

50TH
YEAR



2020–2021

BACH

Cantata Vespers



**Grace Lutheran Church
River Forest, Illinois**

**Sunday afternoons
Lecture at 3:00 p.m.
Prelude at 3:45 p.m.**

September 27
BWV 51

Jauchzet Gott in allen Landen *Exult in God in every land*
Susan Nelson, soprano

F. Dean Lueking, Grace Lutheran Church and School, River Forest, Illinois, homilist

November 1
BWV 106

Gottes Zeit ist die allerbeste Zeit *God's time is the very best time*
L. George Detweiler, Norristown, Pennsylvania, homilist

Stefan Kiessling, Leipzig, Germany, guest organist

November 22
BWV 70

Wachet! Betet! Betet! Wachet! *Watch! Pray! Pray! Watch!*

Phyllis N. Kersten, Grace Lutheran Church and School, River Forest, Illinois, homilist

Vivaldi: Concerto for Cello, Strings, and Continuo in A minor, RV 418

Hillert: Prelude to Evening Prayer

January 31
BWV 82

Ich habe genug *I have enough*

Douglas Anderson, baritone

Michael D. Costello, Grace Lutheran Church and School, River Forest, Illinois, homilist

Kontras Quartet: Eleanor Bartsch, François Henkins, Ben Weber, and Jean Hatmaker

February 28
BWV 32

Liebster Jesu, mein Verlangen *Dearest Jesus, my desire*

Yehiel Curry, ELCA Metropolitan Chicago Synod, homilist

Catherine R. Rodland, St. Olaf College, guest organist

March 28
BWV 180

Schmücke dich, o liebe Seele *Deck thyself, O dear soul*

E. Louise Williams, Valparaiso, Indiana, homilist

Bach: Brandenburg Concerto No. 4 in G Major, BWV 1049

April 25
BWV 6

Bleib bei uns, denn es will Abend werden *Stay with us, for evening falls*

Frank C. Senn, Evanston, Illinois, homilist

Steven Wente, Concordia University Chicago, guest organist

Kapelle, Concordia University Chicago, guest choir; Charles P. Brown, director

May 23
BWV 34

O ewiges Feuer, o Ursprung der Liebe *O eternal fire, O source of love*

David R. Lyle, Grace Lutheran Church and School, River Forest, Illinois, homilist

Mozart: Sonata in F Major, KV 244

Händel: Organ Concerto in B-flat Major, Op. 4, No. 2

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