December

Saturday 7th December, 12.30-1.00pm Lunchtime Concert

Mini Messiah

A selection of arias and choruses from this Christmas choral favourite squeezed into 30 minutes!

Admission free

Sunday 8th December, 10.30am Choral Eucharist

Goldschmidt: A tender shoot Palestrina: Missa brevis Stopford: There is no rose

Saturday 21st December, 4.30pm Festival of Nine Lessons & Carols

All are welcome to join us for this very traditional carol service

Tuesday 24th December, 11.30pm Midnight Mass

Will Todd: My Lord has come Schubert: Mass in G Adam: O holy night

Music at St Peter's

Set in the heart of the vibrant county town of Dorchester, St Peter's has become a focal point for musical excellence. In addition to championing the Anglican choral tradition within the wonderful surroundings and acoustics of our 15th century church, Music at St Peter's offers a fantastic range of concerts and recitals, mostly with a liturgical theme. Recently, we have been delighted to host an evening of spectacular choral singing by the Gentlemen of St John's College, Cambridge and a fabulous organ recital by John Challenger, Assistant Director of Music at Salisbury Cathedral. We are delighted that our new season opens with a recital by The Gesualdo Six.

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Services

Events

Concerts

St Peter's Church High West Street, Dorchester, DT1 1XA

September

Friday 6th September, 7pm The Gesualdo Six in Concert



Tickets £20, £25. Online box office: www.ticketsource.co.uk/st-peters-church-dorchester

Sunday 15th September, 10.30am Choral Eucharist

Victoria: Ave maria Mozart: Missa brevis in Bb KV275 Messiaen: O sacrum convivium

Saturday 21st September, 12.30-1.00pm Lunchtime Concert

Schubert: The Shepherd on the Rock and other music.

Soprano: Sue Adams, Clarinet: Natalie Burton, Piano: Ian Davis Admission free

Saturday 28th September, 4.30pm Choral Evensong

Parry: My soul there is a country Beeby: Preces and Responses Brewer: Evening Canticles in D Bairstow: Blessed city, heavenly Salem

October

Sunday 13th October, 10.30am Choral Eucharist

> Bruckner: Tantum ergo Byrd: Mass for four voices Elgar: Ave maria

Saturday 19th October 12.30-1.00pm Lunchtime Concert

Music for saxophone and piano



Sax: Maddie McCoubrie, Piano: Natalie Burton Admission free

Saturday 26th October, 4.30pm Choral Evensong

Gibbons: Almighty and everlasting God Reading: Preces and Responses Purcell: Evening Canticles in G minor Harris: Strengthen ye the weak hands



(University Music Bournemouth Chamber Choir)

November

Saturday 2nd November, 5.00pm Duruflé Requiem for All Souls Day

Admission free

Sunday 3rd November, 10.30am Choral Eucharist

Morales: Peccantem me quotidie Palestrina: Missa Papae Marcelli Eleanor Daley: Upon your heart

Saturday 9th November 12.30-1.00pm Lunchtime Concert

A recital of English and Italian songs and arias



Soprano: Iris Lam, Piano: Rob Taylor Admission free

Saturday 23rd November, 4.30pm Choral Evensong

Tallis: O nata lux Rose: Preces and Responses Ives: Edington Service Ireland: Greater love hath no man

Saturday 30th November, 4.30pm Advent Carol Service Sung by University Music Chamber Choir