

Gloria Dei Lutheran Church
Presents

Mary Catherine Levri

Organ

Sunday, 10 January 2016, The Baptism of the Lord, 4:00pm

Praeludium in E minor, BuxWV 142

Dietrich Buxtehude
1637-1707

Hymn: From heaven above to earth I come
sung by all, standing

VOM HIMMEL HOCH DA KOMM ICH HERR

Canonic Variations on 'Vom Himmel hoch da komm ich her,' BWV 769

J. S. Bach
1685-1750

- I. Canone all'ottava
- II. Canone alla quinta
- III. Canone alla settima
- IV. Canon per augmentationem
- V. Canto fermo in canone

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Marcel Dupré
1886-1971

Antiphon V (How Fair and how Pleasant art Thou)
Ave maris stella II (Jesus' tender Mother, make Thy Supplication)
Magnificat I (My Soul doth Magnify the Lord)

Kleine partita super 'Es ist ein Ros entsprungen'

Anton Heiller
1923-1979

- I.
- II.
- III.

Orgelsatz super 'Es ist ein Ros'

Hymn: To Jordan came the Christ, our Lord
sung by all, standing

CHRIST, UNSER HERR

Prelude and Fugue in C Major, BWV 547

J. S. Bach

From heaven above to earth I come

VOM HIMMEL HOCH DA KOMM ICH HERR

1. From heav'n a - bove to earth I come To bring good
2. To you this night is born a child Of Mar - y,
3. This is the Christ, God's Son most high, Who hears your
4. The bless - ing which the Fa - ther planned The Son holds

news to ev - 'ry - one! Glad tid - ings of great joy I
cho - sen vir - gin mild; This new - born child of low - ly
sad and bit - ter cry; He will him - self your Sav - ior
in his in - fant hand, That in his king - dom, bright and

bring To all the world, and glad - ly sing:
birth Shall be the joy of all the earth.
be And from all sin will set you free.
fair, You may with us his glo - ry share.

5. Glory to God in highest heav'n,
Who unto us his Son has giv'n.
With angels sing in pious mirth:
A glad new year to all the earth!

Text: Martin Luther, 1483-1546; hymnal translation, 1978
Tune: V. Schumann, Geistliche Lieder, 1539
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To Jordan came the Christ, our Lord

CHRIST, UNSER HERR

1. To Jor - dan came the Christ, our Lord, to do his Fa - ther's
 2. These truths on Jor - dan's banks were shown By might - y word and
 3. There stood the Son of God in love, His grace to us ex -
 4. All that the mor - tal eye be - holds Is wa - ter as we

plea - sure; Bap - tized by John, the Fa - ther's Word Was
 won - der. The Fa - ther's voice from heav'n came down, Which
 tend - ing; The Ho - ly Spir - it like a dove Up -
 pour - it. Be - fore the eye of faith un - folds The

giv - en us to trea - sure. This heav'n - ly wash - ing now shall be
 we do well to pon - der: "This man is my be - lov - ed Son,
 on the scene de - scend - ing; The tri - une God as - sur - ing us,
 pow'r of Je - sus' me - rit. For here it sees the crim - son flood

A cleans - ing from trans - gre - sion And, by his blood and ag - o - ny,
 In whom my heart has plea - sure. Him you must hear, and him a - lone,
 With prom - is - es com - pel - ling, That in our bap - tism he will thus
 To all our ills bring hea - ling; The won - ders of his pre - cious blood

Re - lease from death's op - pres - sion. A new life now a - waits us.
 And trust in full - est mea - sure The word that he has spo - ken."
 A - mong us find a dwell - ing To com - fort and sus - tain - us.
 The love of God re - veal - ing, As - sur - ing his own par - don.

Text: Martin Luther, 1483-1546; tr. Elizabeth Quitmeyer, 1911-1988, alt.

Tune: J. Walther, Geistliche Gesangbüchlein, 1524

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Mary Catherine Levri is a second-year doctoral student in the Sacred Music program at the University of Notre Dame. She studies organ with Dr. Craig Cramer, and is currently serving as one of the accompanists at Holy Cross Church in South Bend, IN. Mary Catherine served as the Assistant Director of the Liturgical Choir, Director of the Community Choir, and Assistant Organist at the Basilica of the Sacred Heart at Notre Dame from 2010 to 2014. She graduated from the University of Notre Dame in 2006 with a Bachelor of Arts degree in the Program of Liberal Studies and Organ Performance. In 2008, Mary Catherine received a Master's of Theological Studies from the Pontifical John Paul II Institute for Studies in Marriage and Family and went on to receive a Master's of Sacred Music from Notre Dame in 2011. Mary Catherine occasionally gives lectures through the Notre Dame Center for Liturgy and writes for Oblation, the blog of the NDCL. She has previously served as organist and choir director in parishes in Pennsylvania, Maryland and Virginia.

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