

Felicia Burkovskiy Bio



Felicia Filip Burkovskiy is a singer/actress/music educator who has performed many styles of music from pop/jazz to musicals and operettas. She is a regular soloist at Bethel United Church of Christ, where she frequently performs in the Music at Bethel concert series. Her most recent Music at Bethel concert appearance was in “Sunday in the Park with George Gershwin,” a review concert celebrating the music of composers George Gershwin and Steven Sondheim. Ms. Burkovskiy also recently played the roles of “Glinda” in Art Reach Educational Theatre’s production of *The Wizard of Oz* and “Donna” in *Mamma Mia*, appeared in the jazz operetta *Ball at the Savoy* (Folks Operetta), and sang in Broad Minded, a female cabaret group.

Ms. Burkovskiy loves musical theatre! She has performed various roles in musicals at Chicago-area theatres including Light Opera Works, Porchlight Theatre, and Pheasant Run Dinner Theatre. She has also sailed around the Caribbean singing for RCCL cruise lines. Her favorite role has been becoming the mother of two beautiful sons, who she adopted from Ukraine in 2017!

Ms. Burkovskiy studied music education and vocal performance at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign, where she appeared in numerous operas and sang with their premier coed a capella singing group, No Strings Attached. During her time with the ensemble, they won the regional a capella collegiate championship and traveled to New York City to perform at Carnegie Hall! She received her masters degree from VanderCook College of Music. A dedicated educator, Ms. Burkovskiy has been teaching vocal music to students ranging from elementary to high school grade levels for 21 years, and currently teaches at Proviso Math & Science Academy. She is passionate about sharing her love of music with others, and loves to help students of all ages achieve their vocal and performance goals.