

**NOON AT MET** FREE THURSDAY CONCERTS

2024-25 SEASON





# **GLENN GOULD SCHOOL CHAMBER MUSIC SHOWCASE**

Thursday, April 3 at 12:00 p.m.

Afro-Cuban Concerto Afro Vocalize Danza

> Isabella Wark, flute | Gilwon Kwack, oboe | Ann Murdocca, clarinet Julien Rollins, bassoon | Aaron Sieve, horn

Piano Trio in B major I. Allegro con brio

Tiffany Yeung, violin | Sua Kwoun, cello | Jerry Hu, piano

Myths & Legends I. Allegro ritmico II. Adagio

Round Midnight

Thelonious Monk, 1917-1982

Eric Ewazen, b. 1954

Ilan Mendel | Constance Prost | Ken Kagawa | Shin Tanaka

Valerie Coleman, b. 1970

Johannes Brahms, 1833-1897

### JONATHAN OLDENGARM, ORGAN

Thursday, April 10 at 12:00 p.m.

Trois Chorals (1890)

César Franck, 1822-1890

Choral no. 1 in E major Choral no. 2 in B minor Choral no. 3 in A minor

Hailed for his "unalloyed musicality", organist, harpsichordist, conductor, chamber musician and arranger Jonathan Oldengarm loves to colour outside the lines. Passionate about repertoire from the 16th to 21st centuries, he is equally at home as a soloist and ensemble player. His recording credits include discs on the ATMA Classique, Klanglogo and Anglekta labels with Les Petits Chanteurs du Mont-Royal; saxophonist Claudia Tesorino; the Ottawa Bach Choir (Lisette Canton, director); the A&P Choir (Jean-Sébastien Vallée, conductor); and Buzz Brass. Recent performance collaborations include Hammer Baroque, the 2023 and 2025 RCCO National Conventions, KW Symphony Brass Quintet, Toronto Symphony Orchestra, Trinity Bach Project, the Elora Festival, the Toronto Mendelssohn Choir, Gallery Players, North Winds Concerts and Cappella Intima. Jonathan is Minister of Music and Organist at Toronto's Metropolitan United Church, home to multiple ensembles, two concert series, and a treasury of instruments that include Canada's largest pipe organ and Canada's oldest tuned carillon. He holds degrees in organ and harpsichord performance from Wilfrid Laurier and McGill Universities; the Fellowship diploma of the Royal Canadian College of Organists; and studied at the Hochschule für Musik in Stuttgart, Germany. From 2008 until 2022 he taught organ, harpsichord, keyboard skills, and liturgical improvisation at the Schulich School of Music of McGill University, while serving as Director of Music and Organist at the Church of St. Andrew and St. Paul, Montreal. He has recently joined the University of Toronto's Faculty of Music as Instructor of Harpsichord.

# JORDANA GODDARD, SOPRANO WILLIAM SALINAS-CROSBY, TENOR JOEL GOODFELLOW, PIANO

Thursday, April 24 at 12:00 p.m.

Love is a magic ray (2018)	Sheila Silver, b. 1946
Cinq Mélodies "de Venise" (1891) I. Mandoline II. En sourdine III. Green IV. À Clymène V. C'est l'extase	Gabriel Fauré, 1845–1924
Goodnight Moon (2012)	Eric Whitacre, b. 1970
Goldberg Variations, BWV 988: Aria (1741)	J. S. Bach, 1685–1750
Spring Desire in Spring	lvor Gurney, 1890–1937
In Flanders I will go with my Father a-Ploughing	
Six Songs from A Shropshire Lad (1911) I. Loveliest of Trees II. When I Was One-and-Twenty III. Look Not In My eyes IV. Think No More, Lad V. The Lads in Their Hundreds VI. Is My Team Ploughing?	George Butterworth, 1885–1916
Bredon Hill, from On Wenlock Edge, no. 5 (1909)	Ralph Vaughan Williams, 1872–1958
We'll Gather Lilacs, from Perchance to Dream (1945)	lvor Novello, 1893–1951

# **METROPOLITAN UNITED CHURCH PIPE ORGAN SPECIFICATION**

Casavant Frères Ltée, op. 1367 (built in 1930)

#### **GREAT** (second keyboard)

Contra Bourdon 32' (TC) Double Open Diapason 16' Bourdon 16' Open Diapason I 8' Open Diapason II 8' Open Diapason III 8' Violin Diapason 8' Hohl Flute 8' Doppel Flute 8' Stopped Diapason 8' Quint 5 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>3</sub>' Octave 4' Principal 4' Flûte Harmoniaue 4' Flûte d'amour 4' Quint  $2\frac{2}{3}$ Fifteenth 2' Harmonics V Mixture III Contra Tromba 16' Tromba 8' Posqune 8' Octave Tromba 4' Harp (CH)

#### SWELL (third keyboard)

Contra Geigen 16' Lieblich Bourdon 16' Open Diapason 8' Geigen Diapason 8' Salicional 8' Lieblich Gedeckt 8' Viola da Gamba 8' Voix Celeste 8' Aeoline 8' Octove A'Flauto Traverso 4' Fifteenth 2' Cornet V Mixture III Double Trumpet 16' Trumpet 8' Oboe 8' Vox Humana 8' Clarion 4' Tremulant Harp (CH)

#### **CHOIR** (first keyboard)

Contra Viola 16' Open Diapason 8' Melodia 8' Quintadena 8' Spitz Flute 8' Flute Celeste 8' Dulciana 8' Unda Maris 8' Dulcet 4' Flute d'amour 4' Nazard 2 <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> Harmonic Piccolo 2' Tierce 1 %' Dulciana Mixture IV Contra Fagotto 16' Trumpet 8' Clarinet 8' Clarion 4' Tremulant Harp Harp Sub

#### **ORCHESTRAL** (fourth keyboard)

Contra Gamba 16' Gross Gamba 8' Gamba Celeste 8' Viole d'orchestre 8' Viole Celeste 8' Rohr Flute 8' Gross Flute 8' Fuaara 4' Concert Flute 4' Cornet de Violes III Trombone 16' Bassoon 16' Tuba Sonora 8' Orchestral Trumpet 8' French Horn 8' Orchestral Oboe 8' Corno di Bassetto 8' Cor Analais 8' Octave Tuba 4' Tremulant Harp (CH)

#### **BOMBARDE** (fifth keyboard)

Stentorphone 8' Mixture VII Tuba Magna 16' Tuba Mirabilis 8' Quint Horn 5 <sup>1</sup>/<sub>3</sub>' Tuba Clarion 4'

#### PEDAL (for the feet)

Double Open Diapason 32' Open Diapason I 16' Open Diapason II 16' (ext) Violone 16' Gamba 16' (ORCH) Bourdon I 16' Bourdon II 16' (GT) Viola 16' (CH) Gedeckt 16' (SW) Quint 10 <sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub>' Octave 8' (ext) Cello 8' (ext) Stopped Flute 8' (ext) Still Gedeckt 8' (SW) Octave Quint 5  $\frac{1}{3}$  (ext) Super Octave 4' (ext) Mixture IV Contra Bombarde 32' Bombarde 16' (ext) Trombone 16' (ORCH) Bassoon 16' (ORCH) Tromba 8' (ext) Clarion 4' (ext)

#### **GALLERY ORGAN**

#### **ANTIPHONAL** (floating)

Open Diapason 8' Principal 4' Hooded Trumpet 8'

#### ECHO (floating)

Chimney Flute 8' Viola da Gamba 8' Flute 4' Tremulant Zimbelstern Nightingale

#### PEDAL (feet)

Bourdon 16' Octavebass 8' (ext)

# MUSIC FOR GOOD FRIDAY BRAHMS REQUEEM RHEINBERGER | STABAT MATER

FRIDAY, APRIL 18, 2025 7:30 P.M. | 6:30 TALK

# METROPOLITAN FESTIVAL CHOIR & ORCHESTRA

Noelle Slaney Soprano Parker Clements Baritone Jonathan Oldengarm Direction

> Adults \$40 Students & 13-18 \$25 12 & under free





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# UPCOMING IN MUSIC AT METROPOLITAN

Noon at Met - May 2025 May 1 - TBC Glenn Gould School Rebanks Fellow | May 8 - Jonathan Oldengarm, organ "Animals in Music" | May 15 - Alexander Cappellazzo, tenor | May 22 - Michelle Simmons, alto | May 29 - Noelle Slaney, soprano.

**Good Friday, April 18, 2025 at 7:30 pm. Brahms' Requiem.** The Met Festival Choir and Chamber Orchestra, with soprano Noelle Slaney and baritone Parker Clements and under the direction of Jonathan Oldengarm, present Johannes Brahms' timeless *Requiem* in the intimate chamber arrangement by Joachim Linckelmann. Pre-concert talk by Jonathan Oldengarm at 6:30 p.m. Scan below to order tickets through the Royal Conservatory of Music's Box Office service:



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