

MANOR PIANISTS (incomplete)

Peggy Evans has played the piano since age 6, although for most of that time the organ was her main instrument. She holds degrees in organ from Chatham University, the University of Michigan, and the Eastman School of Music of the University of Rochester. Now, since playing the organ requires some driving (to an organ), she spends a little time each day at the piano, learning new piano repertoire (and trying to use piano technique!), as well as new organ repertoire, using organ technique. She's happy to make a small contribution to this recital.

Sue Silfvast has been singing and playing the piano since she was a small child. She studied piano, piano pedagogy, and voice as a mid-age adult. She also studied music theory and history at community colleges and at Stanford during a sabbatical year. She had a music studio and taught piano in her home in New Jersey for more than 20 years. She moved to RVM in 2014 and sings with the Joyful Voices here. She also sings with her church choir and the Siskiyou Singers in Ashland. She has played in every Manor Residents Piano Recital since moving to RVM.