PROGRAM

Praeludium und Fuge f minor J.S. Bach (1685-1750)

3 Choral Preludes
   Von Gott will ich nicht lassen
   Schmücke dich, o liebe Seele
   Komm Gott Schöpfer, heiliger Geist

Passacaglia und Fuge c minor

INTERMISSION

Apparition de l' Eglise éternelle (1932)  Olivier Messiaen (b. 1908)

Verset pour la Fête de la Dédicace (1960)

Méditation sur le Mystère de la Sainte Trinité, No. 6 (1969)

from "La Nativité du Seigneur" (1935)
   Les Anges
   Dieu parmi nous

ABOUT THE ARTIST

Professor Almut Rössler, Director of Church Music, St. John's Church, Dusseldorf, Germany, has appeared in recitals and on radio and television throughout Europe, the United States, Canada, and Japan. She has written four books on the French composer Olivier Messiaen and has recorded much of his music. She has premiered Messiaen's "Livre du Saint Sacrament" and "Meditations sur le Mystère de la Sainte Trinite."