



The Washington Metropolitan Accordion Society



presents a concert featuring

Peregrine Road

Rachel Bell, accordion
Karen Axelrod, piano & accordion



Sunday, April 15, 2018 at 4 PM

Sleepy Hollow United Methodist Church

3435 Sleepy Hollow Road

Falls Church, Virginia 22044

Donation for non-members \$8 - WMAS members free
Refreshments will be served

Peregrine Road, offers a captivating array of musical styles, moods and traditions. **Rachel Bell** (accordion) has been gracing the stages of contra dance halls, concert venues and bal folk dances for many years. Pair Rachel up with pianist **Karen Axelrod**, widely known for her lyrical and powerful English Country Dance playing, and you get *Peregrine Road*.

These two seasoned musicians provide an exhilarating dance experience infused with energy and variety. Vivacious reels, quirky French-influenced groove tunes, dreamy jigs, and fiery improvisations will keep your contra dance feet going all night long. At an English country dance, you'll soak up sounds that are beautifully matched to the dances, with just the right balance between finesse and zing. In the concert setting, *Peregrine Road* ushers you into an ethereal musical space. Sit back and savor creative interpretations of passionate waltzes, mesmerizing French dances, lively American folk tunes, refined English Country dance tunes, and more. A touch of whimsical humor, and a sprinkling of vignettes will round out the experience.

Peregrine Road music samples: <https://youtu.be/GxdIUVCmaew> & <https://youtu.be/COjP65TEdRM>



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