

# FRIDAY MUSIC AT MIDDAY



*National City Christian Church*

5 THOMAS CIRCLE, NW  
WASHINGTON, DC 20005

## **ALLEGRO CON FUOCO**

*Keyboard Duo*

*October 9, 2020*

*12:15 p.m.*

## PROGRAM

Lord of the Dance	19 <sup>th</sup> Century Shaker Tune arr. Joel Raney (b. 1956)
Overture to the Hebrides	Felix Mendelssohn (1809 – 1847)
Rhapsody on English Hymntunes	Charles Callahan (b. 1951)
Kiara Pig Jig	Robin Dinda (b. 1959)

## MEET THE ARTISTS

**ALLEGRO con FUOCO** is a duo formed in January 2014 by Tyler A. Canonico and Jordan R. Markham. These fine musicians first met performing at a concert in July of 2013 and within two months they began collaborating. What started off as two musicians quickly became two best friends who together bring life and excitement to the traditional world of organ and piano music, striving to provide the most fulfilling musical experiences while entertaining audiences with a unique flair.

**Tyler A. Canonico** is the Minister of Music and Organist at Market Square Presbyterian Church in downtown Harrisburg, Pennsylvania and is also the Sub Dean for the Harrisburg Chapter of the American Guild of Organists.

**Jordan R. Markham** is the Director of Music and Organist at St. Stephen's Episcopal Cathedral in downtown Harrisburg, Pennsylvania and is also the Artistic Director of the Central Pennsylvania Women's Chorus.

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