Great Sacred Music Sunday, September 24, 2023

1. Christ is Made the Sure Foundation

Traditional

Choirs of Saint Paul's Parish, K Street
Washington Symphonic Brass
Jeffrey Smith, conductor

2. This is the Day John Rutter (1945 -)

Cambridge Singers

Aurora Orchestra

John Rutter, Conductor

3. Gloria in D, RV 589 Antonio Vivaldi (1678 - 1741)

Atlanta Symphony Orchestra & Chamber Chorus
Dawn Upshaw, soprano
Penelope Jensen, soprano
Marietta Simpson, mezzo-soprano
Robert Shaw, conductor

4. Toccata from *Twelve Pieces* Theodore Dubois (1837 - 1924)

Andrew Lucas, organ

5. Tantum ergo, Op. 65, No. 2 Gabriel Faure (1845 - 1924)

Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys
Richard Pittsinger, soloist
Jack Keller, soloist
Samuel Schipps, soloist
Kevin Kwan, organ
John Scott, conductor

6. Cantata: BWV 8, *Liebster Gott, wenn werd ich sterben*Johann Sebastian Bach (1685 - 1750)

Netherland Boys Choir
Netherlands Bach Collegium
Ruth Holton, soprano
Syste Buwalde, alto
Marcel Beekman, tenor
Bas Ramselaar, bass
Pieter Jan Leusink, conductor

7. Organ Concerto in G Carl Philipp Emanuel Bach (1714 - 1788)

Paillard Chamber Orchestra
Marie-Claire Alain, organ
Jean-François Paillard, conductor

8. Featured Work: Moses, Op. 67 Max Bruch (1838 - 1920)

Russian Chamber Philharmonic, St. Petersburg
Kantorei Maulbronn
Peter Lika, bass (Moses)
Birgitte Christensen, soprano
Stefan Vinke, tenor

Each composition in this program invites us on a musical journey through time and space, with each piece standing as a testimony to the timeless power and beauty of sacred music.