



Bach

Cantata Vespers

2011–2012

Grace Lutheran Church ■ River Forest, Illinois
Sunday afternoons ■ Prelude at 3:45 p.m.

September 25

Lobe den Herrn, meine Seele (BWV 69) *Praise the Lord, my soul*
Kelly K. Faulstich, Grace Lutheran Church and School, River Forest, homilist
Bach, Orchestral Suite No. 4 (BWV 1069)

Schweigt stille, plaudert nicht (BWV 211) *Coffee Cantata*
Performed at a reception following vespers.

October 23

Wachet! Betet! Betet! Wachet (BWV 70) *Watch! Pray! Pray! Watch!*
Patrick R. Keifert, Luther Seminary, St. Paul, homilist
Daniel E. Schwandt, Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago, organist

November 20

Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland (BWV 62) *Savior of the nations, come*
Daniel M. Bell, Lutheran Theological Southern Seminary, Columbia, SC, homilist
Michael D. Costello, Grace Lutheran Church and School, River Forest, organist
Kapelle, Concordia University Chicago, Charles P. Brown, director

December 25

Christen, ätzt diesen Tag (BWV 63) *Christians, engrave this day*
Performed during Grace's Festival Eucharist at 10:00 a.m.

January 8

Herrscher des Himmels, erhöre das Lallen (BWV 248.3)
Ruler of heaven, give ear to our stammer (from the Christmas Oratorio)
Bach for the Sem concert, 4:00 p.m.,
benefiting the Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago (tickets available at the door)
Mark P. Bangert, director

January 29

Meinen Jesum lass ich nicht (BWV 124) *My Jesus I will not leave*
Frank C. Senn, Immanuel Lutheran Church, Evanston, homilist
Vaughan Williams, Concerto for Oboe and Strings in A minor

February 26

Falsche Welt, dir trau ich nicht! (BWV 52) *False world, I do not trust you!*
Philip G. Ryken, Wheaton College, homilist
Steven Wente, Concordia University Chicago, organist

March 25

Messe in h-Moll (BWV 232) *Mass in B minor*
Performed in a 4:00 p.m. concert, free and open to the public
Concert Choir, Wheaton College, Paul Wiens, director

April 22

Kommt, eilet und laufet (BWV 249) *Come, hasten and run (Easter Oratorio)*
Timothy H. Douma, Loop Church, Chicago, homilist
Locklair, Phoenix Fanfare and Processional
Vivaldi, Concerto for 2 Flutes, Strings, and Continuo

May 20

Auf Christi Himmelfahrt allein (BWV 128) *On Christ's ascension into heaven alone*
F. Dean Lueking, Grace Lutheran Church and School, River Forest, homilist
Graupner, Symphony for 2 Horns, Timpani, and Strings

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