

FRIENDS OF MUSIC SERIES

First Presbyterian Church

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Friday, September 24, 2021
12:00 p.m.

Tyler Kivel
piano



Sunday in the Park – Passages

Sondheim, arr. Anthony de Mare

Étude No. 3 for the Left Hand Alone (“The Man I Love”)

Gershwin, arr. Earl Wild
(1915-2010)

Étude, Op. 39, No. 11 – “Ouverture”

Charles-Valentin Alkan
(1813-1888)

You Could Drive a Person Crazy (“Schizo Scherzo”)

Sondheim, arr. Eric Rockwell

TYLER KIVEL holds a Master of Music degree in piano performance and literature from the University of Illinois Champaign-Urbana. He earned his Bachelor of Music degree from Central Michigan University. Tyler has given performances as a soloist and chamber musician throughout the Midwest. He was awarded the John N. Irwin Memorial Scholarship along with other competition-based awards, including his Carnegie Hall debut in April 2018. As a soloist, Tyler has been featured with the Lakeshore Symphony Orchestra and the CMU Symphonic Wind Ensemble. He made his Chicago debut as the musical director of *Thrones! The Musical Parody* based on the hit television series *Game of Thrones*. The show was featured on Fox 32 News in live performance. In addition to solo performances, Kivel has performed in privately produced cabarets at iO improv theatre, at Davenport’s Piano Bar, and with Artists Giving Back. He is among the faculty at the Chicago High School for the Arts (ChiArts). Kivel’s teachers include Dr. Alexandra Mascolo-David and Prof. William Heiles.