

JMW Turner, San Marco basin in Venice, watercolor, 1840

2014 Arizona Vivaldi Festival

## The Vivaldi Enigma

Although Antonio Vivaldi, the "Red Priest," is among today's most popular classical composers — his *Four Seasons* are still the most performed and recorded piece of music of all time — many aspects of his life remain clouded in mystery. By listening to a selection of Vivaldi's music and sharing little-known details of his life, the presentation will suggest plausible answers to a number of questions.

## **Presentation by Michel Sarda**

recorded musical illustrations & slide show (views of Venice by Canaletto and Turner)

Thursday, May 8, 2014 6 to 7:30 pm

\$5 contribution to refreshments and snacks

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