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## TRINITY CHOIR

Trinity Choir of Cambridge  
Stephen Layton, *Conductor*  
Trinity Organ Scholar, *Organ*

Named by *Gramophone Magazine* as one of the best choirs in the world, our season opens with the amazing Trinity College Choir of Cambridge. Conducted by Stephen Layton and accompanied on our Mighty Klais, this twenty-five voice choir will present a program of music spanning many centuries that will display their beauty of tone and depth of feeling. These rich voices will make this varied program soar through Overture Hall and leave everyone in the audience breathless. – Greg Zelek

Byrd | Tallis | Purcell  
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Wednesday  
September 11  
7:30 p.m.

“Sitting front and center at a recent Trinity Choir of Cambridge concert at Grace Cathedral was, sonically speaking, a heavenly experience.”  
– *The New York Times*

“Virtuoso is the right word. I for one can’t immediately think of any more appropriate way of describing singing of such staggering accomplishment.”  
– *BBC Music Magazine*

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## MICHAEL HEY & CHRISTIANA LIBERIS

Michael Hey, *Organ*  
Christiana Liberis, *Violin*

Organist at St. Patrick's Cathedral in NYC and Wisconsin native Michael Hey and Violinist Christiana Liberis (who most recently performed on tour with the Eagles) will demonstrate the tremendous versatility of our great instrument with this diverse program of music for both instruments as well as solo organ. With a program that includes Bach's famous *Violin Concerto in E major* and Kreisler's *Praeludium and Allegro*, these two artists will have the opportunity to show off their individual skills while blending our Klais with the beautiful tones of the violin. Having known Mr. Hey since our days at Juilliard together, it gives me great joy to introduce this dynamic duo to our audience for the first time. – Greg Zelek

Tuesday  
October 22  
7:30 p.m.

“[Michael Hey] is “scintillating” and “tremendously virtuosic” . . . “crisp, clean, and enticingly communicative”  
– *The Straits Times, Singapore*

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Kreisler

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