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Every summer, Lucerne Festival traditionally presents programs rooted in a general organizing theme. In keeping with the Beethoven Year in 2020, this summer's thematic keyword is "Joy." This topic considers the issues of how a concert can be a ritual of joy, a place for shared emotions and for experiencing a sense of connectedness: the performers convey their joy in music to the audience members, who in turn partake in the shared listening experience. The focus will be on works that illuminate the emotion of joy in a wide variety of ways – as in the example of Ludwig van Beethoven, who based his vision of a fellowship of humanity in the final movement of his Ninth Symphony on this emotion, "Joy."

The **Clariant Foundation** supports Lucerne Festival in these endeavors as Theme Sponsor.

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