



BAYREUTH BAROQUE
Opera Festival

BAYREUTH BAROQUE announces its program! From September 1st to 12th, two operas, an oratorio and many other baroque jewels.

The International BAYREUTH BAROQUE OPERA FESTIVAL will take place from September 1st to 12th 2021. The festival will open its doors with the revival of Nicola Porpora's "Carlo il Calvo" in the opulent and entertaining production directed by Max Emanuel Cencic on 1st, 3rd and 5th September. The highly acclaimed cast from the previous season including the artistic director and countertenor Max Emanuel Cencic, Franco Fagioli, Julia Lezhneva, Bruno de Sá and many more will return this year.

Porpora's "Polifemo" is the second opera this year and will close the festival in a concert performance in the famous UNESCO World Heritage Site, the Margravia Opera House on 9th and 12th September. The main roles will be performed by Max Emanuel Cencic, Julia Lezhneva, Yuriy Myntenko and Pavel Kudinov. George Petrou will conduct Armonia Atenea for both operas.

Further highlights of this year's edition of the festival are gala evenings in the opera house by the soprano Simone Kermes on 4th September and the countertenors Jakub Józef Orliński on 10th September and Franco Fagioli on 11th September. Further concerts such as Dorothee Oberlinger and the Bayreuth soloists on 2nd September, Maddalena del Gobbo at the Hermitage on 6th September, a performance of Handel's oratorio "Judas Maccabaeus" with the chamber choir BachPlus and the ensemble B'Rock under the direction of Bart Naessens at the Stadtkirche on 7th September and the program "Musica Princeps" by Martyna Pastuszka and her ensemble {OH!} on 8th September will complete this festival in a spectacular manner.

Mayor Thomas Ebersberger on the 2021 edition of the festival: "After the brilliant start in 2020, the second edition of the Bayreuth Baroque Opera Festival promises musical enjoyment at the highest level. The festival will once again fill the Margravia Opera House with music. It will not only enrich the cultural life of the city of Bayreuth but will also cause an international sensation. "

For all customers in possession of vouchers as a consequence of last year's Corona-related regulations, an exclusive advance ticket sale started at the beginning of this week. General sale for all events starts today.

For more information about the festival, visit: www.bayreuthbaroque.de



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1-12 September 2021

Nicola Porpora „Carlo il Calvo“

with: Franco Fagioli, Max Emanuel Cencic, Julia Lezhneva, Bruno de Sa, etc.

Armonia Atenea, George Petrou

Staging: Max Emanuel Cencic

Margravia Opera House

01st and 03rd September 6pm and 05th September 3 pm

„Der Markgräfin Haus- und Hofmusik“

with: Bayreuther Solisten: Dorothee Oberlinger, Olga Watts, Axel Wolf

Margravia Opera House

02nd September 7.30 pm

„Canzonetta d'amore“

with: Simone Kermes and Amici Veneziani

Margravia Opera House

04th September 7.30 pm

„Sechs Saiten zum Parnass“

with: Maddalena del Gobbo, Gambe and Alberto Busettini, Cembalo

Heremitage

06th September 6pm, 7.30 pm and 9 pm

Georg Friedrich Händel: „Judas Maccabaeus“

with: Benjamin Hulett, Lucy Crowe, Hogni Wu, Pavel Kudinov etc.

Kammerchor BachPlus

B'Rock Bart Naessens

Stadtkirche Bayreuth

07th September 6.30pm

„Musica Princeps“

Martyna Pastuszka and {OH!}

Margravia Opera House

08th September 7.30pm

Nicola Porpora: „Polifemo“

with: Max Emanuel Cencic, Yuriy Mynenko, Julia Lezhneva, Pavel Kudinov etc.

Armonia Atenea, George Petrou

Margravia Opera House

09th September 6pm and 12th September 3pm

„Anima Aeterna“

with: Jakub Jozef Orliński and Il Pomo d'Oro, Francesco Corti

Margravia Opera House

10th September 7.30 pm

„Vinci Gala“

with: Franco Fagioli and Armonia Atenea, George Petrou

Margravia Opera House

11th September 7.30 pm

