

# forte AT SYMPHONY CENTER *january*

## starters

### LENTIL SOUP V AVG

Tahini Yogurt, Urfa, Herbs 11

### FRIED ARTICHOKE V AVG

Roasted Garlic Aioli, Charred Lemon 15

### MARINATED OLIVES & MOZZARELLA V AVG

Artichoke, Pearl Mozzarella, Italian Marinade 13

### TRADITIONAL HUMMUS V<sup>2</sup>

Tahini, Roasted Garlic, Lemon, Carbanzo, Pita 14

### MUHAMMARA V<sup>2</sup>

Roasted Walnut & Red Pepper Dip, Pita 15

### HOUSEMADE LABNEH V

Honey, Mint, Roasted Vegetables 11

### WHIPPED FETA V

Aleppo Pepper, Pita 13

### FIG AND OLIVE SALAD V

Spinach, Calamata, Pickled Red Onion, Feta, Walnut 17

### ROASTED VEGETABLE COUS COUS SALAD V

Israeli Cous Cous, Citrus Vinaigrette, Feta 17

### SAGANAKI HALLOUMI AVG

Calabrian Chile Hot Honey, Schug, Herbs 19

## glossary (as we define them)

**halloumi** squeaky goat and sheep's milk cheese  
**muhammara** spicy walnut and bell pepper dip  
**shawarma** thinly sliced meat roasted on a spit  
**schug** herb garlic pepper sauce, similar to chutney

**mezze** a selection of small dishes served as an appetizer  
**musakhan** roasted chicken served over (pita) bread  
**saganaki** fried cheese appetizer  
**tzatziki** salted yogurt and cucumber dip

*\*Consuming raw or undercooked meats, poultry, shellfish, or eggs may increase your risk of food borne illness, especially if you have a medical condition.*

## @ChicagoForte

Executive Chef Leonardo Moslemian

General Manager Grant Chinouth

## main

### SUMAC SALMON STEAK \*

Fingerling Potato, Green Beans, Yogurt Sauce, Gremolata 32

### FORTE GRIDDLE BURGER \*

Two Beef Patties, Mushrooms, Swiss, Arugula, Roasted Garlic Aioli 25

### LAMB KAFTA

Tzatziki, House Pickles, Fronds, Pita 19

### FALAFEL PITA V<sup>2</sup>

Chickpea Falafel, Hummus, Cherry Tomato, Red Schug, Herbs 25

### MUSAKHAN CHICKEN

Braised Red Cabbage, Sumac Chicken, Cippolini Tomato Ragout, Charred Lemon, Crema, Herbs, Pita 29

### PORK TENDERLOIN \*

Garlic Spinach, Whipped Potato, Mushroom Gravy, Fried Sage 35

### HALLOUMI VEGETABLE KEBOB

Calabrian Chile Hot Honey, Zucchini, Tomato, Red Onion, Schug, Basmati Rice 25

### SEA SCALLOPS

Verde Muhammara, Pomegranate Molasses, Mint and Dill 29

V VEGETARIAN

V<sup>2</sup> VEGAN

AVG AVOIDING GLUTEN