

Bach Festival V

Carolyn Brock, Director; Wendy Case, Violin; Anna Meyer, Flute; Erik Meyer, Harpsichord.

Sunday, May 15th, 2011 at 4:00 PM

Program

Brandenburg Concerto No. 5 in D-Major, BWV 1050 Johann S. Bach
I. Allegro
II. Affetuoso
III. Allegro

Wendy Case, Violin; Anna Meyer Flute, Erik Meyer, Harpsichord
Harpsichord courtesy of Erie Chamber Orchestra, Bruce Morton Wright, Director

Intermission

Motet No 3 in e-minor: "Jesu, Meine Freude", BWV 227 Johann S. Bach
I. Jesu, meine Freude
II. Es ist nun nichts Verdammliches
III. Unter deinem Schirmen
IV. Denn das Gesetz
V. Trotz dem alten Drachen
VI. Ihr aber seid nicht fleischlich
VII. Weg mit allen Schätzen
VIII. So aber Christus in euch ist
IX. Gute Nacht, o Wesen
X. So nun der Geist
XI. Weicht, ihr Trauergeister

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Erie Renaissance Singers, Luther Memorial Choir and Orchestra

Announcing the 2011-2012 Luther Memorial Concert Series

October 1, 2011 Lisa Laymen, Lyric Soprano
October 28, 2011 Family Halloween Concert, Erik Meyer, Organist
February 25, 2012 Bach Festival VI
May 5, 2012 Steve Rudolph Jazz Trio with Guest Solost
Educational Seminars will be announced to coincide with these events.

I
Jesus, my joy,
my heart's pasture,
Jesus, my jewel.
Oh, how long
has this heart been anxious
and longed for You!
Lamb of God, my Bridegroom,
apart from You, on Earth
no other will be my beloved.
Johann Franck (1618-1677)

II
There is therefore now no
condemnation to them
who are in Christ Jesus,
who wander not after the flesh,
but after the Spirit.
Romans 8:1

III
Under your shelter,
I am free from the storms
of all my adversaries.
Let Satan rage,
let the enemy assail,
Jesus will be with me.
Whether thunder and lightning strike at
once,
Whether sin and hell together terrify,
Jesus will cover me.
Johann Franck

IV
For the law of the Spirit
which gives life in Christ Jesus
has set me free from the law
of sin and death.
Romans 8:2

V
In spite of the old Dragon,
in spite of the jaws of death,
in spite of fear as well!
Rant, oh world, and quake,
I stand here and sing
in absolutely secure tranquility!
God's might is mindful of me;
earth and desolation must be silenced,
even though they still are growling.
Johann Franck

VI
You, however, live not by the flesh,
but by the Spirit,
if the spirit of God lives in you.
But who does not have the Spirit of
Christ, is not His.
Romans 8:9

VII
Away with all treasure!
You are my delight,
Jesus, my pleasure! Away, you vain honors,
let me not hear from you,
stay unknown to me!
affliction, adversity, the cross,
disgrace, and death
will not, however much I may suffer,
separate me from Jesus.
Johann Franck

VIII
And if Christ is in you,
the body is dead because of sin;
but the Spirit is life
because of righteousness.
Romans 8:10

IX
Good night, oh ways
that choose the world,
I do not care for you!
Good night, you sins,
stay far behind me,
never again return!
Good night, pride and pomp!
May you entirely, you onerous life,
be put to bed.
Johann Franck

X
But if the Spirit of Him
that raised Jesus from the dead
dwells in you, so will the same
that raised Christ from the dead
quicken your mortal bodies
by His Spirit dwelling in you.
Romans 8:11

XI
Yield, you spirits of sadness,
for my master of joy,
Jesus, is entering in.
For those who love God
even their afflictions
must be pure bliss.
I have borne
here derision and ridicule,
still, you remain even in my suffering,
Jesus, my joy.
Johann Franck