



**Will Todd:
Angel Song II**

**John Rutter:
Mass of the Children**

**Paul Mealor:
Ubi caritas et amor**

**Bob Chilcott:
Requiem**

**The Brandenburg Sinfonia
Conductor: Jeremy Backhouse
Farnham Youth Choir**

Vivace
Chorus

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**Saturday
25th May 2013**
7.30 pm Guildford Cathedral
6.30 pm Pre-concert talk

The 'Best of British'

Join us in Guildford Cathedral for a celebration of the best that British choral music has to offer.

Chilcott's *Requiem* was written in 2010 but has already been performed many times, such is its popularity. Rutter's *Mass of the Children* is a joy to hear and wonderful to perform. Meador was in the national spotlight when *Wherever You Are*, written for the Military Wives' Choir, was the Christmas number one in 2011. We are singing his *Ubi Caritas et Amor*, performed at the wedding of the Duke and Duchess of Cambridge. *Angel Song II* was written by Guildford's Will Todd, whose *The Call of Wisdom* was commissioned for the Queen's Diamond Jubilee service in St. Paul's Cathedral.

We are delighted to be singing with our neighbours, the Farnham Youth Choir, which has recorded *Mass of the Children* for John Rutter. 'A choir that is known and admired all over the world.' (*Bob Chilcott*)

This concert is part of our 'Contemporary Choral Classics' cycle.

Free pre-concert talk

6.30 pm in the Chapter House

The talk will be given by Dr Steven Berryman. His composition '*Cypher*' for BBC National Orchestra of Wales was performed in 2011 and he has written for Jamie Zubairi and had work performed at Cena Brasil Internacional 2012, Rio de Janeiro. Steven currently teaches at North London Collegiate School and the Junior Department of the Royal Academy of Music.

Sing with Vivace Chorus

A glance at the 'Dates for your Diary' section will give you an idea of some of the wonderful things that could be in store for you but that's not all!

We're planning a tour to Italy, with concerts in Venice, Verona and Bardolino (Lake Garda) in June 2014. We will look after your voice for you with a choral workshop in October 2013 with Deborah Miles-Johnson, coach to many of the top London choirs. In November 2014 we will be singing Bach's *Mass in B minor*.

If you're adventurous, so are we! From the Royal Albert Hall, St Martin-in-the-Fields, through G Live and the Cathedral to Verona and Venice; to sing Britten and Bach, Gershwin and Bernstein.

Are you up for it?

More information at vivacechorus.org

We rehearse in central Guildford on Monday evenings.

Dates for your Diary

Sat 16 November 2013

7.30 pm

Karl Jenkins:

The Armed Man

Haydn:

Mass in Time of War

Guildford Cathedral

Sun 15 December 2013

7.00 pm

The Mayor's

Christmas Concert

Holy Trinity Church

Guildford

Sat 25 January 2014

10.00 am

Come and Sing

Bernstein and Britten

Normandy Village Hall

Sat 8 March 2014

7.30 pm

Strictly Gershwin

Porgy and Bess

Rhapsody in Blue

G Live

Sun 18 May 2014

Verdi:

Requiem

Royal Albert Hall

All information is correct on going to press.
Please check our website:
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in case of any last-minute changes.



There is ramped access into the Cathedral via the west door, and to the Refectory Restaurant and toilet facilities from a clearly marked passage to the University beside the Cathedral Offices. A few wheelchairs are available within the Cathedral.