

# BOOKING FORM

	Required	Total
PATRON (Minimum £25)*		
Lecture £7		
Festival Tea £7.50		
Whitlock Recital £10		
Festival Lunch £19		
Orchestral Concert £12		
Lunchtime Concert £6		
Monday Concert £10		
Choral Fund*		
<b>TOTAL</b>		

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# MAY FESTIVAL 2017

This is the twenty second annual celebration of music within the context of worship to be held here at St Stephen's. We welcome many music lovers and many performers who join with us for these three glorious days.

Our special guests this year include **Malcolm Archer**, Director of Chapel Music at Winchester College, who will be giving the Whitlock organ recital.

The composer of the festival commission, **John Bertalot**, is writing a new motet, "Soul of my Saviour", which will be part of the Saturday Mass.

We welcome especially **Gordon Stewart** who is giving the lecture about the decline of the Civic Organist as part of the local community, focussing on Percy Whitlock's years in Bournemouth, and Gordon's perspective 75 years later from Huddersfield Town Hall.

The Schola Cantorum choir of **Tewkesbury Abbey** directed by **Simon Bell** will be singing the Saturday Festival Evensong, and on Monday the choir of **St Matthew's Westminster** directed by **Nigel Groome** will be singing Choral Evensong.

**St Stephen's Choir** will be joined by our neighbours **Richmond Hill St Andrew's URC Choir** for the Saturday Mass. On Sunday morning the choir with chamber orchestra will be singing liturgically **Haydn Missa St Joannis de Deo** (The Little Organ Mass).

On Sunday evening the Festival Orchestra will be giving a varied, and popular orchestral concert including music by Bach, Mozart and Haydn.

On Monday the lunchtime recital is by the **Parry Ensemble** playing a Brahms Sextet.

The final event on Monday evening features the all female vocal ensemble **Papagena** who gave a concert here to great acclaim two years ago and have recently appeared at the Edinburgh Festival.

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC : **IAN HARRISON**  
RECTOR OF BOURNEMOUTH : **FR. IAN TERRY**  
LEADER OF THE FESTIVAL ORCHESTRA : **JANE BULTZ**

*We are very grateful to the Whitlock Trust, Deric-Scott, Durlston Court School Trust and the Bournemouth Association of Organists who are generous sponsors of the Festival.*

**Access, including parking, is available for the disabled.**

**There are W.C. facilities within the church and in the Church Hall.**

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**ST STEPHEN'S  
CHURCH  
BOURNEMOUTH  
SATURDAY - MONDAY  
29<sup>TH</sup> APRIL - 1<sup>ST</sup> MAY**

# SATURDAY

## 11.00 A.M. - FESTIVAL HIGH MASS

Music : Ireland in C

Motet : "Soul of my Saviour" by

John Bertalet (2017 festival commission)

## 2.45 P.M. - FESTIVAL LECTURE

**GORDON STEWART**

(International Concert Organist)

Civic Organist Huddersfield Town Hall

*THE DECLINE OF THE CIVIC ORGANIST*

(Sponsored by the Bournemouth Association of Organists)

## 3.45 P.M. - THE FESTIVAL TEA

## 5.15 P.M. FESTIVAL EVENSONG

**TEWKESBURY ABBEY**

**SCHOLA CANTORUM**

DIRECTED BY SIMON BELL

Organist: Carleton Etherington

## 6.45 P.M. - THE 22<sup>ND</sup> WHITLOCK RECITAL

**MALCOLM ARCHER**

(Winchester College)

*Programme includes music by*

Whitlock and other English composers, and an  
improvised suite.

(Supported by the Whitlock Trust)

# SUNDAY

## 11.00 A.M. - HIGH MASS

Music : Mass – HAYDN (Little Organ Mass)

Motet : Verleih uns Frieden - Mendelssohn

## 1.15 P.M. - FESTIVAL LUNCH

(At the Norfolk Royale Hotel)

## 7.00 P.M. - ORCHESTRAL CONCERT

Bach Orchestral Suite No. 3 in D, BWV 1068

(includes *Air on a G String*)

Mozart Horn Concerto No 4 in G K495

(Soloist : Miles Hewitt)

Haydn Symphony No. 94 in G (Surprise)

Festival Orchestra (Leader : Jane Bultz)

Directed by Ian Harrison

(Sponsored by Durlston Court School Trust)

# MONDAY

## 12.30 P.M. - LUNCHTIME CONCERT

A CHAMBER MUSIC RECITAL WITH

**THE PARRY ENSEMBLE**

**BRAHMS SEXTET**

## 3.30 P.M. - CHORAL EVENSONG

**St Matthew's Westminster Choir**

Directed by Nigel Groome

(Tea will be available for all after this service)

## 6.00 P.M. - CONCERT

**PAPAGENA**

Following their successful appearance at the Edinburgh

Festival this all female choral ensemble returns to St

Stephen's for this evenings concert.

A glass of wine will be available afterwards.

## TICKETS

Tickets for all the events are available in advance (see the booking form overleaf) and will also be available on the door for all the concerts.

There is no reserved seating for any of the events, but if requested, space for wheelchairs will be available.

Everyone is very welcome to all the services.

## BECOME A PATRON

A small minimum donation of £25 enables you to be a patron of the Festival with your name included in the Festival Programme, if you apply before 15th March. All patrons will receive a free copy of the programme. (If you are a UK taxpayer your donation as a patron can be significantly increased by utilising "Gift Aid").

## ST STEPHEN'S CHORAL FUND

The choral fund is being established to provide funds for choral scholars or professional singers to maintain the musical tradition at St Stephen's, please add on a donation for this new project when booking.

## SOCIAL EVENTS

Please book in advance for the **Festival Lunch**.

This is a three course set menu roast lunch including coffee. A vegetarian alternative is available if requested in advance.

It is helpful if you book for the Saturday **Festival Tea**, a marvellous spread of sandwiches, scones and cakes, but there will be a number of tickets available on the door.

On Monday the tea after Evensong is open to all at no charge.

During the weekend refreshments will be available at the back of the church.

## BOOKING OFFICE

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*Please enclose a stamped addressed envelope with your orders for tickets.*

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