*MUSIC AT WESLEY*

TUESDAY LUNCHTIME CONCERT

Wesley Church Centre, St John St, Chester CH1 1DA

July 15th 2025, 12.45pm

AMY WAKEFIELD - Piano

Piano Concerto No. 2 in C minor Op. 18 Rachmaninov (1873 – 1943)

*1st Movement: Moderato* *arr. Amy Wakefield*

“Raindrop” Prelude in D Flat Major Op.28 No.15 Chopin (1810 – 49)

Fantasie Impromptu Op. 66 Chopin (1810 – 49)

Selected Piano works Debussy (1862 – 1918)

*including* ‘L’Isle Joyeuse’

Amy Wakefield grew up in Stockport and attended Chetham’s School of Music in 1999 where she studied the piano and violin. Amy received a scholarship to the Birmingham Conservatoire in 2008 and now works a Freelance Pianist/Violinist and teacher. Amy has worked as a solo Pianist- Guest Entertainer on cruise ships, giving a series of classical concerts and an accompanist for a variety of musicians/choirs.

Amy has written articles/book reviews for UK piano magazines/blogs and recently gained a distinction in her Master of Performance and Artistic Research on the piano at the RNCM.

Amy now lives in Congleton with her husband Stewart, their four year daughter, Grace, who enjoys playing the pots and pans in their kitchen, and with their two pugs!

*Thank you for supporting this recital. The retiring collection (suggested minimum donation £4 per person) covers performer, performing rights and other direct expenses, with the balance in aid of Wesley Church funds. If you are a taxpayer it would be much appreciated if you would donate using a Gift Aid envelope (just add your name, house number & post code).*

 

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Tuesday Lunchtime Concerts Series, 12.45pm. Retiring collection.

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September 2nd: Callum McLachlan (piano)

September 9th: Hefin Flute and Harp Duo

Saturday Lunchtime Organ Recitals, 12.45pm. Retiring collection.

September 20th: Daniel Mathieson (Chester Cathedral)

*‘Wednesdays at One’ Lunchtime Concerts at St John’s Church run throughout the summer.*

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