

Join us for an afternoon of classical piano as pianist Matyáš Novák takes center stage to perform masterpieces by Chopin, Liszt, and Smetana.

Date: March 24th

Time: 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM

Location: Bishop Janes United Methodist Church

About Matyáš Novák:

"Matyáš Novák is one of the most promising pianists of his generation. With an extraordinary harmonic sense, wide repertoire, and impeccable playing technique, he captivates audiences worldwide. At the age of ten, he performed with an orchestra for the first time, and by nineteen, he made his debut at Carnegie Hall. At just twenty, he graced the stage with a solo recital at the prestigious Prague Spring Festival. Matyáš's musical prowess is not only evident through his numerous prizes at domestic and international competitions but also by the remarkable feat of having forty concerts with an orchestra and hundreds of solo piano pieces in his repertoire, all at a remarkably young age." (<https://www.matyasnovak.eu/>)

Program:

F. Chopin: Etude op. 10, no. 12 "Revolutionary"
F. Chopin: Nocturne op. 27, no. 2
B. Smetana: Czech Dances (selection)
F. Liszt: Ballade S. 171
F. Liszt: Polonaise S. 223
B. Smetana / M. Novák: Vltava

Prepare to be mesmerized by the timeless melodies and virtuosity of these renowned composers, expertly interpreted by Matyáš Novák's sublime artistry. From the poetic lyricism of Chopin to the passionate intensity of Liszt and the evocative compositions of Smetana, this concert promises to captivate audiences of all ages.

Admission is open to all, with a suggested donation of \$25 (or \$10 for students) to support the arts and the continuation of such enriching cultural experiences.

Don't miss this opportunity to immerse yourself in the spellbinding beauty of classical piano music with Matyáš Novák.

For inquiries, please contact the church office at office@bjumc.org or 908-766-1108.

