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# Leeds Lunchtime Organ Music

2018/19

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Mondays at 1.05pm

**Leeds Town Hall**

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CITY COUNCIL



**Darius Battiwalla**  
City Organist

A very warm welcome back to our Monday lunchtime concerts at the Town Hall. Once again we will welcome a wide range of exciting players, from possibly our youngest-ever recitalist, the prizewinning Paul Grealley who has just completed his GCSEs, to what might respectfully be called 'old hands'.

Perhaps in this latter category is our City Organist Emeritus, Simon Lindley, who returns to give a very welcome solo recital as well as hosting visits from David Greed. Phillip McCann returns as guest soloist with a group new to us - the band of Salford University, one of the leading brass band centres in the country. It's also very exciting to welcome back Nigel Ogden who has received an enthusiastic response on his previous visits, as well as Leeds' own international recitalist Graham Barber. Our choral concerts give an opportunity to hear some landmarks of the repertoire - Britten's *Ceremony of Carols* from the Choir of Leeds Cathedral, and Rutter's Requiem with the Leeds Minster Choir.

Although we have a huge range of organ music for you this season, from as far afield as Nigeria, Hungary, Russia and Argentina, it is possible that we have left out some of your favourites - so I will be playing a request programme on February 25. Please send your choices to [music@leeds.gov.uk](mailto:music@leeds.gov.uk) before Christmas. Please also send suggestions for a recitalist to be chosen by you, the audience - if there is anyone you think should make a first appearance at the Town Hall, or who has not played here for at least five years, we'd like to know.

Finally thanks to you, the audience - your ongoing enthusiastic support continues to make this one of the most successful organ recital series in the country.

# 2018

**17 September 2018**

## Darius Battiwalla

Leeds City Organist

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| Bach        | Fantasia & Fugue in G minor, BWV 542                     |
| Saint-Saëns | Fantaisie in E flat                                      |
| Durufé      | Prelude; Sicilienne, Toccata (Suite Op 5)                |
| Coates      | Westminster; Knightsbridge March ( <i>London Suite</i> ) |

**24 September 2018**

## David Greed

Leader, Orchestra of Opera North

## Simon Lindley

City Organist Emeritus

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| Elgar/Grace      | Solemn Prelude: For the Fallen                                   |
| Bach             | Allegro (Concerto in E major)                                    |
| Vaughan Williams | Two Pieces: <i>Greensleeves</i> ; <i>David of the White Rock</i> |
| Vaughan Williams | The Lark Ascending   |
| Jongen           | Petit Prélude  |
| Jongen           | Pensée d'Automne   |
| Elgar            | Chanson de Matin   |
| Kreisler         | Sicilienne & Rigaudon  |

**1 October 2018**

## Daniel Moulton

London and Birmingham

|              |  |
|--------------|--|
| Bach/Liszt   | Introduction to Cantata 21                                 |
| Mozart       | Three London Notebook Pieces                               |
| Mozart       | Adagio & Allegro, K594                                     |
| Saint-Saëns  | O Salutaris Hostia   |
| Thalben-Ball | Variations on a theme by Paganini (for pedals)             |
| Whitlock     | Divertimento; Fanfare (from <i>Four Extemporisations</i> ) |

**8 October 2018**

## **Paul Greally**

Organ Club Prizewinner

|                    |  |
|--------------------|--|
| <b>Widor</b>       | Allegro (Symphonie VI)                 |
| <b>Franck</b>      | Prélude, Fugue et Variation            |
| <b>Saint-Saëns</b> | Improvisation No 7                     |
| <b>Bach</b>        | Prelude & Fugue in D major,<br>BWV 532 |
| <b>Stocken</b>     | St Raphael ( <i>Archangels</i> )       |
| <b>Howells</b>     | Paeon                                  |

**15 October 2018**

## **Darius Battiwalla**

Leeds City Organist

|                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| <b>Mendelssohn</b> | Sonata No 3 in A  |
| <b>Bach</b>        | Aus Tiefer Not, BWV 686   |
| <b>Whitlock</b>    | Pastorale; Duetto; Plaint;<br>Exultemus ( <i>Seven Sketches</i> ) |
| <b>Reubke</b>      | Sonata in C minor The 94th Psalm                                  |

**22 October 2018**

## **Alan Horsey**

Halifax

|                  |  |
|------------------|--|
| <b>Buxtehude</b> | Prelude, Fugue & Chaconne                              |
| <b>Stanley</b>   | Voluntary in D, Op 6, No 6                             |
| <b>Bach</b>      | Allein Gott in der Höh' sei Ehr<br>(Fughetta), BWV 677 |
| <b>Bach</b>      | Allein Gott in der Höh' sei Ehr<br>(Trio), BWV 664     |
| <b>Brahms</b>    | Prelude & Fugue in G minor                             |
| <b>Reger</b>     | Perpetuum Mobile                                       |
| <b>Dupré</b>     | Cortège et Litanie                                     |
| <b>Vierne</b>    | Berceuse   |
| <b>Widor</b>     | Marche Pontificale (Symphonie I)                       |

**29 October 2018**

## **Peyee Chen**

soprano

## **Ben Thapa**

tenor

## **Simon Lindley**

City Organist Emeritus

|                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| <b>Bach</b>        | Domine Deus<br>(from Mass in B minor)                             |
| <b>Mendelssohn</b> | My song shall be always thy mercy<br>( <i>Hymn of Praise</i> )    |
| <b>Lindley</b>     | Five Hymns to the Virgin<br>(first performance)                   |
| <b>Stainer</b>     | Love Divine, all loves excelling<br>( <i>Daughter of Jairus</i> ) |

**5 November 2018**

## **Darius Battiwalla**

Leeds City Organist

### **Silent Film Accompaniment**

In association with Leeds International Film Festival  
- film to be announced in the LIFF brochure and at  
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**12 November 2018**

## **Jonathan Hope**

Gloucester Cathedral

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**19 November 2018**

## **Darius Battiwalla**

Leeds City Organist

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|--------------------------------|---|
| <b>Vivaldi/Bach</b>            | Concerto in A minor                           |
| <b>Humperdinck/<br/>Lemare</b> | Angels' Scene<br>( <i>Hansel and Gretel</i> ) |
| <b>Cocker</b>                  | Tuba Tune                                     |
| <b>Lemare</b>                  | Bell Scherzo                                  |
| <b>Howells</b>                 | Master Tallis's Testament                     |
| <b>Hollins</b>                 | Concert Toccata in B flat                     |

**26 November 2018**

## Tom Bell

Concert Organist

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>Emma Nielsen</b> | Elevated Echoes (of a lost past)                                |
| <b>Bach</b>         | Tocatta, Adagio & Fugue in C, BWV 564                           |
| <b>Gibbs</b>        | Oxford May Music  |
| <b>Wesley</b>       | Andante Cantabile in G  |
| <b>Bolcom</b>       | Free fantasia on <i>O Zion, Haste and How firm a foundation</i> |

**3 December 2018**

## Darius Battiwalla

Leeds City Organist

|                    |   |
|--------------------|---|
| <b>Mendelssohn</b> | Prelude & Fugue in D minor                      |
| <b>Herschel</b>    | Allegro in G minor                              |
| <b>Dupré</b>       | Suite Bretonne, Op 21                           |
| <b>Bach</b>        | Wachet auf, ruft uns die Stimme                 |
| <b>Reger</b>       | Choralfantasie: Wachet auf, ruft uns die Stimme |

**10 December 2018**

## Choir of Leeds Cathedral

**Ben Saunders** conductor  
**David Pipe** organ  
**Mary Reid** harp

## Advent and Christmas Music

**Britten** Ceremony of Carols

including carols for all to sing

**Tuesday 11 December 2018**

## University of Salford Brass Band

**Tom Davoren** conductor  
with special guest **Phillip McCann**

including carols for all to sing

**17 December 2018**

## Simon Lindley

City Organist Emeritus

|                     |   |
|---------------------|---|
| <b>CS Lang</b>      | Fanfare   |
| <b>MacCunn/Cull</b> | Overture: <i>The Land of the Mountain and the Flood</i>                                       |
| <b>Bédard</b>       | Variations on <i>In dulci jubilo</i>  |
| <b>Massenet</b>     | The Last Sleep of the Virgin  |
| <b>Tchaikovsky</b>  | Dance of the Sugar Plum Fairy; Danse Arabe; Dance of the Reed Pipes ( <i>The Nutcracker</i> ) |
| <b>Déthier</b>      | Christmas (1902)  |

## The 2018 Lord Mayor's Carol Concerts

Leeds Town Hall

**Thursday 20 December 2018**

6.30 pm & 8.30 pm

## Leeds Philharmonic Chorus

## Rothwell Temperance Band

**Joseph Judge** chorus master

**Alan Horsey** organ

introduced and conducted by **Simon Lindley**

**Tickets: £6.50** (discounts £3.50)

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No recitals on 24 December, 31 December, 7 January.

# 2019

## 14 January 2019

### Dr Gordon Stewart

Huddersfield Town Hall

|             |  |
|-------------|--|
| Rawsthorne  | Marche Triomphale                        |
| Buxtehude   | Praeludium in D                          |
| Bach        | Nun freut' euch                          |
| Bach        | Prelude & Fugue in A minor,<br>BWV 543   |
| Haydn/Wall  | Scherzando                               |
| Mendelssohn | Sonata No 4 in B flat                    |
| Gárdonyi    | Mozart Changes                           |
| Whitlock    | Salix; Toccata ( <i>Plymouth Suite</i> ) |

## 21 January 2019

### Darius Battiwalla

organ

### Dr Brett Baker

solo trombone, Black Dyke Band

|             |                      |
|-------------|----------------------|
| Pergolesi   | Sinfonia             |
| Guilmant    | Morceau Symphonique  |
| Guilmant    | Pastorale (Sonata I) |
| Boismortier | Sonata               |
| Liszt       | Hosanna              |
| Guilmant    | Finale (Sonata I)    |
| Holst       | Duo Concertante      |
| Prevert     | Autumn Leaves        |

## 28 January 2019

### Darius Battiwalla

Leeds City Organist

|                              |   |
|------------------------------|---|
| Franck                       | Choral No 1   |
| Mendelssohn/<br>Goss-Custard | Scherzo<br>( <i>Midsummer Night's Dream</i> )                   |
| Dupré                        | Prelude & Fugue in G minor,<br>Op 7, No 3                       |
| Fela Sowande                 | Go Down, Moses; Pastourelle;<br>Joshua fit de battle of Jericho |
| Gatty Sellars                | Evening Idyll   |
| Pablo Bruna                  | Tiento de lo tono de<br>mano derecha                            |
| Guy Bovet                    | Salamanca   |

## 4 February 2019

### Graham Barber

Concert Organist (St Bartholomew Armley)

|                          |   |
|--------------------------|---|
| Smart                    | Festive March in D  |
| Lemare                   | Allegretto in B minor                                     |
| Bach                     | Fantasia & Fugue in C minor,<br>BWV562 (compl Stockmeier) |
| Handel/<br>Graham Barber | Ombra mai fu<br>(or Handel's <i>Lager</i> )               |
| Karg-Elert               | Rondo alla Campanella                                     |
| Karg-Elert               | Valse Mignonne, Op 142, No 2                              |
| Franck                   | Final   |

## 11 February 2019

### University of Salford Brass Band

Tom Davoren conductor

with special guest Phillip McCann

## 18 February 2019

### St Peter's Singers

Simon Lindley conductor

David Houlder organ

Kristina James soprano

Quentin Brown baritone

Vaughan Williams Dona nobis pacem

Vaughan Williams Five Mystical Songs

## 25 February 2019

### Darius Battiwalla

Leeds City Organist

### Request programme

Please send your requests before Christmas to:

Leeds International Concert Season

Leeds Town Hall, The Headrow, Leeds, LS1 3AD

or [music@leeds.gov.uk](mailto:music@leeds.gov.uk)

4 March 2019

## Dr Thomas Trotter

Birmingham City Organist

|                        |  |
|------------------------|--|
| <b>JC Bach/Trotter</b> | Concerto, Op 1, No 6   |
| <b>Schumann</b>        | Two studies in canonic form<br>(iv) Innig (v) Nicht zu schnell |
| <b>Ginastera</b>       | Toccatà, Villancico & Fugue                                    |
| <b>Whitlock</b>        | Canzona; Scherzetto<br>(Sonata in C minor)                     |
| <b>Holst/Trotter</b>   | Jupiter ( <i>The Planets</i> )                                 |

11 March 2019

## The Choir of Leeds Minster

Paul Dewhurst conductor

David Houlder organ

Brooke Edwards soprano

|                    |                                     |
|--------------------|-------------------------------------|
| <b>Purcell</b>     | Remember not Lord our Offences      |
| <b>Purcell</b>     | Funeral Sentences for<br>Queen Mary |
| <b>John Rutter</b> | Requiem                             |
| <b>Chilcott</b>    | God so loved the world              |
| <b>Leighton</b>    | Solus ad victimam                   |

18 March 2019

## Nigel Ogden

The Organist Entertains

|                              |   |
|------------------------------|---|
| <b>Walford Davies</b>        | RAF March Past                                      |
| <b>Offenbach</b>             | Tales of...   |
| <b>Trad</b>                  | Two Topical Tunes!                                  |
| <b>Rota</b>                  | The Glass Mountain                                  |
| <b>An English Classic...</b> | Henry VIII...or not?                                |
| <b>Ogden</b>                 | Remembering the Ritz, Majestic,<br>Odeon and others |

25 March 2019

## Darius Battiwalla

Leeds City Organist

|                       |  |
|-----------------------|--|
| <b>Elgar/Sinclair</b> | Pomp and Circumstance<br>March No 4  |
| <b>Whitlock</b>       | Five Short Pieces:<br>Allegretto - Folk Tune - Andante<br>tranquillo - Scherzo - Paean |
| <b>Bach</b>           | Seasonal chorale prelude   |
| <b>Thea Musgrave</b>  | Seasonal chorale prelude   |
| <b>Bach/Widor</b>     | Finale ( <i>St Matthew Passion</i> )   |
| <b>Messiaen</b>       | Transports de Joie ( <i>L'Ascension</i> )  |

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## Talk to us!

If you have any questions or comments about Leeds International Concert Season please contact us:

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