

# St Peter's Singers Programmes 2007-2011

## J S BACH St John Passion

Saturday 17th March 2007 at 7.30pm  
St James's Church, Piccadilly

Nicholas Mulroy *Evangelist*  
Christopher Adams *Jesus*  
Elodie Kimmel  
William Towers  
Jonathan Brown

with St Peter's Singers  
Period Orchestra Interplay  
Conductor Duncan Aspden

Tickets available at the door  
or phone 020 8994 0933  
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or write to:

Secretary, St Peter's Singers  
12 Abinger Road  
London W4 1EL (Enclose SAE)

£20 reserved seats in the nave (concessions £18)  
£15 unreserved in the aisles  
£10 unreserved in the gallery

[www.stpeterssingers.org](http://www.stpeterssingers.org)

Rehearsal Costs: See 107 603.  
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Dagmar Gauweiler	Christine Smith	David Foster
Frederique Genaux	Claire Whitehead	David Hudson
Janet King	Jennifer Woodhouse	Grant Middleton
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17 March 2007



## Choral Music with Harp and Organ

by Britten, Mendelssohn, Holst,  
Rubbra, Janáček, Rheinberger

Saturday  
16th June 2007  
at 7.30pm

St George's Church,  
Aubrey Walk,  
Campden Hill,  
Notting Hill Gate

Organ Andrew Wells  
with St Peter's Singers  
Conductor Duncan Aspden

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St Peter's Singers  
24 Hartswood Road  
Hammersmith  
London W12 9NQ (Enclose SAE)

Tickets £12 (concessions £10)

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Registered Charity No. 107 603  
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### Programme

Abendlied Josef Gabriel Rheinberger (1839 – 1901)

The Ballad of Little Musgrave and Lady Barnard  
Benjamin Britten (1913 – 1976)

Hymn to the Virgin Edmund Rubbra (1901 – 1986)

Otčenáš Leoš Janáček (1854 – 1928)

Interval of 20 minutes

Ave Maria Felix Mendelssohn (1809 – 1847)

March from The Banner of Saint George  
Edward Elgar (1857-1934)

Improvisation on Chelsea Fayre  
Reginald Goss-Custard (1877-1956)

Choral Hymns from Rig Veda Set 3  
Gustav Holst (1874 – 1934)

I'm seventeen come Sunday  
arr Percy Grainger (1882 – 1961)

Brian Davis *Harp*  
Nicholas Keay *Tenor*  
Andrew Wells *Organ and Piano*  
Duncan Aspden *Conductor*

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16 June 2007



St Peter's Singers  
*directed by Duncan Aspden*

## *Joyeux Noël*

with

Steven Moore *Organ*  
Interplay *Baroque Instrumentalists*

St Peter's Church, Black Lion Lane  
Hammersmith W6

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> December 2007

**Programme £1**

  
**The Shooting Star  
Children's Hospice**

### Programme

#### Messe de Minuit de Noël

Marc-Antoine Charpentier (1645-1704)

#### Interval of 20 minutes

Il est né, le divin Enfant! French traditional

O magnum mysterium Francis Poulenc (1899-1963)

O leave your sheep French traditional (arr. Joubert)

Quem vidistis pastores Francis Poulenc

Far away, what splendour comes this way?  
Provençal traditional (arr. Bizet)

Videntes stellam Francis Poulenc

Les anges dans nos campagnes French traditional

Hodie Christus Natus est Francis Poulenc

**Interplay** *Baroque Instrumentalists*

**Steven Moore** *Organ*

**Duncan Aspden** *Conductor*

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15 December 2007



**St Peter's Singers**  
*directed by Duncan Aspden*

## *A Garland for the Queen*

Music for Elizabeth I and Elizabeth II

with

Clare Wilkinson *Mezzo-soprano*

Yair Avidor *Lute*

Andrew Wells *Organ*

St Peter's Church, Mount Park Road  
Ealing W5 2RU

Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2008, 7.30 pm



Programme £1

### Programme

#### ~ Part I ~

- The triumphs of Oriana* (1601)  
All creatures now are merry minded John Bennet (1575-1614)
- Hence stars, too dim of light Michael East (1580-1648)
- As Vesta was from Latmos hill descending  
Thomas Weelkes (1576-1623)
- Eliza, her name gives honour to my singing John Bennet
- His golden locks John Dowland (1563-1626)
- Far from triumphing court John Dowland
- Say, Love, if ever thou didst find a woman  
with a constant mind John Dowland
- Time stands still John Dowland
- O Lord, make thy servant Elizabeth William Byrd (1543-1623)
- O clap your hands Orlando Gibbons (1583-1625)
- O God that guides the cheerful sun William Byrd

Interval of 20 minutes

*Refreshments available at the back of the Church*

#### ~ Part II ~

- A Garland for the Queen* (1953)  
Silence and music Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)
- The hills John Ireland (1879-1962)
- White-flowering days Gerald Finzi (1901-1956)
- To Gratiana dancing and singing W Denis Browne (1888-1915)
- Sephestia's lullaby Benjamin Britten (1913-1976)
- Sleep Peter Warlock (1894-1930)
- O taste and see Ralph Vaughan Williams
- I was glad when they said unto me  
Sir Hubert Parry (1848-1914)

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19 April 2008

# Haydn

# Nelson Mass

# Mozart

## Solemn Vespers (K339)

## London Mozart Players

*leader David Juritz*

*soprano Philippa Boyle*  
*mezzo Ciara Hendrick*  
*tenor Ross Buddie*  
*bass Michael Bundy*

*directed by Duncan Aspden*

**Saturday 5 July 2008 at 7:30pm**  
**St Michael and All Angels Church Bedford Park**  
**Programme: £1**

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Angela Boyle	Deirdre Shaw	Joseph Denby
Lucy Chambers	Elizabeth Skottowe	Quentin Edgington
Dagmar Gauweiler	Christine Smith	David Foster
Frederique Genaux	Victoria Williams	David Hudson
Lucy Green	Jennifer Woodhouse	Grant Middleton
Janet King	Theo Allen	Bryce Mildenhall
Lana Kong	Francis Ames-Lewis	Richard Scott
Jilly Paver	John Barber	Michael Thomas
Kate Paver		

With this evening's concert **St Peter's Singers** is celebrating 25 years of joyful singing together. It is a chamber choir with around 35 singers some of whom were founder members. Our repertoire is wide: classical and modern, sacred and secular. We perform locally three or four times a year and occasionally further afield. We have often performed with professional ensembles such as I Fagiolini, the London Baroque Soloists, His Majesty's Sagbutts and Cornetts, and the London Mozart Players - all at St James's Church, Piccadilly.

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St Peter's Singers is delighted to have sponsored two choir members from Chiswick Community School last year under its recently introduced Bursary Scheme for young singers, and is looking for new singers to join this year. For details of our Bursary Scheme, please contact the Secretary (see below).


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So to join us for the start of our next 25 years please contact us at:

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5 July 2008 – Celebrating 25 years singing together



**Stille Nacht**  
Christmas Music from Germany

**st peter's singers**  
**instrumentalists: Interplay**  
*directed by Duncan Aspden*

**Sunday 14th December 2008 at 7:30pm**  
**St Peter's Church, Black Lion Lane, Hammersmith**

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### Programme

Als ich bei meinen Schafen wacht	Kirchensange 1623
Das neugeborne Kindelein	Dietrich Buxtehude (1637-1707)
Resonet in laudibus	14th century traditional
Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland	Michael Praetorius (1571- 1621)
Quem pastores laudavere	Michael Praetorius
In dulci jubilo	Michael Praetorius
Interval of 20 minutes	
Frohlocket	Felix Mendelssohn Bartholdy (1809-1847)
Christus	Felix Mendelssohn Bartholdy
Es ist ein Ros' entsprungen	Hugo Distler (1908-1942)
Stille Nacht	Franz Xaver Gruber (1787-1863)
Puer Natus in Bethlehem	Joseph Rheinberger (1839-1901)
Ave Maria	Franz Biebl (1906-2001)
O Tannenbaum	German Traditional
There will be a retiring collection in aid of the Shooting Star Hospice	
Instrumentalists: Interplay Organ: Christian Wilson Directed: by Duncan Aspden	

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**St Peter's Singers – Registered Charity no. 1074643**

G F Handel

*Saul*

## St Peter's Singers

directed by Duncan Aspden

Saturday 28th March 2009 at 7:30pm  
St James's Church, Piccadilly

Programme: £1.50

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### Saul

by Georg Frideric Handel (1685 – 1759)

Saul <i>King of Israel</i>	Adrian Clarke
Jonathan <i>His son</i>	David Knight
Merab <i>His elder daughter</i>	Jananne Rahman
Michal <i>His younger daughter</i>	Elizabeth Weisberg
David	Ciara Hendrick
Abner <i>Saul's army captain</i>	Quentin Edgington
The Witch of Endor	Frederique Genaux
The Spirit of Samuel <i>The Prophet</i>	John Barber
An Amalekite	Robert Fish
Doeg <i>A messenger</i>	Michael Thomas
Abiathar	Xavier Bellouard

Directed by Duncan Aspden

There will be one interval of 20 minutes

The performance is expected to end by 9:40 pm

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28 March 2009

## *The Food of Love* Settings of Shakespeare

## St Peter's Singers

David Butt-Philip *baritone*

Simon Lane *piano*

directed by Duncan Aspden

Saturday 27th June 2009 at 7:30pm  
St Nicholas Church, Chiswick

Programme: £1.50

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### *The Food of Love* Settings of Shakespeare

Choir: <i>Three Shakespeare Songs</i>	Jaakko Mäntyjärvi (b 1963)
David Butt-Philip: <i>Three Shakespeare Songs</i>	Roger Quilter (1877–1953)
Choir: <i>Shakespeare Songs</i>	William Mathias (1934–1992)

Interval

Choir: <i>Three Shakespeare Songs</i>	R. Vaughan Williams (1872–1958)
David Butt-Philip: <i>Seven Elizabethan Lyrics</i>	Roger Quilter
Choir: <i>Music to Hear</i>	George Shearing (b 1919)

David Butt-Philip *baritone*

Simon Lane *piano*

directed by Duncan Aspden

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27 June 2009



13 December 2009

**Mass for Childermas Day**  
**The Church of the Holy Innocents, Paddenswick Road, W6**

Monday 11 January 2010

**Celia Harper** Mass for Childermas Day  
A special commission by the Parochial Church Council  
Petros Singers and Chiswick Baroque  
Church handbells  
Musical Director Gary Peacock

11 January 2010

# Polychoral Venice

## Andrea Gabrieli

### 500<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

## st peter's singers

**Interplay Cornett and Sackbut Ensemble**  
**directed by Duncan Aspden**

**Saturday 20th March 2010 at 7:30pm**  
**Holy Innocents Church, Paddenswick Road,**  
**Hammersmith, W6 0UB**

**Programme: £1**

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### Programme

Organ: Kyrie	Giovanni Battista Fasolo (1600-1659)
Choir: O Jesu, mi dulcissime	Giovanni Gabrieli (c1553-1612)
Organ: Dialogo	Adriano Banchieri (1568-1634)
Choir: O sacrum convivium	Giovanni Croce (1557-1609)
Choir: Hei Mihi! Domine	Baldassare Donato (c1525-1603)
Interplay: Canzona: La Stella	Floriano Canali (1575-1630)
Interplay: Canzon: La Organista Bella	Adriano Banchieri
Choir: Maria stabat ad monumentum	Andrea Gabrieli (1510-1586)
Organ: Ricerare del 7 tono	Andrea Gabrieli
Choir: Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland	Michael Praetorius (1571-1621)
Interval of 20 minutes	
Choir: O magnum mysterium	Giovanni Gabrieli
Organ: Agnus Dei	Claudio Merulo (1533-1604)
Choir: Adoramus te	Claudio Merulo
Choir: Adoramus te, Christe	Claudio Monteverdi (1567-1643)
Interplay: Ricerare del 12 tono	Andrea Gabrieli
Interplay: Canzon: La Rosignola	Giovanni Battista Riccio (1570-1630)
Choir Ladies: Cantate Domino et exultate	Pier Francesco Cavalli (1602-1676)
Organ: Intonation on the Sixth Tone	Andrea Gabrieli
Choir: Magnificat (a 12)	Andrea Gabrieli

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Organ: Andrew Wells  
Directed by Duncan Aspden

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20 March 2010

# "Sins of Old Age"

## Gioachino Rossini

### Petite Messe Solennelle

## St Peter's Singers

Ciara Hendrick  
Sarah Pring  
Christopher Lemmings  
Rodney Clarke  
*piano: Simon Lane*  
*organ: Alastair Ross*  
**directed by Duncan Aspden**

**Saturday 26th June 2010 at 7:30pm**  
**St Peter's Church Mount Park Road Ealing W5 2RU**

Advance tickets: £10; concessions £8; under 12s £1  
Booking by email to [tickets@saintpeterssingers.org](mailto:tickets@saintpeterssingers.org)  
or phone 020 8994 0933  
At the door: £11; concessions £9; under 12s £1

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26 June 2010



12 December 2010

**G F Handel**  
*Joshua*

**st peter's singers**  
*directed by Duncan Aspden*

**Saturday 19th March 2011 at 7:30pm**  
**St James's Church, Piccadilly**

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**Joshua**  
 by George Frideric Handel (1685 – 1759)

Joshua, <i>Leader of the Israelites</i>	Nicholas Mulroy
Othniel, <i>a youthful warrior, betrothed to Achsah</i>	William Towers
Caleb, <i>a ruler or captain of the Tribe of Judah</i>	Jonathan Brown
Achsah <i>Caleb's daughter</i>	Katie Trethewey
Chorus	St Peter's Singers

Period Instruments - Interplay

Directed by Duncan Aspden

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19 March 2011

## The Long Day Closes

### Music for Midsummer



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directed by **Duncan Aspden**

**Saturday 25th June 2011 at 7:30pm**  
**St Nicholas Church, Chiswick**

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### The Long Day Closes

Music for Midsummer

Cantique de Jean Racine	Gabriel Fauré (1845-1924)
Morgenlied	Josef Rheinberger (1839-1901)
Hard Day's Night	Lennon, McCartney and others
Ecce Beatem Lucem	Jonathan Dove (b 1959)
Morning from <i>Peer Gynt</i>	Edvard Grieg (1843-1907)
Summertime	George Gershwin (1898-1937)
Vivace from <i>der Kaffeeklatsch</i>	Franz Joseph Haydn (1732-1809)
Die Beredsamkeit	Franz Joseph Haydn
Touordion	Anon

Interval of 20 minutes

Vier Quartette, Op 92	Johannes Brahms (1833-1897)
Clair de Lune	Claude Debussy (1862-1918)
Sure on This Shining Night	Samuel Barber (1910-1981)
The Long Day Closes	Sir Arthur Sullivan (1842-1900)
Esti Dal	Zoltán Kodály (1882-1967)
Sleep	Eric Whitacre (b 1970)

Directed by Duncan Aspden

Piano and organ Andrew Wells

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25 June 2011

## Petros Singers Programmes 2011-

**petros singers**  
present

## “Silence and Music”


directed by **Duncan Aspden**  
accompanied by **Andrew Wells**

2011

**Saturday 22nd October at 7:00pm**  
**St Nicholas Parish Church, Brighton**

Supporting **ASSERT (B&H)**  
Adults with Asperger Syndrome

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22 October 2011 (Brighton)

# A Christmas Fantasia

**Petros Singers**  
directed by Duncan Aspden

**Sunday 11th December 2011 at 7:30pm**  
**St Peter's Church, Black Lion Lane, Hammersmith**

**Programme: £1**

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## A Christmas Fantasia

*Have you heard the story of the Jesus Child?*

Hodie Christus natus est Jan Pieterszoon Sweelink (1562 - 1621)  
O Come all Ye Faithful J F Wade (c 1711 - 1786) p.13  
Jesus Child John Rutter (b 1945) p.24

*And they laid him in a manger*

Dormi Jesu Sheet David A Cooper (1949 - 2008)  
The Holy Boy John Ireland (1879 - 1962)  
The Crown of Roses Piotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky (1820 - 1891) p.196  
In the Bleak Mid-winter CFC p.93 Gustav Holst (1874 - 1934)

*There came wise men from afar*

The Three Kings Sheet Peter Cornelius (1824 - 1874)  
Follow that Star Book p.18 Peter Gritton  
Carol of the Magi Book John Rutter

Interval of 20 minutes

Fantasia on Christmas Carols R Vaughan Williams (1872 - 1958)

*Glory to the new-born King*

Hark! The Herald Angels Sing CFC p.68 Felix Mendelssohn (1809 - 1847)  
Süßer die Glocken nie klingen Sheet Traditional  
Maria Wiegenlied Sops. Max Reger (1873 - 1916)  
Serenade from "The Snowman" Erich Korngold (1897 - 1957)  
Good King Wenceslas programme Tune from Piæ Cantiones  
Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas Book p.3 Hugh Martin and Ralph Blane  
arranged by Peter Gritton

Petros Singers

Baritone: Alex Ashworth

Cello: Nick Roberts

Piano and Organ: Andrew Wells

Directed by Duncan Aspden

Tonight's performance will end at approximately 9:10 p.m. when there will be a retiring collection in aid of Teenage Cancer Trust

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11 December 2011