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TONY WAY RHYS BOAK BRENDON LUKIN FRANK DE ROSSO



TONY WAY began his involvement with St Francis Church Melbourne in 1986. In 1987 he was awarded an Italian Government Scholarship to study at the Conservatorio G. B. Martini in Bologna in 1987. He was appointed Director of Music at St Francis at age 35, one of the youngest musicians to be given a major church music directorship in Australia. He accompanied St Francis' Choir on its European tour in 1990-91 where the highlight was playing in the presence of Olivier Messaien.

TONY WAY 29th November

White Note Paraphrase James MacMillan (b. 1959)

Sonata No. 3 in A Major Felix Mendelssohn (1809-47)

Con moto maestoso Andante tranquillo

Two settings of two Christmas Chorales Johann Sebastian Bach (1685-1750)

Jesu, meine Freude BWV 1105

BWV 610

Der Tag, der ist so freundenreic BWV 719

BWV 605

Psalm Prelude, Op. 32, No. 2

Herbert Howells (1892-1983)



RHYS BOAK is one of Australia's busiest organists. He studied organ with John Mallinson and Douglas Lawrence OAM, at Melbourne University, and harpsichord with Ann Murphy. He has made several concert tours to Europe and Asia. He is in constant demand locally and internationally as both a recitalist and accompanist. Rhys has held the post of College Organist at Ormond College. He is currently the organist and manager of music at St Michael's Church, Melbourne.

RHYS BOAK 6th December

Allegro from the 6th organ Symphony C.M. Widor (1844-1937)

Toccata Adagio and Fugue in C BWV 564 J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

Pastorale from the Christmas Concerto Arcangelo Corelli (1653-1713)

March on a theme of Handel Alexandre Guilmant (1837-1911)

Consolation number 3 Franz Liszt (1811-1886)

Grand Choeur Dialogue Eugene Gigout (1844-1925)



BRENDON LUKIN has performed with leading musicians and ensembles including Barenboim, Boulez and Ashkenazy, the Melbourne, Tasmanian and Sydney Symphony orchestras, Sydney Philharmonia, Cantilation and the National Boys Choir. He has performed as soloist for ABC Classic FM, recorded for ABC Classics and produced a solo CD. Brendon is currently a member of the Air Force Band and Director of Music at St David's Uniting Church, Newtown.

BRENDON LUKIN

13 December

Tanz-Toccata (1970) Anton Heiller (1923-1979)

Trio Sonata No.2 J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

i. Vivace

ii. Largo

iii Allegro

Symphony No.1(Opus 14) Louis Vierne (1870-1937)

iii Pastorale

iv. Allegro Vivace

Prelude et Fugue sur le nom d'Alain (1943) Maurice Dur

Maurice Durufle (1902-1986)



FRANK DE ROSSO is Organist at The Basilica of St Mary of the Angels and accompanist to the Basilica Choir. He is also Artistic Director for Music at the Basilica. He graduated from The Victorian College of the Arts and continued his studies in Holland and Italy. He is currently on the Music staff at St Joseph's College. Frank has a strong interest in preserving the rich heritage of sacred music from many sources and periods.

FRANK DE ROSSO

20th December

Two settings of a Christmas Carol 'Joseph est Bien Marie'

Alexandre Guilmant (1837-1911) Claude Balbastre (1727-1799)

Celebration for Festivity

Daniel Pinkham (1923-2006)

Voluntary No.5

John Stanley (1712-1786)

Two Advent Hymn settings
Vom Himmel Hoch
Wachet auf, ruft uns die Stimme

Gottfried Homilius (1714-1785) Hans Schink (1881-1943)

Pastorale Bolero de Concert Op.166 Louis Lefebure-Wely (1817-1869)

Aria in D (from Suite for Orch)

J.S.Bach (1685-1750) (arr. A Henderson)

Symphony No.5 in C minor (1st Movement)

Ludwig van Beethoven (1770-1827) (arr. T Heywood)