

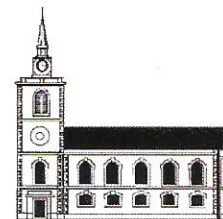
St James's Church, Piccadilly

Lunchtime Recital Series

Monday 13th February 2017: 1.10-2pm

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Raquel del Val, piano



Isaac Albéniz (1860-1909)

Enrique Granados (1867-1916)

Cecile Chaminade (1857-1944)

Antonio José Martínez Palacios (1902-1936)

Louis M. Gottschalk (1829-1869)

Abraham Tena Manrique (b.1973)

Joaquín Larregla (1865-1945)

Federico Moreno-Torroba Larregla (1891-1982)

Pedro Blanco López (1883-1919)

Louis M. Gottschalk (1829-1869)

Joaquín Larregla (1865-1945)

Castilla (from *Suite española*)

Vascongada (from *Seis piezas sobre cantos populares españoles*)

Lolita (*Capricho Español*)

Danza Burgalesa III

Manchega

Alborada

Alma gitana

Abril andaluz

Jota (from *Hispania*)

Souvenirs d'Andalousie

¡Viva Navarra! (*Jota de concierto*)

Internationally renowned pianist **Raquel del Val** was born in Spain. She gained her Degree of Piano Teacher Mid-Grade at the age of thirteen, and went on to be awarded "Young Piano Master" scholarship for Young Graduates to the Doral Chennigs Music School of New York the following year. She studied Law at University while doing also the Piano Highest Degree, directed by Real Conservatorio Superior de Musica de Madrid's Professor Guillermo Gonzalez. Having gained the Piano Highest Degree, she then completed the Chamber Music Highest Degree at Oviedo's Conservatorio Superior under the guidance of Rekucki and Kvernadze, achieving the highest possible grade.

She has recorded for Radio Nacional of Spain, where her live performances of unpublished Spanish music and contemporary composers are common. The success of her album "Landscapes of Spain", led to an invitation to give a masterclass on Spanish music at the Manhattan School of Music in New York.

She combines performing with musicological research, becoming the only pianist who has championed and premiered works by three generations of an important series of composers: Federico Moreno-Torroba Larregla, his father, Federico Moreno-Torroba Ballesteros and, his grandfather, Joaquin Larregla. She lectures on Piano and Chamber Music at the Conservatorium of Leon and has a Law degree from the University of Leon.

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Next lunchtime recital at St James's Piccadilly:

Wednesday 15th February at 1.10pm: *Royal College of Music series - Eunsley Park*, violin; **Luka Okros**, piano
Rachmaninov - Moments Musicaux Op.16 Nos.3, 4, 5, 6; Franck - Sonata for violin and piano