

St. Mark's Cathedral Chapel
Sunday 8 January 2017, 3:00 p.m.

Curt Sather, organist
Jacob Herbert, bass-baritone

I. Sonate II (1937) Paul Hindemith (1895-1963)

- i. Lebhaft*
- ii. Ruhig bewegt*
- iii. Fuge*

II. Motet "Fili mi, Absalon", SWV 269 Heinrich Schütz (1585-1672)
from Symphoniae Sacrae I (1629)

Fili me, Absalon. My son, Absalom.

<i>Quis mihi tribuat,</i>	<i>If only I had died</i>
<i>ut ego moriar pro te!</i>	<i>instead of you!</i>
<i>Absalon, fili mi.</i>	<i>Absalom, my son.</i>

III. Sonata IV in F major, Wq. 265; Wq. 70/3 Carl Philipp Emanuel Bach (1714-1788)

- i. Allegro*
- ii. Largo*
- iii. Allegretto*

IV. Lacrymosa: Do not stand at my grave and weep Howard Goodall (b. 1958)
from Eternal Light: A Requiem (2008)

Do not stand at my grave and weep, I am not there, I do not sleep.
I am a thousand winds that blow, I am the softly falling snow.
I am the gentle show'rs of rain, I am the fields of ripening grain.
I am in the morning hush, I am in the graceful rush
of far-off birds in circling flight.
I am the starshine of the night.
Lacrymosa dies illa. (Mournful be that day.)
I am in ev'ry flower that blooms I am in still and empty rooms.
I am the child that yearns to sing: I am in each lovely thing.
Do not stand at my grave and cry, I am not there, I did not die.

V. Organbook I (1989) Ned Rorem (b. 1923)

- i. Fantasy*
- ii. Episode*
- iii. Song*
- iv. Serenade*
- v. Reveille*

VI. Cantata "Der Friede sei mit dir", BWV 158 Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)
for the Feast of the Purification of Mary, or for the Third Day of Easter

i. *Recitativo*

Der Friede sei mit dir, Du ängstliches Gewissen!

Peace be with you, you anxious conscience !

Dein Mittler stehet hier, Du ängstliches Gewissen!

Your mediator stands here, by him the book of your guilt

Und des Gesetzes Fluch Verglichen und zerrissen.

and the law's curse have been settled and torn up.

Der Friede sei mit dir,

Peace be with you,

Der Fürste dieser Welt, Der deiner Seele nachgestellt,

the prince of this world who hunted after your soul,

Ist durch des Lammes Blut bezwungen und gefällt.

is conquered and felled through the Lamb's blood.

Mein Herz, was bist du so betrübt,

My soul, why are you so distressed,

Da dich doch Gott durch Christum liebt!

since God loves you through Christ!

Er selber spricht zu mir: Der Friede sei mit dir!

He himself says to me: peace be with you!

ii. *Aria with Chorale*

Welt, ade, ich bin dein müde, Welt, ade, ich bin dein müde,

World, farewell, I am weary of you, World, farewell, I am weary of you,

Salems Hütten stehn mir an, Ich will nach dem Himmel zu,

the tents of Salem suit me better, I want to go to heaven,

Wo ich Gott in Ruh und Friede, Da wird sein der rechte Friede

where in peace and calm there will be true peace

Ewig selig schauen kann., Und die ewig stolze Ruh.

I can in bliss gaze on God for ever. and eternal majestic calm.

Da bleib ich, Welt, bei dir ist Krieg und Streit,

da hab ich Vergnügen zu wohnen, Nichts denn lauter Eitelkeit;

There I shall stay, World, with you is war and strife,

there I shall delight to dwell, nothing but pure vanity;

Da prang ich gezieret In dem Himmel allezeit

mit himmlischen Kronen. Friede, Freud und Seligkeit.

There I shall be resplendent adorned In heaven at all times

with heavenly crowns. peace, joy and bliss.

iii. *Recitativo and Arioso*

Nun, Herr, regiere meinen Sinn, Damit ich auf der Welt,

Now, Lord, govern my thoughts so that in the world,

So lang es dir, mich hier zu lassen, noch gefällt,

so long as it pleases you to leave me here,

Ein Kind des Friedens bin, Und laß mich zu dir aus meinen Leiden

I may be a child of peace, and let me from my sufferings

Wie Simeon in Frieden scheiden!

like Simeon depart to you in peace!

Da bleib ich, da hab ich Vergnügen zu wohnen,

There I shall stay, there I shall have delight to live,

Da prang ich gezieret mit himmlischen Kronen.

there I shall be resplendent adorned with heavenly crowns.

iv. *Chorale (please stand and sing)*

In Peace and Joy I Now Depart

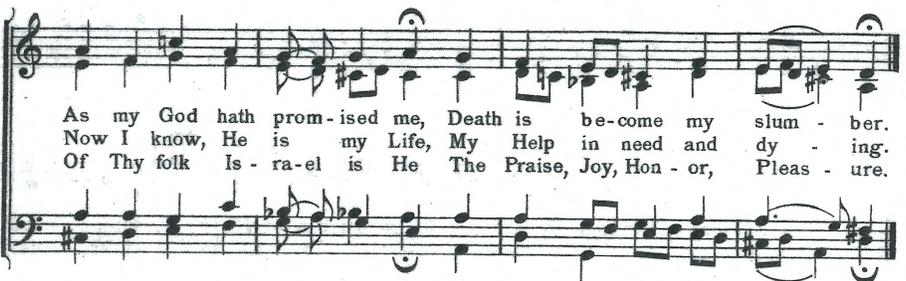
Mit Fried und Freud ich fahr dahin



1. In peace and joy I now de-part, As God would have — me. For
2. This Christ has wrought, God's on - ly Son The faith-ful Sav - ior, Whom
3. He is the Hope and sav - ing Light Of lands be - night - ed; By



full of com - fort is — my heart, He doth save — me.
Thou hast made mine eyes — to see By Thy fa - vor;
Him are they who dwell — in night Fed and light - ed.



As my God hath prom - ised me, Death is be - come my slum - ber.
Now I know, He is my Life, My Help in need and dy - ing.
Of Thy folk Is - ra - el is He The Praise, Joy, Hon - or, Pleas - ure.