Sunday 15 September 2024 St Michael's Church, Bishop's Stortford

Boglárka György (violin) & Amy Butler (piano)

Programme:

Edvard Grieg - Violin Sonata No. 2 in G major, Op. 13

- i. Lento doloroso Allegro vivace
- ii. Allegretto tranquillo
- iii. Allegro animato

Amy Beach - Romance for Violin and Piano, Op. 23

Igor Frolov - Concert Fantasy on Themes from Gershwin's 'Porgy and Bess'



Boglárka György

A spark of passion for music ignited by Bizet's Carmen led violinist Boglárka György to pursue a career as an artist. Originally from Hungary, she is a graduate of the Liszt Academy of Music, Budapest, and has also called Israel home. She is currently based in Poole, Dorset.

In 2017 Boglárka gave her solo debut playing Bartók's second Violin Concerto with the Savaria Symphony Orchestra under conductor Gergely Madaras. She has also had the privilege of working with conductors such as Zubin Mehta, Elim Chan, Santtu-Matias Rouvali and Mirga Gražinytė-Tyla. She regularly performs with the Philharmonia, CBSO, BBC Philharmonic, Manchester Camerata and Bournemouth Symphony Orchestra.



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Amy Butler

Amy studied with British concert pianist Martin Roscoe and gained a first-class master's degree from the University of Oxford. She has a particular passion for chamber music, with regular duo partners including violinist Boglárka György, flautist Chris Hill and cellist Katharine Ley. She also comprises one half of the Luna Piano Duo and one quarter of the Dash Quartet (woodwinds and piano).

Amy has performed extensively across the UK, with recent highlights including Stratford-upon-Avon Music Society, North Westmorland Arts, Warwick Arts Centre, Salisbury Chamber Music, Melrose Music Society, Sprotbrough Music Society, the Eric Coates Society and the Guild of Musicians and Singers (London).



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