FRIDAY MUSIC AT MIDDAY



National City Christian Church 5 Thomas Circle, NW

WASHINGTON, DC 20005

DAVID BROCK

Organist

October 30, 2020 12:15 p.m.

PROGRAM

Prelude in g minor, BuxWV 149 Dietrich Buxtehude (1637-1707)

Nun bitten wir den Heiligen Geist, BuxWV 208 Dietrich Buxtehude (1637-1707)

Chorale #1 in E major César Franck (1822-1890)

David Brock CD's are available for purchase before and after the program. \$15 each, or 3 for \$40

More information about David H. Brock, including upcoming concerts, music samples, CD information may be found at www.davidbrockmusic.com.

MEET THE ARTIST

David Brock is organist at St. John's Presbyterian Church, Reno, Nevada. Since March 2020 Sunday services, as well as study and prayer groups, have continued live online via Zoom. You are invited to join the Sunday worship at 10:30 AM Pacific, 1:30 PM Eastern each week: link is available here at: www.stjohnschurch.orgi

David is the Organist and Continuo artist with TOCCATA, the Tahoe Symphony Orchestra and Chorus, and has served in that role since the orchestra's founding in 2005. David has also made guest appearances with the Alexandria Symphony Orchestra in Virginia, in performances of the Saint-Saens Organ Symphony, and the Mozart Requiem. TOCCATA continues during the pandemic with outdoor chamber music as weather permits.

David Brock maintains an active organ recital schedule throughout the United States. Recent appearances have included Washington National Cathedral, Princeton University Chapel, St. Thomas Church New York City, the Cathedral of Our Lady of the Angels, Los Angeles, National City Christian Church, Washington DC.

David Brock is a signed artist with A. W. Tonegold Records. His 8th and most recent CD is "Reflections – Organ Concerti of 3 Centuries" featuring the Josef Rheinberger Organ Concerto #1 in F major for Organ, Strings and 3 Horns, the Leo Sowerby Classic Concerto for Organ and Strings, and George Frideric Handel Concerto Op. 4, #4 in F Major for Organ, Strings, Oboes and Basso Continuo

David's discography:

- 1. David H. Brock (2001) organ J. S. Bach Schübler Chorales, J. Langlais Neuf Pieces
- 2. For Thou Art With Me (2005) Howells, Karg-Elert, Langlais, Messiaen, Praetorius, Sowerby.
- 3. Taste of TOCCATA v. 1 (2008) w/ TOCCATA incl. Handel Organ Concerto Op. 4 #3
- 4. A Baroque Christmas (2009) w/ TOCCATA orchestra/chorus organ, harpsichord continuo
- 5. Mozart Requiem (2010) w/ TOCCATA orchestra and chorus organ
- 6. Going Baroque (2011) w/TOCCATA organ, harpsichord Handel Organ Concert Op.4 #2
- 7. Handel Messiah selections (2013) w/TOCCATA organ, harpsichord
- 8. Reflections (2015) Organ Concerti of 3 Centuries: Handel, Sowerby, Rheinberger, w/Brock Musica Aliquando

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