



# Bolton Festival Choir and Orchestra

June 2017

Dear Friend

Have you got the date for the concert in your diaries?

We hope you can join us for this year's Festival Concert to be held in Bolton Parish Church on Sunday 27th August 2017. The details of the rehearsals are on page 2.

The concert is called 'My God and King' and we will be singing –

**Vaughan Williams**

**Five Mystical Songs**

**Poulenc**

**Gloria**

The orchestra will play Mendelssohn - Ruy Blas overture, and the soprano and baritone will sing solos.

Tickets prices remain at £10.00. Do try your best to advertise the concert as much as you can!

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**PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN TO ME BY 24<sup>th</sup> JULY!**

(sooner rather than later please!! – by email, if paying bank transfer, or post - address in footer!)

**Subscription due: £22 Adult / £10 Student (in full time education)**

This can be paid by direct bank transfer to Sort Code 08-92-99 A/c No 65199503 giving your name as reference (further details on website!)

or by cheque to be made payable to Bolton Festival Choir and Orchestra

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Rehearsals: To be held in Bolton Parish Church Hall for the first two weeks as follows:

|                    |          |             |          |              |                   |
|--------------------|----------|-------------|----------|--------------|-------------------|
|                    | Tuesday  | 8           | August   | 7.15 - 10.00 | Choir             |
|                    | Thursday | 10          |          | 7.15 - 10.00 | Choir (AGM)       |
|                    | Tuesday  | 15          |          | 7.30 - 10.00 | Choir             |
|                    | Thursday | 17          |          | 7.30 - 10.00 | Choir             |
| Church             | Tuesday  | 22          |          | 7.30 - 10.00 | Choir             |
|                    | Thursday | 24          |          | 7.30 - 10.00 | Choir             |
|                    | Friday   | 25          |          | 7.15 - 10.00 | Choir + Orchestra |
| Sunday             | 27       | 1.00 - 4.30 | (T.B.C.) | Tutti        |                   |
| <u>Performance</u> | Sunday   | 27          |          | 7.30 pm      |                   |

The AGM will be held before the start of rehearsal 10 August. This will be short but please make sure you arrive in time - we need your feedback! Once again, we are asking for 'new blood' on the committee – anyone interested? Please contact Laurette if you can help!

As we did last year we plan to have seating for the choir. There were a few problems last year which we hope we can sort this year, so please bear with us.

See you in August?

*Helen*

Helen Stuart

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