



Friday 29 September 2023 at 12 pm

Yana Burova *violin* & Mina Miletic *piano*

Sonata for violin and piano in G minor

Claude Debussy

i. Allegro vivo

1862 - 1918

ii. Intermède: fantasque et léger

iii. Finale: très animé

Sonata for violin and piano in A major

César Franck

i. Allegretto ben moderato

1822 - 1890

ii. Allegro

iii. Recitativo - Fantasia. Ben moderato - Molto lento

iv. Allegretto poco mosso

Since graduating from the Guildhall School of Music & Drama in 2004, where she had been granted a 4-year scholarship to study with Professor Yfrah Neaman, **Yana Burova** has appeared in major venues such as Chelmsford Cathedral, St Martin in-the-Fields, St John's Smith Square, St Paul's Cathedral, Leighton House Museum, Kings Place (where she performed with the world-renowned Chilingirian Quartet) and in 2013 she made her debut performance at the Wigmore Hall.

Yana participates in festivals throughout England and Europe; she regularly appears in her home town at the Varna International Summer Festival where, in 2016, she performed two Vivaldi concertos for two violins and orchestra with her brother Dimitar Burov and the Varna String Orchestra under the baton of Plamen Djurov. Yana has also participated in the Sofia Musical Weeks and in November 2016 she performed the Dvorak Piano Quintet with Ludmil Angelov, Dimitar Burov, Michael Gieler and Gerard Le Feuvre at the Conway Hall as part of the 4th London Festival of Bulgarian Culture.

Her performances are often broadcast and she has recorded two CDs. In 2006 she released a CD featuring music for Violin and Piano by 20th century Bulgarian Composers. In 2011 she recorded the world premiere of "Clarinet Quintet" written by Richard Rodney Bennett, with her String Quartet "Inspirity." In 2012 Yana recorded the Respighi Sonata for violin and piano in B minor with her regular pianist Fiametta Tarli.

In addition to performing, Yana also teaches violin at The Emanuel School in London and Eltham Church of England School.

Prize-winner of many awards, **Mina Miletic** established her career regularly appearing in recital, as a chamber musician and concerto soloist in concert halls across Europe, Asia and the USA. She completed a PhD on 'Interpretation of Impressionistic Piano Music' and is regularly engaged as an adjudicator for festivals and competitions.

Mina is passionate about education and learning and she currently teaches piano at Eton College and Harrow School. Further details may be found on her website: minamiletic.co.uk

Welcome to Chelmsford Cathedral for this lunchtime concert.

Admission is free but we invite your contributions to cover the costs of these concerts.

Tea and coffee are available before concerts and you are most welcome to bring your own lunch: we ask that you take all packaging and leftover items home with you.

The use of mobile phones, cameras and recording equipment is not permitted; please ensure that all devices are switched to silent mode.

Forthcoming concerts:

October

- 6 James Thomas *organ*
- 13 Svyatoslav Antipov *piano*
- 20 Kiyomi Seed *marimba*
- 27 CHEGO *guitar orchestra*

November

- 3 Tina Christiansen *organ*
- 10 Valentin Schiedermaier *piano*
(concert begins after an Act of Remembrance)
- 17 Forest School
- 24 Electric Alchemy

December

- 8 Carols for Everyone
- 15 Carols for Everyone

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