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PRESENTS

OLIVIER LATRY  
PLAYS WAGNER AND WIDOR



Olivier Latry, *organ*

TUESDAY, MARCH 7, 2023

7:30 P.M.

SAINT THOMAS CHURCH FIFTH AVENUE

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## PROGRAM

KINDLY REMEMBER  
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Overture  
from *Der fliegende Holländer*, WWV 63  
*Richard Wagner*  
(1813-1883)  
tr. Edwin H. Lemare

Prière  
from *Rienzi, der letzte der Tribunen*, WWV 49  
*Richard Wagner*  
tr. Olivier Latry

Overture  
from *Die Meistersinger von Nürnberg*, WWV 96  
*Richard Wagner*  
tr. Edwin H. Lemare

## INTERMISSION

*15 minutes*

Symphonie pour orgue  
No. 5 in F minor, Op. 42 No. 1  
*Charles-Marie Widor*  
(1844-1937)

*Allegro vivace*

*Allegro cantabile*

*Andantino quasi allegretto*

*Adagio*

*Toccata*

## BIOGRAPHY

French organist **Olivier Latry** is one of the most distinguished concert organists in the world today. One of three titular organists at the Cathedral of Notre-Dame in Paris, he is also Professor of Organ at the Paris Conservatory of Music, Organist Emeritus with the Montreal Symphony Orchestra in Canada, Artist in Residence at the Dresdner Philharmonie for the 2021-2022 season, the William T. Kemper Artist in Residence at the University of Kansas until 2024, and he maintains a full schedule of concert performances appearing regularly as a soloist at prestigious venues and festivals, and with leading orchestras around the world.



Having performed in more than fifty countries on five continents, Mr. Latry does not want to specialize in any specific repertoire, but rather wishes to explore all styles of organ music, as well as the art of improvisation. Mr. Latry has inaugurated many significant concert hall organs around the world, including Verizon Hall (Philadelphia USA), The Palace of the Arts (Budapest, Hungary), and The Musikverein (Vienna, Austria), and La Maison Symphonique (Montréal, Canada). He also performed a concert as part of the inaugural concert series at the Royal Festival Hall in London (UK) and took part at the inaugural concert at the Philharmonie de Paris. At the turn of the twenty-first century, to celebrate Olivier Messiaen as one of the greatest composers of the 20<sup>th</sup> century, he performed three complete cycles (six recitals each) of Messiaen's organ music, at the Cathedral of Notre-Dame in Paris, the Church of St. Ignatius Loyola in New York City and St. Paul's Cathedral in London.

In addition to concerts and teaching, Mr. Latry has made many acclaimed recordings. His most recent releases include two CDs on the la Dolce Volta label: a 2019 recording entitled "Bach to the Future" (the last commercial recording made of the Notre-Dame Cathedral organ before the devastating fire), and the most recent release in 2021 entitled "Inspirations" which features works by Franz Liszt recorded on the organ at the Philharmonie de Paris. In celebration of Mr. Latry's 60<sup>th</sup> birthday, Deutsche Grammophon is releasing a box of ten CDs which will include his complete recordings with the label (Bach, Berlioz, Franck, Alkan, Liszt, Wagner, Mozart, Rachmaninov, Prokofiev, Messiaen, Florentz, and Escaich). Mr. Latry has also recorded the Poulenc *Concerto* and the Barber *Toccata Festiva* with the Philadelphia Orchestra, and the Jongen *Symphonie Concertante* with the Liège Orchestra.

Mr. Latory was born in Boulogne-sur-Mer, France, in 1962 where he began his musical studies. He later attended the Academy of Music at St. Maur-des-Fossés, studying organ with Gaston Litaize. From 1981 to 1985 he was titular organist of Meaux Cathedral, and at the age of 23 won the competition to become one of the three titular organists of the Cathedral of Notre-Dame in Paris along with Philippe Lefebvre and Jean-Pierre Leguay; the three of them succeeding Pierre Cochereau. In 1990 he succeeded his teacher, Gaston Litaize, as organ professor at the Academy of Music at St. Maur-des-Fossés, and then subsequently in 1995 was appointed Professor of Organ at the Paris Conservatory where he continues to teach today along with his distinguished colleague, Thomas Ospital.

In recognition of his distinguished work in the field of organ performance and teaching, Mr. Latory has received many prestigious awards and honorary degrees including the Prix de la Fondation Cino et Simone Del Duca (Institut de France–Académie des Beaux-Arts) in 2000, and “Honoris Causa” Fellowships from the North and Midlands School of Music (UK) in 2006, and from the Royal College of Organists (UK) in 2007. He was also presented the International Performer of the Year award by the New York City chapter of the American Guild of Organists in April 2009 and received an honorary Doctor of Music degree from McGill University in Montreal Canada in 2010.

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**March 30, 2023 | Thursday at 7:30pm**

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**April 1, 2023 | Saturday at 3pm**

Music for Passiontide: A Choral Festival

The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys

Choir of New College Oxford

Jeremy Filsell, *conductor* Robert Quinney, *conductor*

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HOLY WEEK MUSICAL MEDITATIONS

**April 3, 2023 | Monday at 6:45pm**

Messiaen: Les Corps glorieux

Maks Adach, *organ*

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HOLY WEEK MUSICAL MEDITATIONS

**April 4, 2023 | Tuesday at 6:45pm**

Poulenc: Sextet

Atlantic Reed Consort

Jeremy Filsell, *piano*

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**May 16, 2023 | Tuesday at 7:30pm**

American Lamentations

The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys

Orchestra of St. Luke's

Aundi Marie Moore, *soprano*

Jeremy Filsell, *conductor*

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# Holy Week at Saint Thomas Church

## **April 2 | Sunday at 11am: Palm Sunday – Liturgy of the Palms**

Sung by the Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys and

The Choir of New College Oxford

*Music of Castagnet, Moe, Lassus, Weir, Guerrero*

## **April 2 | Sunday at 4pm: Palm Sunday – Solemn Evensong**

Sung by the Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys

*Music of Leighton, Weir*

## **April 3 | Monday at 5:30pm: Holy Monday – Solemn Eucharist**

Sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir

*Plainsong with music of Tallis*

## **April 4 | Tuesday at 5:30pm: Holy Tuesday – Solemn Eucharist**

Sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir

*Plainsong with music of Tallis*

## **April 5 | Wednesday at 5:30pm: Holy Wednesday – The Office of Tenebrae**

Sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir

*Plainsong with music of A. Scarlatti*

## **April 6 | Thursday at 5:30pm: Maundy Thursday – Mass of the Lord's Supper**

Sung by the Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys

*Music of Walton, Latona, Mundy, N. Jackson*

## **April 7 | Friday at 5:30pm: Good Friday – Celebration of the Lord's Passion**

Sung by the Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys

*Music of Filsell, Schulz-Widmar, Byrd, Hallock, Lotti*

## **April 8 | Saturday at 5:30pm: Holy Saturday – The Great Vigil**

Sung by the Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys

*Music of Hancock, Caracciolo, Reid*

## **April 9 | Sunday at 8am & 11am: Easter Day – Procession & Solemn Eucharist**

Sung by the Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys

With Saint Thomas Brass

*Music of Hancock, Reid, Wood, Caracciolo, Candlyn, Archer*

## **April 9 | Sunday at 3pm: Easter Day – Solemn Evensong & Procession**

Sung by the Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys

*Music of Leighton, Kelly, Prendergast, Wood, J.S. Bach, Stanford*

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