one song each. It does not have to be Irish. Traditional songs, especially songs with choruses or refrains for group singing, are especially welcome. Feel free to sing a cappella, or bring an acoustic instrument to accompany yourself. This is an all-acoustic event, so there will be no sound system. Sorry, we do not serve pints of Guinness, but coffee and tea will be available.

### Donie Carroll

A singer, guitarist, and actor originally from County Cork, Donie Carroll has long been a fixture on the New York Irish music scene. Together with the late fiddler Andy McGann, Donie anchored the long running and internationally famous Saturday night music session at the former Kate Kearney's pub. Donie has also been a stalwart with NYU's Washington Square Harp and Shamrock Orchestra. In addition, he founded the highly regarded Sunnyside Folk Club in Queens, now in its eleventh year. [doniecarrollmusic.com](http://doniecarrollmusic.com)

This event is supported by The Folk Music Society of New York and The Sunnyside Folk Club.

**COVID-19 Policy for In-Person events: NEW!** The Peoples' Voice Cafe is no longer requiring attendees to wear masks, and we are resuming the sale of food and beverages. We will continue to provide high-quality masks for those who feel more comfortable wearing them. We strongly recommend that everyone be fully vaccinated, boosted, and recently tested. The number of people in our performance space will be limited to 85 to allow for distancing of chairs, so come early! Please check [peoplesvoicecafe.org](http://peoplesvoicecafe.org) for any updates, since our policies are subject to change as conditions evolve.

If you would like to make a donation to the Peoples' Voice Cafe, you may do so through our website, or send it to: Peoples' Voice Cafe, c/o Campbell, 252 W. 91st St. #64, New York NY 10024. For more information or if you'd like to volunteer, call 212/787-3903.

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### Chopping Wood

**Pete Seeger Book Release  
& Concert, featuring  
co-author David Bernz  
and Jacob Bernz**  
*In-Person and Livestreamed*

Come celebrate the long life and inspirational work of Pete Seeger with musician and Grammy-winning producer David Bernz. David will discuss the book he co-authored with Pete Seeger, based on hundreds of hours of conversations. David and his son Jacob (founding member of Clearwater's Power of Song group) will also play some of Seeger's songs.

*This event is supported by The Folk Music Society of New York.*

*This event is part of The Village Trip!*

9/28

### Old-Fashioned Coffee House Night:

**David Roth & Singer-Songwriter Showcase**  
*In-Person Only*

Get into the groove of an earlier generation as PVC takes you back to the era of the subterranean Greenwich Village coffee house. No microphones, no speakers, no amps, and no live streaming, just acoustic instruments and natural human voices as we pull the chairs into a circle, turn down the lights, and enjoy homemade music as it was and as it still can be.

After David Roth's 45-minute set, we feature five very talented but less known singer-songwriters who will each perform two of their very best songs in the round. David Roth will then return to do the final song of the night. Can you dig it? This event is part of The Village Trip!

### David Roth

David is a singer, songwriter, and recording artist who has taken his songs, experience, and expertise to a wide variety of venues and countries for more than three decades. David Roth songs have found their way to Carnegie Hall, the United Nations, several *Chicken Soup for the Soul* books, the Kennedy Center, NASA's Space Shuttle Atlantis, Peter, Paul, & Mary and Kingston Trio CDs, five Positive Music Awards, and the *Rise Up Singing* and *Rise Again* songbooks. He has released 15 CDs on the Wind River and Stockfisch labels. Poignant to improbable, untypical to topical, and holistic to hilarious, the Chicago native (now living on Cape Cod) called NYC his home in the 1980s and played for us many times back then. [davidrothmusic.com](http://davidrothmusic.com)

### Singer Songwriter Showcase

**Fred Arcoleo** has been called "Don McLean meets Phil Ochs." He addresses the difficult truths of our times with courage, tenderness, optimism, and determination. His three albums to date have charted on Folk Radio. [reverbnation.com/fredarcoleo](http://reverbnation.com/fredarcoleo)

**Jane Babits** began writing songs in the 1970s when she lived in Lower Manhattan. Her songs are gentle and soothing, often coming to her in the dreamy twilight of consciousness as she sings herself to sleep.

**Joel Landy** is known for his energetic and engaging stage performances delivering intelligent songs with wit and humor. He hosts the award-winning *Songs of Freedom* cable tv/internet show. Pete Seeger called him "a real live wire."

**Bracha Lieberman** is a social worker, activist, occasional songwriter and actor, who connects deeply with the power of singing and is board president of Peoples' Voice Cafe. Bracha believes that it's important to start your day off with an act of kindness, that community counts and in the power of song to bring people together!

**Lindsey Wilson** is an NYC singer-songwriter with a flare for nostalgia with her memorable mix of '70s style urban folk rock and conscious lyrics embracing issues of the heart and mind. [lindseywilsonmusicnow.com](http://lindseywilsonmusicnow.com)

### Coming in October:

October 5  
Folk Music Society of New  
York: Open Mic

October 19  
Lisa Klotz  
Colleen Kattau

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PVC performers!  
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