

October 24, 2019

George Fergus, organ

Program

Voluntary in D minor, Op. 105

Charles V. Stanford (1852-1924)

Sonata III in A major, Op. 65 Con moto maestoso Andante tranquillo Felix Mendelssohn (1809-1847)

Suite in D Introduction and Allegro Largo Allegro marziale John Stanley (1712-1786)

Salut d'amour

Edward Elgar (1857-1934) Transcribed by Edwin Lemare (1865-1934)

Chorale-Fantasia on "O God, our help"

C. Hubert H. Parry (1848-1918)

George Fergus serves as the Associate Director of Music and Assistant Organist at Washington National Cathedral. He maintains an active schedule of rehearsals and services in the cathedral's music program, as well as appearing on the cathedral's online stream of worship services and recitals, including the annual Christmas Day, Easter Day, and Independence Day concerts. He accompanied the Cathedral Choristers on their concert tour to England in 2017, and the Girls Cathedral Choir on their concert tour to Texas in 2018. He has appeared on concerts with Washington Choral Arts Society, Washington Bach Consort, and the American University Chorus. During his tenure at the National Cathedral, he played for the funeral services of Senator John McCain and President George H. W. Bush.

George earned the Master of Music degree in organ performance and Certificate in Church Music Studies from the Yale Institute of Sacred Music, and a Bachelor of Music degree from St. Olaf College. Upon graduation from Yale in 2016, George was awarded the Gerre Hancock Fellowship in Church Music by the Association of Anglican Musicians, which he served at Washington National Cathedral before being appointed to the full-time music staff there. Prior to his appointment in Washington, he served as Organ Scholar at Grace Church in New York, and Choirmaster and Organist of Berkeley Divinity School at Yale.

Upcoming concerts

Thursday, October 31, 1pm - Pipes at One: Julian Wachner, Trinity Church Wall Street
Thursday, October 31, 7pm - Candlelight Baroque: Bruce Dickey - cornetto,
Hana Blažíková – soprano, Avi Stein – organ

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