

BACH

13 FEBRUARY TO 21 MARCH 2018



Al Bustan Festival

25th year

Program is subject to change.

All performances take place in the Emile Bustani Auditorium unless otherwise stated.

All performances start at 8:30 pm unless otherwise stated.

Tickets will be on sale at Librairie Antoine starting January 5, 2018.

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AL BUSTAN FESTIVAL 2018 PROGRAM

Tuesday 13 February
JAZZ SEBASTIAN BACH
The Swingle Singers

Thursday 15 February
Saint-Louis des Capucins Church, Beirut
MAGNIFICAT, BACH
Gemma Summerfield, soprano; Anna Harvey, alto; Nicholas Mulroy, tenor; Matthew Brook, bass-baritone; Collegium Musicale Choir; Corelli Baroque Orchestra; Gianluca Marciànò, conductor.

Sunday 18 February
Saint-Elie Church, Kantari
SAINT JOHN PASSION
Gemma Summerfield, soprano; Anna Harvey, alto; Nicholas Mulroy, tenor; Matthew Brook, bass-baritone; Collegium Musicale Choir; Corelli Baroque Orchestra; Gianluca Marciànò, conductor.

Monday 19 February
Venue to be confirmed
TOCCATA AND FUGUE
Thomas Ospital, organist

Wednesday 21 February
Saint-Joseph Jesuit Church
MISSA IN B MINOR, BACH
Gemma Summerfield, soprano; Fflur Wyn, soprano; Anna Harvey, alto; Nicholas Pritchard, tenor; Matthew Brook, bass-baritone; Collegium Musicale Choir; Corelli Baroque Orchestra; Gianluca Marciànò, conductor.

Friday 23 February
THE GOLDBERG VARIATIONS
Martin Stadtfeld, piano.

Sunday 25 February
BREAKDANCING BACH
Flying Steps

Monday 26 February
THE BACH FAMILY AND HAYDN
Steven Isserlis, cello; Lucerne Symphony Orchestra.

Tuesday 27 February
LUCERNE'S BACH PLAYLIST
Steven Isserlis, cello; Maggie Cole, harpsichord; Lucerne Symphony Orchestra.

Wednesday 28 February
JASMIN TOCCATA, INDIE Crossover MUSIC
Jean Rondeau, clavecin; Thomas Duford, luth; Keyvan Chemirani, zarb / santour

Thursday 1 March
Crystal Garden, Al Bustan Hotel
ARABIC POETRY EVENING WITH BACH
Mireille Maalouf, actress; Rifaat Torbey, actor; Roman Storojenko, cello.

Saturday 3 March
ALL BACH PIANO RECITAL
Kit Armstrong, piano.

Monday 5 March
GAUTIER'S FAVOURITES
Gautier Capuçon, cello; Jérôme Ducros, piano.

Thursday 8 March
The National Museum
THE EVEN BACH SUITES Nos. 2, 4, 6
Antonio Meneses, cello.

Saturday 10 March, at 7 pm
Mar Charbel Church, Maad
THE ODD BACH SUITES Nos. 1, 3, 5
Victor Julien-Laferrrière, cello, First Prize winner of the 2017 Queen Elizabeth Competition

Sunday 11 March
Beyt Emir, Clemenceau
BACH AT HOME
Mahan Esfahani, harpsichord.

Tuesday 13 March
Saint-Elie Church, Kantari
BACK TO BACH: CANTATAS AND SINFONIAS
Andreas Scholl, countertenor; Accademia Bizantina Baroque Orchestra; Ottavio Dantone, conductor.

Thursday 15 March
Mar Charbel Church, Corniche Mazraa, Unesco
BACH AGAIN, HARPSICHORD CONCERTOS
Accademia Bizantina Baroque Orchestra; Ottavio Dantone, harpsichord / conductor

Saturday 17 March
BACH PLUCKED UNPLUCKED
Edouard Ferlet, piano; Violaine Cochard, harpsichord.

Monday 19 March
ALL-TIME FAVOURITE BACH VIOLIN CONCERTOS
Sergei Krylov, violin/ conductor; Lana Trotoevsk violin; Lithuanian Chamber Orchestra.

Tuesday 20 March
CONTEMPORARY INNOVATIVE RYTHMS
New Piano Trio: Florian Willeitner, violin; Maria Radutu, piano; Ivan Turkalj, cello.

Wednesday 21 March
BACH BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION ORCHESTRAL SUITES
Lithuanian Chamber Orchestra; Gianluca Marciànò, conductor.
