Pohl-Gjelsten Trio -

"Music to pass the time in Lockdown"

Peter Gjelsten, violin and viola, Helene Pohl, violin, Rolf Gjelsten, cello

Wednesday Lunchtime Concerts providing lunchtime music in the heart of the city since 1974





Welcome

It is wonderful that you have come. Thank you. We want your experience today to be the best that it can be and would appreciate you taking a moment to read the following before the concert commences.

Keep safe by locating the exit nearest to your seat. In the event of an earthquake, our recommendation is to **Drop, Cover and Hold.**

Bon appetit! You are welcome to have your lunch during the performance. Switching your cell phone to **silent** is important to the performers and other members of the audience. Your support by way of a **donation** and telling others about the concerts would be fantastic and very much appreciated. It does make a difference.

If you wish to photograph or video today's concert, please ask for permission from the performer(s) before the concert begins. This is important.

We invite you now to sit back, relax and **enjoy** the concert.

Our Mission is to create a lively, open Christian faith community, to act for a just and peaceful world, and to be catalysts for discovery, compassion and celebration in the capital.

These lunchtime concerts are **advertised** through Radio New Zealand Concert's Live Diary at around 8.10 am on the day of the concert, and listed on St Andrew's website.

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Programme

Sonata for Solo Violin "Obsession" opus 27#2 Eugene Ysaye

Prelude: Poco Vivace

Malinconia: Poco lento

Danse des Ombres: Sarabande (lento) con variazioni

Les Furies: Allegro Furioso

Trio Sonata (originally for organ) # 5 in C Major JS Bach

Allegro

Largo

Allegro

Trio Sonata #6 in G Major JS Bach

Vivace

2 Micro-Trios Ross Harris

Andante moderato

"Helene, Rolf, Peter"

(World live-performance premiere)

3 Caprices for 2 violins Henryk Wienawski

Moderato in g minor opus 18#1

Andante in D Major opus 18#6 (performed on violin and cello)

Tempo di Saltarella in a minor opus 18#4

Quartet for piano, violin, viola and cello in C minor Gabriel Faure

Allegro molto moderato

Scherzo: Allegro vivo

Performed by AHUREI

Otis Prescott-Mason, piano

Peter Gjelsten, violin Jess Jenkins, viola Jack Moyer, cello

Like many musical families, Rolf, Helene and Peter discovered unexpected varieties of possibilities for music making during lockdown, which they shared with friends over 14 weekly Zoom concerts. This concert is a selection of the musical riches they sampled together during that extraordinary time. They are delighted that AHUREI is joining them in rounding out the programme today.

Rolf and Helene are members of the New Zealand String Quartet. Peter, their son, is 17 and in Year 13 at the Chilton Music School. Otis and Jess are also finishing secondary school this year, and Jack is in Year 12. AHUREI were Silver Award winners at the 2020 Secondary Schools Chamber Music Contest.

Programme notes provided by the performers.



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September

2nd Music for Violin & Piano and Piano Four Hands Kristina Zuelicke (piano), Sunny Cheng (piano) and HyeWon Kim (violin)

Elgar – Chanson de Matin, Op. 15, No. 2 ; Chanson de Nuit, Op. 15, No. 1 , Romance, Op. 1 Mozart – Fugue for Piano, Four Hands, K. 401 Schubert - Grand Rondo in A Major, D 951 Poulenc – Sonata for Piano Four Hands Mendelssohn – Andante and Allegro assai vivace, Op. 92 (1841)

9th String Ensemble of the New Zealand School of Music

16th NZSM Classical voice students

17th (Thursday) NZSM Woodwind Students

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