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in memory of the Most Rev. John Hines, founder

Triptych on *Veni Creator Spiritus*

1. Prelude

Russell Schulz-Widmar

Peacefully

The musical score is written for piano in 4/4 time. It consists of four systems of music, each with a treble and bass clef staff. The first system (measures 1-5) begins with a piano (*p*) dynamic and includes a 'Ped.' (pedal) marking. The second system (measures 6-9) features a 'rall.' (rallentando) marking. The third system (measures 10-15) includes an 'a tempo' marking and a 'Man.' (manic) marking. The fourth system (measures 16-20) includes an 'mp' (mezzo-piano) marking. The score uses various musical notations including notes, rests, slurs, and dynamic markings.

Tune: *VENI CREATOR SPIRITUS*, plainsong, Mode VIII (PD).

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2. Duo

Russell Schulz-Widmar

Fast and fun

mp

4

8

12

16

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3. Procession

Russell Schulz-Widmar

Strong and vibrant

The musical score is written for piano and consists of three systems of music. The first system (measures 1-3) begins with a piano introduction marked 'Strong and vibrant' and a forte (*f*) dynamic. The second system (measures 4-6) features a triplet of eighth notes in the bass line. The third system (measures 7-9) continues the melodic and harmonic development. The key signature has three flats (B-flat, E-flat, A-flat), and the piece concludes with a final chord in the bass line.

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Musical score for measures 7-8. The piece is in a minor key. Measure 7 features a complex texture with sixteenth-note runs in the right hand and chords in the left hand. Measure 8 continues this texture with a change in the bass line. The time signature is 3/4.

9

Musical score for measures 9-10. Measure 9 shows a continuation of the sixteenth-note patterns in the right hand. Measure 10 introduces a change in the bass line with a more active eighth-note pattern. The time signature is 2/4.

11

Musical score for measures 11-12. Measure 11 features a change in the right-hand texture. Measure 12 shows a key signature change to a major key (three sharps) and a change in the time signature to 3/4. A triplet of eighth notes is marked in the right hand.

14

Musical score for measures 14-15. Measure 14 features a change in the right-hand texture. Measure 15 shows a key signature change to a major key (two sharps) and a change in the time signature to 3/4. A triplet of eighth notes is marked in the right hand.