

Sunday 15 December 2024

CHOIR OF KING'S COLLEGE, CAMBRIDGE

Daniel Hyde, Director of Music



PROGRAMME



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Monteverdi: Cantate Domino

Dering: Factum est silentium

Tallis: Salvator mundi

Gibbons: This is the record of John

JS Bach: Prelude and Fugue in C minor BWV 546 (organ)

Lassus: Ave regina coelorum

Parsons: Ave Maria

Tallis: O sacrum convivium

Gibbons: See, see the word is incarnate

INTERVAL

ALL – Once in royal David's City, descant Philip Ledger Vaughan Williams: Sussex Carol Matthew Martin: Adam lay y bounden Elizabeth Maconchy: Nowell, nowell, nowell James Whitbourn: A great and mighty wonder Walford Davies: O little town of Bethlehem

JS Bach: In dulci jubilo BWV 719 (organ)

ALL – While shepherds watched, descant Nicholas Marston Adolph Adam, arr. John West: O holy night Traditional. arr. Christopher Robinson: Hereford Carol John Rutter: Nativity Carol Simon Preston: I saw three ships ALL - O Come, All Ye Faithful descant David Willcocks

Daniel Hyde



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Daniel Hyde has been Director of Music at King's College, Cambridge since 2019. As well as directing the world-famous Choir in daily services, he regularly conducts concerts and broadcasts at home and abroad. In the last year, highlights have included performances at the Sydney Opera House, the Barbican and the Amsterdam Concertgebouw. Alongside his commitments in Cambridge he is Musical Director of City of London Choir.

Born in the UK and schooled as a chorister at Durham Cathedral, he was made a Fellow of the Royal College of Organists at the age of 17 and won the organ scholarship to King's College, Cambridge; upon graduation he took up the position of Director of Music at Jesus College, Cambridge. In 2009, he became Informator Choristarum at Magdalen College, Oxford, where he was also an Associate Professor. In 2016 Daniel became Organist and Director of Music at Saint Thomas Church, Fifth Avenue, New York City.

As a conductor, Daniel has worked with many of the world's leading ensembles including the BBC Singers, the London Bach Choir, the Britten Sinfonia, the Philharmonia Chorus and Orchestra, the BBC Concert Orchestra, the Royal Philharmonic Orchestra, the Orchestra of the Age of Enlightenment, the Academy of Ancient Music, the Orchestra of St Luke's and New York Baroque Incorporated.

As an organist, he has performed throughout the world. He made his solo debut at the BBC Proms in 2010 and was the concerto soloist at the First Night of the Proms 2021. As an ensemble player he has appeared extensively with the likes of Phantasm. the Britten Sinfonia. The Tallis Scholars, Aurora Orchestra, and Gabrieli Consort. Daniel's varied discography can be found on the King's, Opus Arte, Linn, Naxos, EMI and Priory labels.

The Choir of King's College, Cambridge

Founded in the 15th century, the Choir of King's College, Cambridge is undoubtedly one of the world's best known choral groups. Every Christmas Eve millions of people worldwide tune into A Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols, a service that has been broadcast almost every year by the BBC since 1928. The Choir owes its existence to King Henry VI, who envisaged the daily singing of services in the magnificent college chapel. Singing daily services remains an important part of the lives of the choristers, who are educated at King's College School, and the choral scholars and organ scholars, who study a variety of subjects at the University of Cambridge. The Choir has produced numerous professional singers including James Gilchrist, Christopher Purves and Gerald Finley. The Choir's worldwide fame and reputation, enhanced by its many recordings, has led to invitations to perform around the globe, and to an extensive international touring schedule.

Choristers

Auberon Adams Isaac Adesope Edward Boateng George Cai Ethan Cumberbatch Henry Harper Raymond Hu Bentley Huang Kai Huang Bertie MacDonald Archibald Macpherson Curtis Mears Ottar Moeller-Jensen Joshua Ngan Shashank Raghavendran Felix Raine Lewis Wilkie lames Ye

Alto

Felix Blake Joshua Dennis William Rodgers Harry Street

Tenor

Robert Anson Tadwyn Davies Harry Gant Fergus McKie Matthew Supramaniam **Benedict Turner-Berry**

Bass

Henry Montgomery Jacob Robinson Tom Pickard Michael Tuft John-Ellis Wallace

Organ

Harrison Cole

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