



16th August 1.10pm - Lunchtime Recital

The Waldstein Quartet
Greta Papa (violin)
Daniel Pukach (violin)
Natalia Solis Paredes (viola)
Miguel Villeda (cello)

Suggested donation £5

Grażyna Bacewicz (1909-1969)

String Quartet No.1

I. Moderato

II. Tema con variazioni

III. Vivo

Benjamin Britten (1913-1976)

String Quartet No.1 in D Major, Op.25

I. Andante sostenuto - Allegro vivo

II. Allegro con slancio

III. Andante calmo

IV. Molto vivace



St James's Church would welcome a donation of £5, or any amount that you feel able to give. Donations can be made in cash in the basket on your way out, or by tap donation at the machines at our exits.

The Waldstein Quartet currently hold the Philip Carne Junior Fellowship for a Chamber Ensemble at Trinity Laban Conservatoire of Music and Dance. Greta Papa (violin), Daniel Pukach (violin), Natalia Solis Paredes (viola) and Miguel Villeda (cello) formed their quartet at Trinity Laban and were Winners of the Trinity Laban Barbirolli String Quartet Competition, and finalists at the Carne Trust Chamber Competition 2022, they were also finalists at the Cavatina Intercollegiate Chamber Music Competition 2022. Playing music is what brings us together from all around the world. The joy we experience when performing can not be put into words, as wonderful feelings can hardly be expressed with organised speech. We humbly communicate to the audience what the intention of a composer is. We carefully blend those intentions with our own perception of them including our life experiences, heritage and understanding of what music is.

In less than a year since the formation of the Waldstein Quartet they have already racked several accomplishments and notable performances. They have performed at Wigmore Hall, St. James Piccadilly and other venues in London. They have won the Barbirolli chamber music competition and were finalists at the Cavatina Intercollegiate Chamber Music competition. To follow our further exciting performances or to invite us to perform for you, make sure to follow us on Instagram @waldstein.quartet or email us to be on our mailing list to thewaldsteinquartet@gmail.com

“From the heart, may it go back to the heart” - L. V. Beethoven