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Holy Trinity Church, Market Gate, Warrington

Saturday 4th May 2024 – 1:45 – 2:30

Marie Ratcliffe - Piano

Programme

Clementi	Sonatina in C major - 1st and 3rd movement.
Kuhlau	Sonatina in C major -1st, 2nd and third movement.
Dussek	Sonatina in F major - 1st movement.
Carl Bach	Solfeggietto and Prelude in C
Schubert	Impromptu in A flat
Schubert	Impromptu in G flat
Adolf Schneider	Spanish Waltz Opus no. 70.
Debussy	Clair de Lune
Debussy	Golliwog's Cakewalk
Field	Nocturne in B flat
Joseph Nowakowski	Chant d'Amour
Gutmann	Nocturne in A flat
August Durand	Waltz in E flat major
Marie Ratcliffe	A little study in F Tandem for two Cherry Blossom Waltz
Chopin	Waltz in E flat

Biography

Marie was born in the Lancashire town of Burnley. From the age of 5, she was mesmerised by the piano and knew immediately that she wanted to learn to play. At the age of 8 Marie had lessons from Mrs. Scott (Kathryn Stott's mother) until the age of 16. During this time she was entered into many music festivals and completed her studies at Blackburn School of Music.

For many years Marie taught music in schools and in the private sector. As an adult, Marie took advanced lessons with Carrie Steingold and David Jones, both from the RNCM and started to give piano recitals. Marie also enjoys composing, three pieces are included in the programme.

Marie has studied various composers, such as Grieg, Mendelssohn, Glinka, Schumann, Schubert and others.

Marie enjoys giving recitals and has raised money for breast cancer research. She continues to work as a freelance pianist and to teach.



Next week's recital – Hanna Csermely - Piano