	CHORAL SERVICE SCHEDULE
WEDNESDAY 12:10 1 March and Ash Wednesday 5:30	THE SOLEMN LITURGY OF ASH WEDNESDAY Introit: Hide not thou thy face - <i>Farrant</i> Psalm: Miserere mei, Deus - <i>Allegri</i> Service: Missa XVIII - Deus genitor alme - <i>Plainsong</i> Anthem: Emendemus in melius - <i>Byrd</i>
THURSDAY 5:30 2 March <i>Chad, Bishop of Lichfield, 672</i>	CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Introit: In manus tuas (ii) - <i>Sheppard</i> Responses: <i>Tallis</i> Psalms: 12, 13 Service: Magnificat secundi toni - <i>Viadana</i> Nunc dimittis - <i>Anonymous</i> 15 <sup>th</sup> Century Anthem: Almighty and everlasting God - <i>Tomkins</i>
SUNDAY 11:00 5 March <i>Lent 1</i> CAN 1	LITANY AND CHORAL EUCHARIST Litany: Loosemore Service: Mass for five voices - Byrd Psalm: 32 Anthems: Ne irascaris Domine - Byrd Civitas sancti tui - Byrd
<b>4:</b> 00	CHORAL EVENSONG Responses: <i>Tomkins</i> Psalm: 103 Service: <i>Brewer</i> in D Anthem: Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace - <i>Wesley</i>
5:15	ORGAN RECITAL Eric Plutz Princeton, NJ
TUESDAY 5:30 7 March Perpetua and her Companions, Martyrs at Carthage, 202	CHORAL EVENSONG Introit: Salvator mundi (1st setting) - <i>Tallis</i> Responses: <i>Tomkins</i> Psalm: 37:1-20 Service: Tone vii and Tone i in faburden - <i>Tallis</i> Anthem: Christe, qui lux es et dies - R. <i>Whyte</i>
WEDNESDAY 5:30 8 March	CHORAL EVENSONG Introit: Salvator mundi (1st setting) - <i>Tallis</i> Responses: <i>Tomkins</i> Psalm: 41 Service: The Short Service - <i>Weelkes</i> Anthem: Miserere mei, Deus - <i>Byrd</i>
THURSDAY 5:30 9 March Gregory, Bishop of Nyssa, c. 394	CHORAL EVENSONG Introit: Salvator mundi (1st setting) - <i>Tallis</i> Responses: <i>Tomkins</i> Psalm: 49 Service: <i>Noble</i> in A minor Anthem: God be in my head - <i>Rutter</i>

SUNDAY 12 March <i>Lent 2</i> <b>DEC 1</b>	11:00	CHORAL EUCHARIST Service: Missa brevis - <i>Walton</i> Psalm: 121 Anthems: Have mercy on us, O my Lord - <i>Copland</i> Help us, O Lord - <i>Copland</i>	
	4:00	CHORAL EVENSONG Responses: <i>Tomkins</i> Psalms: 8, 84 Service: The Westminster Service - <i>Howells</i> Anthem: Lead, kindly light - <i>Stainer</i>	
	5:15	ORGAN RECITAL David Simon New Haven, CT	
TUESDAY 14 March	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG Introit: Hear my prayer - H. Purcell Responses: Ayleward Psalm: 74 Service: Tone vi in faburden - Tomkins Anthem: My Shepherd is the living Lord - Tomkins	
WEDNESDAY 15 March	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG Introit: Hear my prayer - H. Purcell Responses: Ayleward Psalm: 59 Service: The Short Service - Byrd Anthem: Super fluminus Babylonis - Lassus	
SUNDAY 19 March <i>Lent 3</i> CAN 2	11:00	CHORAL EUCHARIST Service: Mass in D - Dvořák Psalm: 95 Anthems: Be still, my soul - Whitlock Ave verum - Mawby	
	4:00	CHORAL EVENSONG Responses: <i>Ayleward</i> Psalm: 34 Service: <i>Purcell</i> in G minor Anthem: Lord, how long wilt thou be angry - <i>H. Purcell</i>	
	5:15	ORGAN RECITAL Wyatt Smith Seattle, WA	
WEDNESDAY 22 March James De Koren, 1 1866		CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Introit: I will lift up mine eyes - <i>Walker</i> Responses: <i>Harris</i> Psalm: 109:1-4, 20-30 Service: <i>Naylor</i> in D Anthem: By the waters of Babylon - <i>Wills</i>	

FRIDAY 24 March	7:30	CONCERT Saint John Passion (1772) - <i>C. P. E. Bach</i> Klopstocks Morgengesang Am Schöpfungsfeste (Morning Song of Creation) - <i>C. P. E. Bach</i> Symphony No. 49, Passion Symphony - <i>F. J. Haydn</i> The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys New York Baroque Incorporated Daniel Hyde, <i>Conductor</i>
SUNDAY 26 March <i>Lent 4</i> <b>DEC 2</b>	11:00	FESTAL EUCHARIST Service: Missa brevis - <i>A. Gabrieli</i> Psalm: 23 Anthems: Remember not, Lord - <i>H. Purcell</i> A Litany - <i>Walton</i>
	4:00	FESTAL EVENSONG Responses: <i>Smith</i> Psalms: 19, 46 Service: <i>Wood</i> in D Anthem: O Lorde, the maker of al thing - <i>Joubert</i>
	5:15	ORGAN RECITAL Roger Judd Malvern, UK
TUESDAY 28 March	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Introit: In manus tuas (iii) - <i>Sheppard</i> Responses: <i>Harris</i> Psalm: 137 Service: Magnificat primi toni - <i>Victoria</i> Nunc dimittis - <i>Tye</i> Anthem: Domine salva nos - <i>Byrd</i>
WEDNESDAY 29 March John Keble, Priest,		CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Introit: I heard a voice from heaven - <i>Morley</i> Responses: <i>Harris</i> Psalm: 142 Service: Magnificat Tone vi - <i>Andreas</i> Nunc dimittis tertii toni - <i>Palestrina</i> Anthem: Defecit in dolore - <i>Byrd</i>
THURSDAY 30 March	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Introit: In manus tuas (iii) - <i>Sheppard</i> Responses: <i>Harris</i> Psalm: 143 Service: The First Service - <i>Sheppard</i> Anthem: Absterge Domine - <i>Tallis</i>

# MARCH 2017 WEEKDAY CHORAL SERVICES

March 1 Wednesday Ash Wednesday			at 12:10 and 5:30
2	SOLEMN LITURG	Y OF ASH WEDNESD	DAY
SERVICE	Missa XVIII - D	Deus genitor alme	Plainsong
INTROIT			<i>Richard Farrant</i> (c. 1530-1580)
and cast not off thy for we confess our	face from us, O Lord, y servant in Thy disple sins unto thee and his te deliver us from all o	éasure; de not our unrighteousn	iess.
	Psalm	n 27:9	
PSALM 51	Miserere	mei, Deus	Gregorio Allegri (c. 1582-1652)
ANTHEM			William Byrd
Emendemus in melius quae ignoranter peccavin ne subito praeoccupati di quaeramus spatium poen et invenire non possumu Attende, Domine, et mis quia peccavimus tibi. Adjuva nos, Deus salutar et propter honorem nom	e mortis, itentiae, s. erere, is noster,	Let us amend for the better in those things in which the have sinned through ignorance; lest suddenly overtaken by the day of death, we seek space for repentance, and be not able to find it. Hearken, O Lord, and have mercy, for we have sinned against thee. Help us, O God of our salvation, and for the bonour of thy name deliver us.	

Psalm 78:9, Distribution of Ashes, Ash Wednesday; c.f. Esther 13, Joel 2

March 2 Thursday Chad, Bishop of Lichfield, 672	sung by the Gentlemen of the	e Choir Choral Evensong at 5:30
PRELUDE	Ricercar del quarto tuono	Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina (c. 1525-1594)
INTROIT		John Sheppard (c. 1515-1560)
In manus tuas, Domine, commendo spiritum meun Redemisti me Domine, Deus veritatis.	n. I comm Thou h	y hands, O Lord, end my spirit. ast redeemed me, d, O God of truth.
	Responsory for Compline	
RESPONSES PSALMS 12, 13 (From the MAGNIFICAT secundi to and NUNC DIMITTIS	, , , ,	Thomas Tallis (c. 1505-1585) Plainsong (Tone IV <sup>9</sup> , Tone IILA <sup>4</sup> ) Lodovici Grossi da Viadana (c. 1560-1627) Anonymous (15th century)

Thomas Tomkins (1572-1656)

Almighty and everlasting God, who hatest nothing that thou hast made and dost forgive the sins of all them that are penitent: Create and make in us new and contrite hearts, that we, worthily lamenting our sins and acknowledging our wretchedness, may obtain of thee, the God of all mercy, perfect remission and forgiveness; through Jesus Christ. Amen.

Collect for Ash Wednesday, Book of Common Prayer

HYMN 140VOLUNTARYVoluntary in aThomas Tomkins

<b>arch 7</b> esday		Choral Evenso at 5:3	
petua and her Companions, Martyrs at C	Carthage, 202		
PRELUDE	Voluntary in d	William Croft	
	, , , , , , , , , ,	(1678-1727)	
INTROIT		Thomas Tallis	
		(c. 1505-1585)	
Salvator mundi salva nos,		Saviour of the world, save us,	
qui per crucem et sanguinem		who by thy cross and precious blood	
redemisti nos: auxiliare nobis,		hast redeemed us: save us and help us,	
te deprecamur, Deus noster.		we humbly beseech thee, our God.	
Antiq	bhon at Matins, Feasts of	the Holy Cross	
RESPONSES		Thomas Tomkins	
		(1572-1656)	
PSALM 37:1-20 (From the Praye	erbook, Page 384)	Anglican Chant (Goss)	
MAGNIFICAT and NUNC DIMITTIS		Thomas Tallis	
Tone	vii and Tone i in fabu	ırden	
ANTHEM		Robert Whyte	
		(c. 1538-1574)	
Christe, qui lux es et dies,		O Christ, who art the light and day,	
Noctis tenebras detegis,		Thou drivest night and gloom away;	
Lucisque lumen crederis,		O Light of light, whose word doth show	
Lumen beatum praedicans.		The light of heaven to us below.	
Precamur, sancte Domine,		All-holy Lord, in humble prayer,	
Defende nos in hac nocte,		We ask tonight thy watchful care;	
Sit nobis in te requies,		O grant us calm repose in thee,	
Quietam noctem tribue.	<b>1</b>		
Ne gravis somnus inruat,		Our sleep be pure from sinful stain;	
Nec hostis nos subripiat,		Let not the tempter vantage gain,	
Nec caro illi consentiens			
Nos tibi reos statuat.		And make us guilty in thine eyes.	
Oculi somnum capiant,		Asleep though wearied eyes may be,	
Cor ad te semper vigilet,		Still keep the heart awake to thee;	
Dextera tua protegat		Let thy right hand outstretched above	
Famulos qui te diligunt.		Guard those who serve the Lord they love.	

Defensor noster aspice, Insidiantem reprime;	Behold, O God our shield, and quell The crafts and subtleties of hell;
Guberna tuos famulos,	Direct thy servants in all good, When they hast trumh ased for the blood
Quos sanguine mercatus es.	Whom thou hast purchased for thy blood.
Memento nostri, Domine,	O Lord, remember us, who bear
In gravi isto corpore;	The burden of the flesh we wear;
Qui es defensor animae,	Thou, who dost e'er our souls defend,
Adesto nobis, Domine.	Be with us even to the end.
Deo Patri sit gloria	All praise to God the Father be,
Ejusque soli Filio,	All praise, eternal Son, to thee,
Sancto simul cum Spiritu	Whom with the Spirit we adore,
Nunc et per omne saeculum. Amen.	For ever and for evermore. Amen.
6 <sup>th</sup> Centu	ry Latin Hymn
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HYMN 144 VOLUNTARY

Christe, qui lux es et dies

Jan Pieterszoon Sweelinck (1562-1621)

<b>rch 8</b> dnesday		Choral Evenso at 5:	
PRELUDE	Largo, from Sonata in c, BV	VV 526 Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)	
INTROIT	Salvator mundi (for text see March 7)	<i>Thomas Tallis</i> (c. 1505-1585)	
RESPONSES		Thomas Tomkins (1572-1656)	
PSALM 41 (From the Prayerbook, Page 391) MAGNIFICAT and NUNC DIMITTIS The Short Service ANTHEM		Anglican Chant (Woods) Thomas Weelkes	
Miserere mei, Deus, secundum magnam misericordiam tuam; Et secundum multitudinem miserationum tuarum, dele iniquitatem meam. <i>Psalm 51:1</i>		Have mercy upon me, O God, after thy great goodness: according to the multitude of thy mercies do away with mine offences.	
HYMN 581 VOLUNTARY	Vivace, from Sonata in c, BV	WV 526 Johann Sebastian Bach	
The Euc	harist is celebrated at the High Alta	5	

<b>March 9</b> Thursday Gregory, Bishop of Nyssa, c. 394		Choral Evensong at 5:30
PRELUDE	Chorale Prelude on 'Song 34'	Charles Villiers Stanford (1852-1924)
INTROIT	Salvator mundi (for text see March 7)	<i>Thomas Tallis</i> (c. 1505-1585)

RESPONSES PSALM 49 (From the I MAGNIFICAT and N	Prayerbook, Page 400) UNC DIMITTIS in A minor	Thomas Tomkins (1572-1656) Anglican Chant (Walmisley) T. Tertius Noble (1867-1953)
ANTHEM		<i>John Rutter</i> (b. 1945)
God be in mine e God be in my mo God be in mine h	ad and in my understanding. yes and in my looking. outh and in my speaking. leart and in my thinking. d and in my departing.	
	Sarum Primer, 1558	
HYMN 656 VOLUNTARY	Prelude in G	William Harris (1883-1973)
The Euch	arist is celebrated at the High Altar follo	owing Evensong.
<b>March 14</b> Tuesday		Choral Evensong at 5:30
PRELUDE	O Mensch, bewein dein Sünde gro BWV 622	oß, Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)
INTROIT		Henry Purcell (1659-1695)
Hear my prayer, 0	O Lord, and let my crying come unto T	hee.
	Psalm 102:1	
RESPONSES		Richard Ayleward
PSALM 74 (From the I MAGNIFICAT and N	UNC DIMITTIS	(1626-1669) Anglican Chant (Deffell, Wesley) Thomas Tomkins
ANTHEM	Tone vi in faburden	(1572-1656) Thomas Tomkins
My Shepherd is the nothing therefore In pastures fair, w he sets me for to	I need: ⁄ith waters calm	
He did convert ar and brought my r To walk in paths For his most holy	nind in frame: of righteousness,	
Through all my li so frankly showed That in thy house my dwelling place	l to me: for ever more	
-	Thomas Sternhold	
HYMN 146 VOLUNTARY	Erbarm dich mein, o liebe Seele, BW	V 721 Johann Sebastian Bach

March 15 Wednesday Choral Evensong at 5:30

PRELUDE	Christus, der uns selig macht, l	BWV 620	Johann Sebastian Bach
			(1685-1750)
INTROIT	Hear my prayer		Henry Purcell
	(for text see March 14)		(1659-1695)
RESPONSES			Richard Ayleward
PSALM 59 (From the P	raverbook Page 411)	(1626-1669) Anglican Chant <i>(Taylor)</i>	
PSALM 59 (From the Prayerbook, Page 411) MAGNIFICAT and NUNC DIMITTIS		11	William Byrd
	The Short Service		(c. 1540-1623)
ANTHEM			Orlandus Lassus (1532-1594)
Super flumina Babylonis	illic sedimus	Over the waters	s of Babylon, there we sat
et flevimus, cum recordaremur Sion.		and wept, as w	e reminisced about Sion.
	Psalm 136:1		
HYMN 695			
VOLUNTARY	O Lamm Gottes, unschuldig, I	BWV 618	Johann Sebastian Bach

The Eucharist is celebrated at the High Altar following Evensong.

<b>March 22</b> Wednesday James De Koven, Priest, 1866	sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir	Choral Evensong at 5:30
PRELUDE	Schmücke dich, o liebe Seele, BWV 654	Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)
INTROIT		Ernest Walker (1870-1949)
My help cometh	eyes unto the hills: from whence cometh my h even from the Lord: who hath made heaven an thy foot to be moved: and he that keepeth the	nd earth.

Psalm 21:1-4

Behold he that keepeth Israel shall neither slumber nor sleep.

RESPONSES PSALM 109:1-4, 20-30 (From the Prayerbook, Page 480) MAGNIFICAT and NUNC DIMITTIS in D William Harris (1883-1973) Plainsong (Tone IV<sup>6</sup>) Edward Naylor (1867-1934)

Arthur Wills (b. 1926)

By the waters of Babylon we sat down and wept: when we remembered thee, O Sion. As for our harps, we hanged them up: upon the trees that are therein. For they that led us away captive required of us then a song, and melody, in our heaviness: Sing us one of the songs of Sion. How shall we sing the Lord's song: in a strange land? By the waters of Babylon we sat down and wept: when we remembered thee, O Sion.

Psalm 137:1-4

HYMN 501 VOLUNTARY Komm, Gott schöpfer, heiliger Geist, Johann Sebastian Bach BWV 631

The Eucharist is celebrated at the High Altar following Evensong.

March 28 Tuesday	sung by the Gentlemen of the C	hoir Choral Evensong at 5:30	
PRELUDE	Ricercar del secondo tuono	Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestina (c. 1525-1594)	
INTROIT		John Sheppard (c. 1515-1558)	
In manus tuas, Domine,		Into thy hands, O Lord,	
commendo spiritum meur		I commend my spirit.	
Redemisti me Domine,		Thou hast redeemed me,	
Deus veritatis.	0 I	O Lord, O God of truth.	
	Responsory for Compline		
RESPONSES		William Harris	
		(1883-1973)	
PSALM 137 (From the Pr	ayerbook, Page 513)	Plainsong (Tone LA <sup>9</sup> )	
MAGNIFICAT primi ton	i	Tomás Luis de Victoria	
and		(1548-1611)	
NUNC DIMITTIS		Christopher Tye	
		(c. 1505-1572)	
ANTHEM		William Byrd	
		(c. 1540-1623)	

Domine salva nos, perimus: impera, et fac Deus tranquilitatem.

O Lord, save us, for we perish: give the word, O God, and create calm.

Magnificat Antiphon from Vespers on the 4th Sunday after Epiphany

HYMN 148 VOLUNTARY

Schmücke dich, o liebe Seele, Op. 122, no. 5 Johannes Brahms (1833-1897)

Folk tune, from Five Short Pieces

PRELUDE

INTROIT

I heard a voice from heav'n saying unto me, Write, From henceforth blessed are the dead which die in the Lord, ev'n so, saith the Spirit, for they rest from their labours. Amen.

## Revelation 14:13

# RESPONSES

PSALM 142 (From the Prayerbook, Page 518) MAGNIFICAT Tone vi and NUNC DIMITTIS tertii toni

ANTHEM

Defecit in dolore vita mea, et anni mei in gemitibus. Infirmata in paupertate virtus mea, et dolor meus renovatus est. Sed tu Domine refugium factus es mihi, et in misericordia tua consolatus sum. William Harris (1883-1973) Plainsong (Tone VI<sup>B</sup>) Carolus Andreas (d. 1627) Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina (c. 1525-1594) William Byrd (c. 1540-1623)

My life is wasted with grief: and my years in sighs. My strength is weakened through poverty, and my sorrow is renewed. But thou, Lord, art become a refuge unto me, and in thy mercy am I comforted.

Psalms 30:11, 38:3

HYMN 147 VOLUNTARY	Andante tranquillo, from Five Short Pieces	Percy Whitlock		
The Eucharist is celebrated at the High Altar following Evensong.				
March 30 Thursday	sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir	Choral Evensong at 5:30		
PRELUDE	Aus tiefer Not, schrei ich du zir, Op. 65, no. 45	Sigfrid Karg-Elert (1877-1933)		
INTROIT	In manus tuas (iii) (for text see March 28)	John Sheppard (c. 1515-1558)		
RESPONSES		William Harris (1883-1973)		
PSALM 143 (From the Prayerbook, Page 518)		Plainsong (Tone VII <sup>1</sup> )		
MAGNIFICAT and NUNC DIMITTIS		John Sheppard		
	The First Service	~ 11		

Choral Evensong at 5:30

Percy Whitlock (1903-1946)

Thomas Morley (c. 1557-1602)

# ANTHEM

Thomas Tallis (c. 1505-1585)

Absterge Domine delicta mea, quae inscienter juvenis feci, et ignosce poenitenti, nam tu es Deus meus, tibi soli fidit anima mea. Tu es salus mea. Dolorem meum testantur lachrimae meae. Sis memor Domine bonae voluntatis tuae. Nunc exaudi preces meas et serviet per aevum tibi spiritus meus. Amen.

O Lord, wipe away my faults which I in ignorance committed in my youth, and forgive the penitent one: for thou art my God, my soul hath faith in thee alone. Thou art my salvation. My tears witness my grief. Remember, O Lord, thy good will. Hear now my prayers, and my spirit shall serve thee throughout all ages. Amen.

Cantiones Sacrae, 1575

HYMN 151 VOLUNTARY

Aus tiefer Not, schrei ich zu dir, BWV 687 Johann Sebastian Bach

(1685 - 1750)

The Eucharist is celebrated at the High Altar following Evensong.

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### THE CHOIR

The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys is considered by many to be the leading ensemble of its kind in the Anglican choral tradition in the United States. The Choir performs regularly with Orchestra of St. Luke's, or with the period instrument ensemble, Concert Royal, as part of its own concert series. Its primary *raison d'être*, however, is to provide music for five choral services each week. Live webcasts of all choral services and further information including recordings of the choir may be found at www.SaintThomasChurch.org

Supplementing its choral services and concert series over the past four decades, the Choir has toured throughout the U.S. and Europe with performances at Westminster Abbey and St. Paul's Cathedral in London, King's College, Cambridge, Windsor, Edinburgh, St. Albans, the Aldeburgh Festival and the Vatican. In February 2012, the Boys of the Choir traveled to Dresden to give the premiere of Lera Auerbach's *Dresden Requiem* with the Dresden Staatskapelle in the Frauenkirche and Semper Oper. Later in 2012, the Choir was invited to perform in the Thomaskirche at the Leipzig *BachFest*, a highlight of their June 2012 tour to Germany and Copenhagen. Domestically, the Choir most recently toured the Southeastern United States and was a featured performer at the National AGO Convention in Houston, Texas.

In addition to the annual performances of Handel's Messiah, concerts at Saint Thomas Church have included Requiems by Fauré, Brahms, Mozart, Duruflé, Victoria and Howells; Bach's Passions, Mass in B Minor and Motets; the U.S. premiere of John Tavener's Mass; the U.S. premiere of Nico Muhly's work My Days with viol consort Fretwork; Handel's Israel in Egypt; a program of Handel and Purcell's baroque masters conducted by John Scott and Richard Egarr along with Juilliard 415 and MacMillan's Seven Last Words from the Cross, conducted by David Hill. In 2014, the Boy Choristers performed in Bach's Saint Matthew Passion at the Park Avenue Armory as part of Lincoln Center's White Light Festival with the Berliner Philharmoniker under the direction of Peter Sellars and conductor Sir Simon Rattle.

The Gentlemen of the Saint Thomas Choir are professional singers; the Boy Choristers attend the Saint Thomas Choir School. Founded in 1919, it is the only church related boarding choir school in the United States, and one of only a few choir schools remaining in the world. The Choir School offers a challenging pre-preparatory curriculum, interscholastic sports, and musical training for boys in grades three through eight. The Choir School is committed to training and educating talented musicians without regard to religious, economic, or social background. Choristers are sought from all regions of the country. Details of admissions procedures and audition requirements are available at www.ChoirSchool.org

The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys is represented by Karen McFarlane Artists, Inc. (www.concertorganists.com) and records exclusively for Resonus Classics (www.resonusclassics.com)

## ABOUT THE ORGANS

Saint Thomas Church has three organs. The chancel organ is a temporary digital using the Hauptwerk system and assembled by Jonathan Ortloff of Boston. This organ serves as the primary service instrument during the construction of the Miller-Scott Organ, expected to be complete by Autumn 2018. This organ of 102 stops across four manuals and pedal is being built by Dobson Organ Builders, Ltd. with wood carving work by Dennis Collier Studios. This new organ will retain the 'blaze of sound' for which the Arents Memorial Organ was beloved while providing a greater degree of color, expression, and tonal flexibility to better accompany the choir. Although predominately a new organ, the Miller-Scott Organ will retain fifteen of the finest ranks from the old instrument and is to be dedicated in memory of John Scott.

In the spring of 1996 the gallery instrument was dedicated as the Loening-Hancock Organ. The firm of Taylor & Boody of Staunton, Virginia built the instrument to a specification of 21 stops over two manuals and pedal. In 2015, Taylor & Boody expanded the instrument with the addition of a Brustwerk division and new color stops, bringing the completed disposition to 31 stops over three manuals and pedal. The instrument is inspired by the tradition of organ building which was active in the Netherlands and North Germany in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. Stop and key action are mechanical and the temperament is Kellner.

The Martha J. Dodge Continuo Organ was built and initiated in December, 2001. This superb portative instrument, consisting of 4 ranks of pipes, was built by the firm of Taylor & Boody.

## THE SAINT THOMAS CHOIR OF MEN AND BOYS

Jonathan Bolena Aidan Stanton-Brand Leighton Cheuk Darin Choi Carl Erickson+ Emanuel Estrella Samuel Jin

# Countertenor

Eric Brenner Padraic Costello Corey-James Crawford Patrick Fennig Jeffrey Freuler

#### Trebles

Francisco Halvey Noah Henthorn Ethan Kim Sung Yoon (Daniel) Lee Eduardo Morel Fernando Morel

> **Tenor** Nathaniel Adams Mark Bleeke Lawrence Jones David Vanderwal

Benjamin Osborne Nathan Park\* Anders Pedersen Elyot Segger Filip Sentypal Isaac Shin Christopher Ventura

#### Bass

Richard Lippold Daniel Moore Andrew Padgett Charles Perry Sprawls Christopher Trueblood

Acolytes

Dylan Cranston Ian Osborne John Zahorsky

> \*Frances S. Falconer Choristership +Ogden Northrop Lewis, Jr. Choristership

The Saint Thomas Choir School is a residential school for Boys in grades three through eight. All Boys in the school sing in the Choir of Saint Thomas Church. The student body, drawn principally from the East Coast, is quite diversified. Though they come from a wide variety of economic and cultural backgrounds, the Boys all share an involvement in music and a high level of academic ability. The Reverend Charles F. Wallace

Headmaster, The Saint Thomas Choir School www.ChoirSchool.org



# 2016–2017 SEASON OVERVIEW

# OCTOBER 27, 2016 | THURSDAY at 7:30 pm

THE CREATION F. J. HAYDN

The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys Orchestra of St. Luke's Daniel Hyde, conductor

#### DECEMBER 6 & 8, 2016 | TUESDAY & THURSDAY at 7:30 pm

MESSIAH G. F. HANDEL

The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys - Concert Royal Daniel Hyde, conductor

# DECEMBER 15, 2016 | THURSDAY at 5:30 pm

A CEREMONY OF CAROLS BENJAMIN BRITTEN

DANCING DAY JOHN RUTTER

The Boys of Saint Thomas Choir - Bridget Kibbey, http: Daniel Hyde, conductor

#### FEBRUARY 4, 2017 | SATURDAY at 2 pm

KEYBOARD MUSIC FROM AND INSPIRED BY LA SERENISSIMA Daniel Hyde, orgin NOTICNETS REQUIRED DONATION REQUESTED

#### MARCH 24, 2017 | FRIDAY at 7:30 pm

ST. JOHN PASSION (1772) C.P.E. BACH KLOPSTOCKS MORGENGESANG AM SCHÖPFUNGSFESTE (MORNING SONG OF CREATION) C.P.E. BACH

SYMPHONY NO. 49, PASSION SYMPHONY F. J. HAYDN

The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys New York Baroque Incorporated - Daniel Hyde, conductor

# HOLY WEEK MUSICAL MEDITATIONS

## APRIL 10, 2017 | MONDAY from 7-8 pm

ORGAN MUSIC OF J.S. BACH

NO TICKETS REQUIRED DONATION REQUESTED

APRIL 11, 2017 | TUESDAY from 7-8pm TENEBRAE RESPONSORIES CARLOS GESUALDO

TENET · Daniel Hyde, organ

Benjamin Sheen, organ

# APRIL 28, 2017 | FRIDAY at 7:30 pm

MISSA PAPAE MARCELLI GIOVANNI PIERLUIGI DA PALESTRINA

The Copenhagen Royal Chapel Choir - Ebbe Munk, conductor

#### MAY 11, 2017 | THURSDAY at 7:30 pm

GLORY BE TO THEE O LORD: SONGS OF FAITH, HOPE AND LOVE The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys - Daniel Hyde, awdwrwr

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# MUSIC FOR THE CHURCH

Training the Boy Chorister The 44<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference for Choirmasters and Organists April 30, May 1 and May 2, 2017

# Mr. Daniel Hyde, conductor

working with the Trebles of the Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys

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# SAINT THOMAS CHURCH FIFTH AVENUE

# Spring 2017 Organ Recital Series Sunday Afternoons at 5:15 p.m.

# DANIEL HYDE Organist and Director of Music

February 26 April 30

# BENJAMIN SHEEN Associate Organist

January 29 April 16 May 14

January 8 JAMES KEALEY WELLS, UK

January 15 DANIEL HYDE

January 22 David von Behren Cleveland, OH

January 29 BENJAMIN SHEEN

February 5 CARSON COOMAN CAMBRIDGE, MA

February 12 Christopher Henley Anniston, AL **February 19** IAN TOMESCH BETHLEHEM, PA

February 26 DANIEL HYDE

March 5 Eric Plutz Princeton, NJ

March 12 DAVID SIMON NEW HAVEN, CT

March 19 WYATT SMITH SEATTLE, WA

March 26 ROGER JUDD MALVERN, UK April 2 Erik Suter Gaithersburg, MD

> April 9 PALM SUNDAY No recital

April 16 BENJAMIN SHEEN Easter Day, special time 2:30pm

> April 23 Rachel Mahon Chester, UK

April 30 DANIEL HYDE Choirmasters' Conference Recital

May 7 Christopher Dekker Grand Rapids, MI

> May 14 Benjamin Sheen

# SAINT THOMAS CHOIR SCHOOL



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