



Centre de créativité

**NUIT
BLANCHE**
À MONTRÉAL

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NUIT BLANCHE AT GESÙ

Montréal, 5 February 2019 – It is with great enthusiasm that **le Gesù – Centre de créativité** is renewing its participation to the unforgettable *Nuit blanche in Montréal*. **On March 2nd, starting at 8pm**, revellers are invited to spend the evening under the theme *Futur* in company of artists from diverse fields: comedy, music and visual arts. As the evening carries on, homemade hot wine will be available in the theater's main hall on ground level, to everyone's delight. Following its dedication to encouraging the discovery of our local artists, le Gesù is proud to present its 2019 program:

MUSIC AND INTERACTIVE PICTURAL PERFORMANCE IN THE CHURCH

ORGAN RECITAL : Works by J.-S. Bach and César Franck.

Showtime : 21h45 à 22h30h // Free admission

With **François Zeitouni** on Gesù church's magnificent *Casavant/Guilbault-Thérien* organ



LE GROUPE LE VIVIER PRESENTS LORI FREEDMAN : Improvisation on bass clarinet

Showtime: 22h30 à 23h00 // Free admission

One of Canadian contemporary music's most creative and provocative performers.



JOE CAYER, KEYBOARD PLAYER : A Combination of electronic music and improvisation on the organ

Showtime: 23h15 à 00h00 // Free admission

Works borrowing from cinematographic textures, experimental colours as well as more classical melodies.



URBAN RITUAL AND COLLECTIVE PAINTING

Activity schedule : ongoing between 22h00 à 00h15 // Free admission

Participants are invited to jot down a wish, prayer or promise on a piece of paper, which will be burnt by **Artist Marie Roberge**. She will subsequently guide participants in a collective interactive work, created with the ashes of their papers as they are transformed into an oil painting. **No religious belief is dominant: only faith in mankind.** Live the experience!

COMEDY IN THE AMPHITHEATER

"LA NUIT ON RIT"

Showtime: 20h – 21h – 22h – 23h – 00h – 1h – 2h // Free admission

**ÉCOLE
NATIONALE
DE L'HUMOUR**

Come discover tomorrow's comedians thanks to **l'École nationale de l'humour**, presenting its famous 7 show marathon: each one a jolting 45 minutes hosted by Alexandre Forest. What does the future hold? It is well known! An abundance of laughter at le Gesù, where more than 20 artists will take the stage of the amphitheater during *la Nuit blanche*, on March 2, 2019 from 8pm to 3am.

This night is an ideal occasion to visit a unique landmark and discover professional and upcoming artists. It is also an opportunity of indulging a moment of serenity, hopefulness and out of the ordinary entertainment.

We are ready to greet a great crowd!