

TERRA SANCTA ORGAN FESTIVAL

Music from the Churches of the Middle East and the Levant

Concert Season 2019/20

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ADMISSION FREE TO ALL CONCERTS

JORDAN

AMMAN | Terra Santa College

26 September 2019 at 19:00

800 YEARS FROM THE PILGRIMAGE OF PEACE OF ST. FRANCIS IN THE MIDDLE EAST

ST. FRANCIS IN MUSIC & IMAGES

*Organ Improvisations by **Mario Mariani (Italy)**, on episodes from St. Francis' life*

Clips from the silent movie BROTHER SUN (1918)

In collaboration with the Embassy of Italy in Amman

GREECE

ORGAN & MUSIC FESTIVAL RHODES 2019

(28 September – 5 October)

RHODES | Church of St. Francis

28 September 2019 at 20.00

RENAISSANCE MUSIC

Vocal ensemble "Vox Sinceris"

RHODES | Church of Our Lady of Victory "Santa Maria"

30 September 2019 at 20.00

VOICE AND ORGAN RECITAL

Afroditi Fykari, soprano - **Christos Paraskevopoulos**, organ

RHODES | Church of St. Francis

2 October 2019 at 20.00

Children and Mixed Choir and Mandolin Orchestra of the Municipality of Petaloudes

Natassa Bolaki, organ - **Flora Pelekanou**, director

RHODES | Church of St. Francis

4 October 2019 at 20:00

800 YEARS FROM THE PILGRIMAGE OF PEACE OF ST. FRANCIS IN THE MIDDLE EAST & THE LEVANT

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*Organ Improvisations by **Eugenio Maria Fagiani (Italy)** on episodes from St. Francis' life*

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In collaboration with the Italian Institute of Culture in Athens

SPIRITUAL CHORAL MUSIC

St Cecilia Singers - Natasa Bolaki, organ - **Christos Paraskevopoulos**, conductor

RHODES | Church of St. Francis

5 October 2018 at 20:00

ORGAN OPEN DAY & ORGAN RECITAL

Educational Open Day in collaboration with the **Hellenicon Odeion**, Rhodes branch

Organ recital: **Christos Paraskevopoulos**, organ

HOLY LAND

Ouverture

EMMAUS EL QUBEIBEH | Terra Sancta Monastery

29 September 2019 at 11:30

FEAST OF STS. CLEOPA AND SIMEON

at 10:30 Solemn Mass

at 11:30 Recital for Organ, Cello and Voice

Jamil Freij (Palestine), organ & voice; **Lucia D'Anna** (Italy), cello

HOLY LAND PIPE ORGAN WEEKS 2019

(22 October – 8 November)

TEL AVIV-YAFO | Church of St. Peter (Old Jaffa) at 18:00

22 October: **Erzsébet Windhager-Gered** (Romania), organ

In collaboration with the Romanian Cultural Institute in Tel Aviv

29 October: **Fausto Caporali** (Italy), organ

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In collaboration with the Italian Institute of Culture in Tel Aviv

5 November: **Levente Kuzma** (Hungary), organ

In collaboration with the Embassy of Hungary in Israel

NAZARETH | Basilica of the Annunciation at 18:00

23 October: **Erzsébet Windhager-Gered** (Romania), organ

In collaboration with the Romanian Cultural Institute in Tel Aviv

6 November: **Levente Kuzma** (Hungary), organ

In collaboration with the Embassy of Hungary in Israel

HAIFA | Saint Joseph Latin Parish (Sderot HaMeginim)

28 October at 19:00

Fausto Caporali (Italy), organ

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JERUSALEM | Church of St. Saviour (Old City, New Gate) at 18:00

24 October: **Erzsébet Windhager-Gered** (Romania), organ

In collaboration with the Romanian Cultural Institute

31 October: **Juan Paradell Solé** (Spain), organ

7 November: **Levente Kuzma** (Hungary), organ

In collaboration with the Representative Office of Hungary in Ramallah

BETHLEHEM | Church of St. Catherine at Nativity Basilica at 18:00

25 October: **Fausto Caporali** (Italy), organ

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1 November: **Juan Paradell Solé** (Spain), organ

8 November: **Levente Kuzma** (Hungary), organ

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SYRIA

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WITH ROBERT KOVÁCS (HUNGARY)

organist of the Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra

DAMASCUS | Latin Parish of St. Anthony

12 November 2019 at 18:00

ALEPPO | Latin Parish of St. Francis

16 November 2019 at 19:30

LATAKIA | Latin Parish of The Sacred Heart

18 November 2019 at 18:00 pm

DAMASCUS PIPE ORGAN WEEK 2019

(14 – 21 November)

14 November: Church of St. Anthony – Salhieh

CONCERT FOR ORGAN & ORCHESTRA

Robert Kovács (Hungary), organ

Syrian National Symphony Orchestra

Missak Baghboudarian (Syria), conductor

19 November: Church of St. Anthony – Salhieh

ORGAN CHAMBER MUSIC

Ensemble of the Higher Institute of Music

21 November: St. Paul's Memorial – Tabbaleh

CONCERT FOR ORGAN & CHOIR

Chamber Choir of the Higher Institute of Music

LEBANON

LEBANESE PIPE ORGAN WEEK

(25 January – 2 February, 2020)

January 25

Fausto Caporali (ITA) | Notre Dame de Louaize monastery | Zouk Mosbeh | 8:00 PM

Organ improvisation on the silent movie "Frate Sole" (Brother Sun, 1918) in the occasion of the 800th anniversary of the Pilgrimage of Peace of St. Francis in the Middle East

January 26

Fausto Caporali (ITA) with Fady Jeanbart (baritone) | Saint Anthony monastery | Harissa | 6:00 PM

January 27

Russel J. Weismann (USA) with Viaceslav Bilia (trumpet) | Notre Dame de la Médaille Miraculeuse | Beirut – Achrafieh | 8:00 PM

January 28

Russel J. Weismann (USA) with Mona Hallab (soprano) | Saint Francis monastery | Tripoli El Mina | 7:00 PM

Concert on the occasion of the 800th anniversary of the Pilgrimage of Peace of St. Francis in the Middle East

January 29

Outstanding students of NDU-School of Music organ class | Saint Elias monastery | Maaysra (Nahr Ibrahim) | 8:00 PM

January 30

La Noeva Woman Vocal Ensemble with Emmanuel Hocdé (FRA), organ | Assembly Hall of the American University of Beirut | 8:00 PM

January 31

Emmanuel Hocdé (FRA) with the Lebanese Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Harout Fazlian | Saint Joseph Church | Beirut – Monnot | 8:30 PM

February 1

Martin Haselböck (AUT) | Mar Zakhia church | Ajaltoun | 8:00 PM
Inauguration of the newly installed Mayers and Billington - Tamburini organ

February 2

Martin Haselböck (AUT) | National Evangelical church | Beirut – Riad Essoulh | 11:30 AM

CYPRUS**ORGAN & MUSIC FESTIVAL CYPRUS****April 30 – May 2, 2020**

In collaboration with the Embassy of Italy in Nicosia

Thursday, 30 April 2020 | Larnaca:

8:00 pm: St. Mary of Graces Catholic Church | Admission Free

Fausto Caporali (Italy), pipe organ

Special guest appearance by:

LARNACA PROGRESSIVE MOVEMENT CHOIR, conducted by Marios Lysandrou

Friday, 1 May 2020 | Nicosia

8:00 pm | Holy Cross Catholic Church | Admission Free

Fausto Caporali (Italy), organ

Saturday, 2 May 2020 | Limassol

8:00 pm: Saint Catherine's Catholic Church | Admission Free

Fausto Caporali (Italy), organ