

#### A MESSAGE FROM THE ARTISTIC DIRECTOR

BY MADELEINE EASTON

Bach Akademie Australia welcomes you to our 2021 season - The Many Faces of Bach!

After musicians and audiences alike endured a year of silence, 2021 begins with 'Alleluja - an Easter Celebration', music of hope and renewal.

In this program, you will hear four different faces of Bach; firstly as a young man in a cantata based on a Martin Luther hymn, then onto Singet dem Herrn' featuring a double choir, then a masterpiece of instrumental adaptation in the triple violin concerto, and finishing with his Missa Brevis in A, encapsulating Bach's true love of music dedicated to God.

With the pandemic sadly still a factor in our world's daily lives, we must care for our audience members and patrons - your health and safety is a priority at our events.



## TICKETING AND SEATING

Tickets for our performances are available online through our website:

bachakademieaustralia.com.au

To protect your health we have social distancing measures in place for seating, and tickets are only available to purchase as singles or doubles.

We have restricted the number of tickets available.

A Service NSW QR code will be available at the entry to each venue.

We recommend that you install the Service NSW app on your device. Please arrive early for the concert to allow yourself time to register with our Front of House staff for contact tracing purposes.

Seating is unreserved, however, please be patient upon arrival as our ushers will direct you to the best available seats depending on your type of ticket.

Only patrons who have purchased double tickets will be permitted to sit together.

You can either print out your email confirmation as proof of purchase or show the email on your device to our staff.

### PROTECTING YOUR HEALTH

Masks are highly recommended whilst inside the venues, and will be available at the door should you need.

Bach Akademie Australia will ensure the church is sanitised before performances in accordance with NSW Health Guidelines.

Please practise social distancing at all times, and avoid gathering in groups on the footpath before and after performances.

Consider downloading the CovidSafe App.

#### ATTENDANCE GUIDELINES IF YOU ARE UNWELL

Please do not attend a performance if you:

- are feeling unwell
- are awaiting results of a COVID-19 test
- have been in contact with a suspected or confirmed case of COVID- 19
- have just returned from overseas or a hotspot area



In any of these cases, we will offer you a full refund on your ticket purchase, including the booking fee.





HARMONY IS NEXT TO GODLINESS

J.S.BACH



# VENUE INFORMATION FOR 'ALLELUJA - AN EASTER CELEBRATION' CONCERTS

Friday March 26, 7:30pm

St Francis of Assisi Church 457-459 Oxford St, Paddington No parking available on site.

Saturday March 27, 2:00pm

Parish of the Holy Name Church 35 Billyard Avenue, Wahroonga Parking is available on site.

The doors will open 30 minutes prior to both concerts.

If you require any further information please email info@bachakademieaustralia.com.au or phone 1300 785 377.