



MUSIC BY JOHANN SEBASTIAN BACH (1685-1750)

Sunday 16 April - Easter 2 (Thomas)

Prelude and Fugue in C (BWV 553, No.1 of the 'Eight Short')

Christ lag in Todesbanden (BWV 625)

*In death's strong grasp the Saviour lay / For our offences given; / But now the Lord is ris'n today,
/ And brings us life from heaven; / Wherefore let us all rejoice / And praise our God with
cheerful voice, / And sing loud Hallelujahs. / Hallelujah!*

Prelude and Fugue in A major (BWV 536)

Sunday 23 April – Easter 3 (Emmaus)

Prelude and Fugue in D minor (BWV 554, No.2 of the 'Eight Short')

Jesus Christus, unser Heiland (BWV 626)

*Jesus Christ, our great Redeemer, / Who hath subdued death, / From death awaketh: / The
power of sin He breaketh. / Have mercy upon us.*

'Little' Prelude and Fugue in E minor (BWV 533)

Sunday 30 April - Easter 4 (Good Shepherd)

Prelude and Fugue in E minor (BWV 555, No.3 of the 'Eight Short')

Christ ist erstanden (BWV 627)

*1. Christ is now risen agayne / From his death and all his payne; Therefore wyll we mery be /
And rejoyce with hymn gladly. / Kyrieleyson.*

*2. Had he not risen agayne, / We had been lost, this is playne: / But sen he is risen in dede /
Let us love hym all with spede. / Kyrieleyson.*

*3. Now is tyme of gladnesse, / To syng of the Lorde's goodness; / Therefore glad now wyll we
be / And rejoyce in him onely. / Kyrieleyson.*

Fugue in B minor on a theme of Corelli (BWV 579)

Sunday 7 May - Easter 5 (Stephen / Going to the Father)

Prelude and Fugue in F (BWV 556, No.4 of the 'Eight Short')

Erstanden ist der heil'ge Christ (BWV 628)

The blessèd Christ is ris'n today; / Alleluya. / Of all mankind to be the Stay. / Alleluya.

Allabreve in D (BWV 589)

Sunday 14 May - Easter 6 (If ye love me)

Prelude and Fugue in G (BWV 557, No.5 of the 'Eight Short')

Erschienen ist der herrliche Tag (BWV 629)

*Ere yet the dawn hath fill'd the skies / Behold my Saviour Christ arise; / He chaseth from us sin
and night, / And brings us joy and life and light. / Hallelujah.*

Prelude and Fugue in C minor (BWV 549)

Sunday 21 May - Easter 7 (Father, glorify your Son)

Prelude and Fugue in G minor (BWV 558, No.6 of the 'Eight Short')

Heut' triumphieret Gottes Sohn (BWV 630)

*Today God's only-gotten Son / Arose from death, and triumph won, / Alleluya, Alleluya. / In
mighty pomp and rich array; / His therefore be the praise always. / Alleluya, Alleluya.*

'Short' Prelude and Fugue in C (BWV 545)

Sunday 28 May - Pentecost

Prelude and Fugue in A minor (BWV 559, No.7 of the 'Eight Short')

Komm, Gott, Schöpfer, heilger Geist (BWV 631)

*Come, O Creator Spirit blest! / And in our souls take up thy rest; / Come with thy grace and
heavenly aid, / To fill the hearts which thou hast made.*

Tocatta and Fugue in D minor (BWV 565)

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