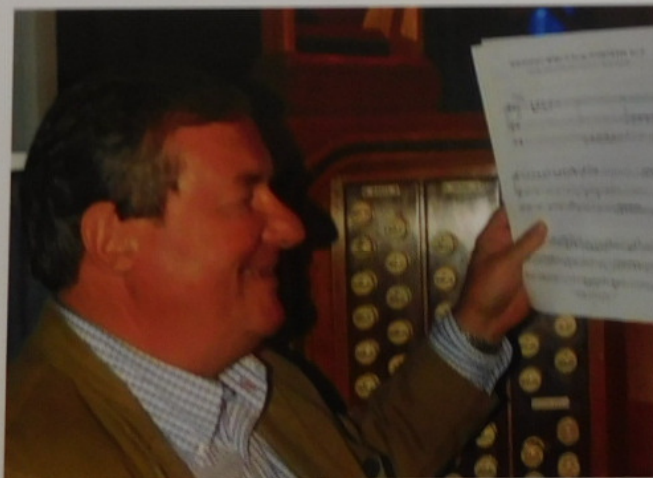




John Naylor

John Naylor was born in Sheffield. Church music ran through his veins from the very start. He came from a musical family and his father was a vicar. He became a chorister at Durham Cathedral and then a music scholar at Rossall School. Another scholarship followed to St John's College Cambridge where he was a choral scholar whilst taking a degree in Medieval English. The great Dr George Guest, organist and choral conductor at St Johns, Conrad Eden, the English cathedral organist at Durham, Wilfred Brown the English tenor and Lyndon van der Pump, Professor of singing at the Royal School of Music all tutored, nurtured and influenced John's musicianship. However business was to be his living rather than music where he successfully took successive chief executive posts with leading companies. At the same time he did not allow his musical interests to dwindle. He continued to sing with the cathedral choirs of Christ Church Oxford, Carlisle and Chester cathedrals, and performed with other professional choirs including The Monteverdi choir, The Louis Halsey Singers, The Academy of St Martin in the Fields and the Chapel Royal of HM Tower of London. A well-earned early retirement from commerce allowed him to pursue a second equally successful career in music. In 1980 he established the Lydian singers as a leading chamber choir in the North West who perform widely and have sung in most of the cathedrals of Great Britain. He also currently conducts the Open University Chapel Choir which performs in cathedrals when their choirs are on holiday or touring. Other choirs he has directed include the renowned Newport and District Male Voice choir and The Phoenix Singers. In September 2005 he was appointed Music Director of the Nantwich Choral Society whose engagements over the first ten years of his custodianship are the subject of this celebration and occupy the rest of these pages.....



Simon Russell

Simon was born in Liverpool. He studied organ at Birkenhead School with Timothy Lawford and then at Cambridge University as organ scholar at St. Catharine's College, where he continued studies with Gillian Weir and the late Peter le Huray. After Cambridge he was appointed Assistant Organist at Chester Cathedral but decided after a while to keep music as a hobby and gain fortune from computer keyboards. He was firstly accompanist and then Music Director of the Hoyle Choral Society from 1982 until he moved in 2000, to Nantwich where he became organist at St Mary's Parish Church. In 2010 he was appointed accompanist to the Nantwich Choral Society following on from Andrew Mildinhall, as only it's third ever accompanist. In May 2014 he became a full-time professional freelance musician. He is in demand as accompanist, organ recitalist, piano, organ and theory of music tutor and has many Associated Board and other pupil distinctions and diploma successes to his credit. Most recently he has been appointed as the North of England's Coordinator for the Royal School of Church Music.



Andrew Mildinhall

Andrew was drawn into musical activities via singing in his local church choir. Having expressed an interest in playing the organ he subsequently found himself organist at the young age of 14. He went on to study with Nicholas Danby, Vivian Langrish and Eric Thieman. After a long career in fund-raising and marketing he became a freelance professional musician playing the organ, piano and harpsichord for concerts, special occasions and Church services. He was organist at Nantwich Church for 12 years and accompanist for Nantwich Choral Society for 13 before returning in 2010 to his native Norfolk. He still regularly composes for the Nantwich Choral Society.

The Northern Concordia Orchestra, is the Nantwich Choral Society's fully professional associate orchestra convened from players who themselves perform with the leading orchestras of Manchester, Liverpool and Leeds. They also perform with **The 18th Century Orchestra**, "Baroque at it's best".



THE CHOIR

Soprano 1

Anne Barnard, Jan Brown, Jenny Brown, Tracey Coleman, Glenda Colemere, Gail Corfield, Rita Davies, Ann Ferguson, Marlene Flannery, Kay Foster, Mary Harris, Margaret Harvey, Rosemary Jones, Tina Jones, Bronwyn Kelly, Helen Kerr, Sheila Luke, Maire Pedder, Rachel Pentecost, Rachael Reeves, Debbie Rowlands, Jennifer Seabridge, Carol Seed, Doreen Sillitoe, Sheila Swindale, Jane Tyre, Barbara Waters, Jane Whiteman

Soprano 2

Helen Bevan, Sue Bridge, Rachel Carter, Christine English, Joyce Foster, Janet Geeson, Cynthia Gorton, Janet Halligan, Grace Johnston, Lucy Kibble, Elizabeth McCrone, Jenny Naylor, Steph Percy, Eileen Robertson, Barbara Shone, Wendy Wren

Alto 1

Susan Cooke, Frances Durkin, Fiona Field, Gillian Handford, Rachael Hendry, Lena Hogben, Elizabeth Lea, Geraldine Leighton, Anne Nicol, Jill Oldman, Barbara Schultz, Ros Wells, Diane Wheatley, Sarah Worth

Alto 2

Judy Bryant, Shirley Burton, Judith Dooley, Mary Goodman, Joy Guest, Ester Harries, Marian Hay, Sarah Hill, Sue Leadbetter, Anne Mckay, Brenda Midgley, Janet Miller, Gwyneth Rollins, Joan Shaddick, Elizabeth Tilston, Margaret Whitehurst

Tenors

Martyn Colley, Graham Harbage, Patrick Hay, Wal Kaye, James Millar, Mike Moores, Barry Munslow, Richard Percival, Nigel Phipps, Nick Smith, Philip Trinder, Bill Vallance, Joe Watson, John Whittingham

Bass

Roger Boulton, Paul Durant, Christopher Findlay, David Foster, Glyn Griffiths, Douglas Hollinshead, David Johnston, David Jones, Martin Jones, Ron Kelley, Adrian Percy, Tony Powell, Bob Pugh, Laird Ryan, Simon Stubington, Ian Wells

2005 - 2006

Choral Society appoints a director of note

The heavenly voice of John Naylor is the forefront of Nantwich Choral Society after being named as it's new conductor and Music Director. He is a singer, organist and conductor, with experience over many years with world class choirs. John who has lent his talents to a number of music societies, has appeared on a number of occasions at the *Proms*, The Festival Hall, the Queen Elizabeth Hall and also at the Aldeburgh and Kings Lynn Festivals. He spent 14 years as director of music in the Cranmer group of parishes in Nottinghamshire. He said "I am really excited about the prospect of conducting the Nantwich Choral Society who have a well deserved reputation for fine music making". "I plan to concentrate on the main stream choral repertoire, starting with *Elijah* in November at St Mary's and Bach's *St John Passion* in the spring". "I have been privileged throughout my musical career to work with many enthusiastic singers and musicians who gain enormous enjoyment and fulfillment from taking their music very seriously mixed with a sense of fun. I am confident that Nantwich Choral Society will be no exception".

The Mail, 7th October 2005



Nantwich Choral Society Christmas Concert



A Traditional Family Carol Sing
with
Andrew Mildinhall - Organ and Piano
Directed by John Naylor

Parish Church of St Mary, Nantwich
Saturday 17th December 2005 at 7.30 pm

Nantwich Choral Society

ELIJAH

Mendelssohn

Soloists: Mark Holland - Elijah
Nicola Howard - soprano
Susan Marrs - contralto
Jason Bellis - tenor
Organist: Andrew Mildinhall

Directed by John Naylor

Saturday 26th November at 7.30 p.m.

Parish Church of St. Mary, Nantwich

Tickets £10.00 Concessions £8.00

Tickets available from:
Sounds Musical, 72 Hospital Street 01270 625579
Tourist Information Centre, Church Walk
St. Mary's Church Shop

THE HARDING TRUST

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Nantwich Choral Society

SINGING DAY

Come and Sing

*“European Sacred
Music”*

Saturday 21st January 2006

at
Nantwich Methodist Church

Directed by
John Naylor

J. S. Bach

ST. JOHN PASSION

CHESTER
CATHEDRAL

*Saturday 1st April
2006*

7.30 p.m.

NANTWICH CHORAL SOCIETY
THE LYDIAN SINGERS
THE 18th CONCERT ORCHESTRA

Nantwich
Choral Society

SOME LIKE IT COOL



Summer Concert

Captain Noah and his Floating Zoo - Flanders and Horowitz
Choral arrangements of songs by Gershwin, 'Fats' Waller
and Contemporaries

Songs by Noël Coward, Flanders & Swan
and Patter Songs from Gilbert and Sullivan

MALBANK HIGH SCHOOL

Saturday, 1st July, 2006
at 7.30 p.m.

Richard Suart - Baritone

The Mildinhall Jazz Trio
John Naylor - Conductor

Tickets £10

Concessions £8 Under 18yrs £2
Available from Sounds Musical: 01270 625579
and Tourist Information Centre, Nantwich


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2006 - 2007

SINGING DAY

Come and Sing

"Great Choruses from Great Oratorios"

Saturday 30th September
2006

Nantwich Methodist Church

Directed by
John Naylor

with

Andrew Mildinhall
Organ and Piano

Nantwich Choral Society

Vespers (1610)
Claudio Monteverdi
Sasha Johnson Manning, Amy Wood (sopranos)
David Gooda (alto)
Joshua Ellicott, Tim Kennedy, John Pearce (tenors)
Mark Rowlinson (bass), Andrew Mildinhall (organ)
The Orchestra of Platform Four
Directed by John Naylor

St. Boniface Church, Bunbury

Saturday, 11th November, 2006
at 7.30 p.m.
Concessions £8.00

Nantwich Choral Society

Five Mystical Songs
Ralph Vaughan Williams
Chichester Psalms
Leonard Bernstein
Requiem
Gabriel Fauré

Tom Hunt - Baritone Andrew Mildinhall - Organ
Directed by John Naylor

Saturday, 24th March, 2007 at 7.30 p.m.
Parish Church of St. Mary, Nantwich
Concessions £8.00

Nantwich Choral Society

'Messiah' - G F Handel
Janet Ollier (Soprano), Susan Marrs (Contralto)
Stephen Newlove (Tenor), Jamie Hall (Bass)
The 18th Century Concert Orchestra
Musical Director: John Naylor

Saturday, 3rd February, 2007
at 7.00 p.m.
St. Mary's Parish Church, Nantwich

St Mary's Church, Nantwich
Sunday July 22nd 2007



The Armed Man
A Mass for Peace
Composed by Karl Jenkins

Ensemble Vocal Arpège de Mâcon
Nantwich Choral Society and Orchestra
Susan Marrs - mezzo soprano
John Naylor - conductor

Dimanche 27 mai 2007 à 18h
Cathédrale St Vincent MÂCON

L'Homme Armé
The Armed Man Karl Jenkins



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Cathedrale St Vincent MACON

2007 - 2008

Mozart Requiem

Duncan Druce completion

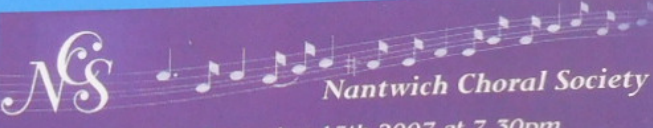
Benson Choral Suite

Sasha Johnson-Manning - soprano
Harriet Goodwin - mezzo soprano
Stephen Newlove - tenor
Marcus Farnsworth - bass

St Boniface Church
Bunbury
Saturday 3rd November

18th Century Concert Orchestra

John Naylor
Conductor



Nantwich Choral Society

Saturday December 15th 2007 at 7.30pm
St Mary's Church, Nantwich
Christmas Concert

Fantasia on Christmas Carols by Vaughan Williams
Family Carols with Nantwich Young Voices and
Andrew Mildinhall - Organ

Tickets available from:
Tourist information Centre at the Civic Hall,
Nantwich All Choir Members
St Mary's Church Shop, Nantwich, or at the door.
Christmas Carols £10 (£8 concessions, children £2 at door) Visit our website at www.nantwichchoral.org.uk
Ticket enquiries: phone 01270 762226

Singing Day

Masterpieces of European
Sacred Music

Nantwich Methodist
Church
2nd Feb 2008

John Naylor
conductor

Nantwich Choral Society

All concerts will be conducted by John Naylor

Saturday, November 3rd, 2007 at 7.30pm

ST. BONIFACE AT BUNBURY

REQUIEM - Mozart (in the Duncan Druce completion)

CHORAL SUITE - John Benson

Sasha Johnson Manning - Soprano
Harriet Goodwin - Mezzo-soprano
Stephen Newlove - Tenor
Marcus Farnsworth - Bass
The 18th Century Concert Orchestra

Saturday December 15th 2007 at 7.30pm

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, NANTWICH

CHRISTMAS CONCERT

FANTASIA ON CHRISTMAS CAROLS

by Vaughan Williams

FAMILY CAROLS

With Nantwich Young Voices
and Andrew Mildinhall - Organ

Saturday March 8th, 2008 at 7.30pm

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, NANTWICH

MENDELSSOHN - HEAR MY PRAYER

BRAHMS - A GERMAN REQUIEM (sung in English)

Janet Ollier - Soprano
David Butt-Philips - Baritone
Vivian Redfern - Piano
Andrew Mildinhall - Piano and Organ

Saturday June 28th 2008 at 7.30pm

ST. BONIFACE CHURCH, BUNBURY

OPERA GALA EVENING

Nicola Howard - Soprano
Mark Holland - Baritone
Andrew Mildinhall - Piano

Tickets available from:

Tourist Information Centre at the Civic Hall, Nantwich
All Choir Members

St. Mary's Church Shop, Nantwich (for concerts at St. Mary's)
or at the door

Prices: £12 (£10 Concessions)

Christmas Carols - £10 (£8 Concessions, children £2 at door)

Visit our website at www.nantwichchoral.org.uk

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Nantwich Choral Society

A GERMAN REQUIEM

Brahms

Sung in a new English Translation

HEAR MY PRAYER

Mendelssohn

Janet Ollier (soprano)

David Butt Philip (baritone)

Vivian Redfern (piano)

Andrew Mildinhal (piano and organ)

Directed by John Naylor

SATURDAY 8th MARCH

at 7.30pm

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, NANTWICH

Tickets £12.00 Concessions £10.00

Children under sixteen £2 at the door

Tickets available from:

Box Office

Think about IT, Hospital Street, Nantwich, 01270 624209

Tourist Information Centre, Civic Hall, Market Street, Nantwich

St Mary's Nantwich Church Shop

All Choir Members and at the door

For further information call Jay Guest 01270 762226

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Legendary piece a challenge for choir



Nantwich Choral Society

A great choral work and two grand pianos.....

*Nantwich Choral Society is preparing to take on **Brahm's** phenomenal **German Requiem**.*

"There's no doubt that this is a very difficult piece of choral work to perform" says Music Director John Naylor. "The reason being that with oratorios and other choral society pieces, a lot of work is done by the soloists. But in this requiem, the choir itself has an awful lot of work to do"

"It's one of the challenges of the choral repertoire but the music is absolutely wonderful"

"It's a monumental composition, quite unlike any work which preceded it, but hopefully the audience should hear a beautiful choral sound, as it combines the contrapuntal complexity of Bach with the romanticism of Schumann."

2008 - 2009

Nantwich Choral Society

Messe Solonelle de Saint Cécile

- Charles Gounod

Psalmfest

- John Rutter

Serenna Wagner
Soprano

Andrew Lockwood
Tenor

Oliver Dunn
Bass

Andrew Mildinhall (organ)

Conductor: John Naylor

SATURDAY, 28TH MARCH, 2009

at 7.30pm

PARISH CHURCH OF ST. JAMES, NANTWICH

Tickets £12.00

Under 16's -

Tickets

Think about IT, Hospital

Tourist Information Centre, Civic

Victoria Community

St Mary

All Choir Men

Nantwich Choral Society

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Nantwich Choral Society

MASS in B Minor J.S. Bach

Karen Radcliffe (soprano)

Harriet Goodwin (mezzo soprano)

Tim Kennedy (tenor)

Jamie Hall (bass)

with

The Lydian Singers

and

The 18th Century Sinfonia

Conductor: John Naylor

SATURDAY 15th NOVEMBER,
at 7.30pm

ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH,
COPPENHALL, CREWE

Tickets £12.00 Concessions £10.00

Children under sixteen £2 at the door

Tickets available from:

MESSIAH

by George Frideric Handel

Sasha Manning Johnson (soprano)

Stephen Newlove (tenor)

Susan Marrs (contralto)

Richard Strivens (bass)

Andrew Mildinhall (organ)

Conductor: John Naylor

SATURDAY 3rd January, 2009

at 7.30pm

NANTWICH METHODIST CHURCH,
HOSPITAL STREET, NANTWICH

200th Anniversary Concert

THE SEASONS

Performed in the new English Translation by Michael Pilkington

Jane Johnson, soprano

Matthew Minter, tenor

Marcus Farnsworth, baritone

The Northern Concordia Orchestra, Leader - Freddie August

Conductor: John Naylor

SATURDAY, 27th JUNE, 2009

at 7.30 p.m.

Nantwich Civic Hall

Concession £10.00

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FAMILY CAROL CONCERT

With Nantwich Young Voices
(conductor Victoria Palethorpe)

The Tarporley Handbell Ringers

and

Andrew Mildinhall (organ and piano)

Directed by John Naylor

SATURDAY 20th DECEMBER

at 7.30pm



Church bows out with music. Saturday 3rd January

Methodists have been celebrating the 200 anniversary of the Nantwich Methodist Church. A call is being made for members of the **Nantwich Choral Society** to help mark the end of the Nantwich Methodist Church in Hospital Street. Spokeswoman Rita Davies said "We are calling all former members to join us for this last opportunity to sing in this fine building, **Handel's Messiah**, accompanied by Andrew Mildinhall on the splendid Binns organ. It will be the very last public performance held here."

Susan Manning Johnson (soprano), Susan Marrs (contralto) Stephen Newlove (tenor), Richard Strivens (bass)

2009 - 2010

Romsey Choral Society
in association with Music in Romsey

ELGAR

The Dream of Gerontius



NANTWICH CHORAL SOCIETY
Edward Elgar

THE DREAM OF GERONTIUS

Peter Auty *tenor*
Susan Marks *mezzo-soprano*
David Butt Philip *baritone*

The Border Singers
The Lydian Singers
Romsey Choral Society

The Northern Concordia Orchestra
Leader - Freddie August
Conductor - John Naylor

Saturday November 7th
at 7.30 pm

CHESTER CATHEDRAL

Tickets £16.00 / £14 / £10
Tickets from
Chester Cathedral Box Office,
Telephone: 01244 500959
chestercathedral.com

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St. Mary's Church, Nantwich

Come and Sing MESSIAH

with
NANTWICH CHORAL SOCIETY
and
John Phillips, *soprano* Stephen Newlove, *tenor*
Garner, *mezzo soprano* Richard Strivens, *baritone*
Andrew Mildinhall (*organ*)

Conductor: John Naylor

SATURDAY 9TH JANUARY 2010
Rehearsal: 2pm - 4.30pm
Performance: 7.30pm

Performers Tickets: £10
Advance registration forms from www.nantwichchoral.org.uk
01270 522664, or choir members

Christmas Carol Concert

Saturday 19th December 2009

Nantwich Young Voices
Victoria Palethorpe conductor

John Naylor conductor

Andrew Mildinhall organ and piano

Singing Day

St Mary's Acton
27th February 2010

English Romantic Part-songs
Stamford's Songs of the Fleet

Stephen Varcoe baritone
Frances Howard singing tutor

Andrew Mildinhall piano

John Naylor conductor

Nantwich Choral Society

St Paul

an oratorio by

FELIX MENDELSSOHN



NICOLA HOWARD – Soprano

STEPHEN NEWLOVE – Tenor

RICHARD STRIVENS – Bass

ANDREW MILDINHALL - Organ

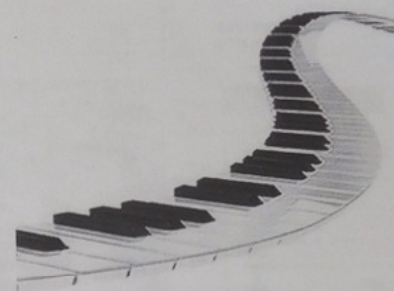
JOHN NAYLOR - Conductor

ST MARY'S CHURCH, NANTWICH
Saturday March 20th 2010

Programme (including the full text): £2.00

NANTWICH CHORAL SOCIETY

'Summer Serenade'



Catherine Benson: soprano
Christopher Booth - Jones: baritone
Andrew Mildinhall: piano and organ

John Naylor: conductor

St Mary's Church, Nantwich
Saturday June 26th 2010

2010 - 2011

NANTWICH CHORAL SOCIETY

'Come and Sing'

MESSIAH

GEORGE FRIDERIC HANDEL



SASHA MANNING JOHNSON – Soprano

HARRIET GOODWIN – Mezzo Soprano

STEPHEN NEWLOVE – Tenor

ADRIAN BLAKELY – Bass

SIMON RUSSELL - organ

JOHN NAYLOR – Conductor

ST MARY'S CHURCH, NANTWICH

Saturday January 8th, 2011

Net proceeds in aid of St Luke's Cheshire Hospice

NANTWICH CHORAL SOCIETY

St Mary's Church, Nantwich
Saturday June 25th 2011



Gioachino Rossini

Petite Messe Solonelle

Catherine Benson – soprano
Harriet Goodwin – mezzo soprano
Peter Kirk – tenor
Mark Spyropoulos – bass / baritone

Tony Metcalfe – piano
Vivian Redfern – piano
Simon Russell – harmonium

John Naylor - conductor

Programme: E1

Nantwich Choral Society

Accompanist, Simon Russell
Conductor, John Naylor

Nantwich Young Voices
Conductor, Victoria Palethorpe

FAMILY CAROL CONCERT



St Mary's Church, Nantwich

NANTWICH CHORAL SOCIETY

Andrew Mildinhall

EVEN SUCH IS TIME

Gabriel Fauré

REQUIEM

Susan Marrs – mezzo soprano

Christopher Booth Jones – baritone

Tim Mills - organ

The Northern Concordia Orchestra

John Naylor - conductor

St Mary's Church, Nantwich

Saturday March 22nd 2011

Nantwich Choral Society

An Evening with Mr Handel

*The Arrival of the Queen of Sheba
Coronation Anthems (including Zadoc the Priest)
The Trumpet Shall Sound (from the Messiah)
The Owl and the Nightingale Organ Concerto
Dettingen Te Deum*

**Stephen Garner (bass)
Simon Russell (organ)
The 18th Century Sinfonia
Conductor John Naylor
Saturday 11th November 2010
St Michael's Church, Coppenhall**



2011 - 2012

NANTWICH CHORAL SOCIETY

St Mary's Church Acton,

Saturday 15 October 2011
(9.30 am – 5.00 pm)

SINGING DAY

Ave Maria – Parsons
Like as the hart – Howells
Faire is the Heaven – Harris
Greater Love – John Ireland

*A day of exploring classics of the
English Church Music Repertoire
which will include music by
Howells, Harris, Ireland, Parsons, Byrd, Purcell,
Stainer, Tallis and SS Wesley.*

With

John Naylor

(Choral Conductor and Music Director, NCS)

and

Simon Russell, accompanist

Full details and application forms from
www.nantwichchoral.org.uk and choir members

NANTWICH CHORAL SOCIETY

The Creation

Josef Haydn

Nicola Howells soprano
Peter Davor tenor
Adrian Blake bass
Graham Eccles organ

Conductor - John Naylor

Saturday 12th November
7.30pm

St Mary's Church, Nantwich

Tickets £12.00 including programme
Students £5 payable on the door

Tickets available from: St Mary's Church Shop, Nantwich
Enquiries about IT, Hospital Street, Nantwich 01270 624209
Artist Information Centre, Civic Hall, Market Street, Nantwich 01270 537359
Toria Community Centre, West Street, Crewe 01270 537150
Choir Members, and At the Door

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Nantwich Choral Society

Conductor: John Naylor
Accompanist: Simon Russell

Nantwich Young Voices
Conductor: Victoria Palethorpe
Accompanist: Rita Davies

FAMILY CAROL CONCERT



St Mary's Church, Nantwich
Saturday 17th December 2011 at 6:30 p.m.

St. Mary's Church, Nantwich

Come and Sing

Mozart's REQUIEM

with
NANTWICH CHORAL SOCIETY
and

Soloists from the RNCM

Victoria Barton, *soprano*

Sean Boyes, *tenor*

Emma Stannard, *mezzo soprano*

Louis Hurst, *bass*

William Nicholson, *organ*

Conductor: John Naylor

SATURDAY 14th JANUARY 2012

Rehearsal: 1.30pm - 5.00pm

Performance: 7.30pm

Performers Tickets: £12

Registration forms from www.nantwichchoral.org.uk or choir members

Audience Tickets £8 Students £5 (payable on the door)

Audience Tickets available from:

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Nantwich Choral Society



Ralph Vaughan Williams

The Lark Ascending A Sea Symphony

David Greed
Violin

Catherine Benson
Soprano
with

Christopher Booth-Jones
Baritone

Market Drayton
Choral Society

The Northern
Concordia Orchestra

John Naylor *Conductor*

NANTWICH CIVIC HALL

Sunday March 18th at 3.30pm

Tickets £15
available from:

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Tourist Information Centre, Civic Hall, Market Street, Nantwich
Think about IT, Hospital Street, Nantwich
All Choir Members and at the door

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NANTWICH CHORAL SOCIETY

Coronation Mass Vespers K339

WOLFGANG AMADEUS MOZART



NICOLA HOWARD – soprano, SUSAN MARRS – mezzo soprano

ALEXANDER WALL – tenor, MATHIEU POTOU – bass-baritone

ARPEGE CHORAL DE MACON

THE NORTHERN CONCORDIA ORCHESTRA

JOHN NAYLOR – conductor

St Mary's Church, Nantwich

Saturday July 14th 2012

2012 - 2013

NANTWICH CHORAL SOCIETY
40th Anniversary Concert



George Frideric Handel
Messiah

Linda Richardson, soprano
Harriet Goodwin, mezzo-soprano
Stephen Newlove, tenor
Dingle Yandell, bass

The 18th Century Sinfonia
John Naylor, conductor

Saturday 10th November 2012
St Mary's Church, Nantwich
Programme £1.00

Singing Day

St Boniface Church, Bunbury
6th October 2012
Great Oratorio Choruses
Susan Marrs mezzo soprano
John Naylor conductor
Simon Russell piano and organ

Family Carol Concert

St Mary's Nantwich
22nd December 2012

Come and Sing



Karl Jenkins
The Armed Man
A Mass for Peace
with
Nantwich Choral Society
Sue Marrs, mezzo-soprano
The Northern Concordia Ensemble
Conductor: John Naylor

Saturday 12 January 2013
St Mary's Church, Nantwich

Rehearsals: 11.30 – 1.00 pm. 2.00 – 5.00 pm
Performance: 7.00 pm

Performer Tickets: £12
Registration forms from www.nantwichchoral.org.uk or choir members

Audience Tickets: £8 Students £5 (payable on the door)

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Think about IT, Hospital Street, Nantwich 01270 624209
St Mary's Church Shop

Nantwich Choral Society

Chester Cathedral

St Matthew Passion

J S Bach



Saturday 23 March 2013

7.00 pm

Evangelist: Matthew Minter
Christus: Christopher Booth-Jones

Soprano: Ellie Laugharne
Mezzo soprano: Susan Marrs
Tenor: Tim Kennedy
Bass: Dmitry Yumashev

Pilate: James Hall
Peter: Mathieu Potot
Judas: John Lofty

False Witnesses: Diane Wheatley, Wal Kaye
1st & 2nd Servants: Janet Ollier, Kay Foster
1st & 2nd Priests: John Griffith, Tony Newell
High Priest: Michael Wright
Pilate's Wife: Rachel Reeves

Lydian Singers
Cathedral Nave Choir
John Naylor conductor

Nantwich Choral Society

Messa di Gloria

Giacomo Puccini



Alexander Wall – tenor
Mark Holland – baritone
William Nicholson – organ / piano
John Naylor – conductor

St Mary's Church, Nantwich

Saturday 29 June 2013, 7.30 pm

2013 - 2014

Singing Day

Saturday October 5th 2013

English Church Music

St. Oswald's Church, Malpas

Music director
John Naylor

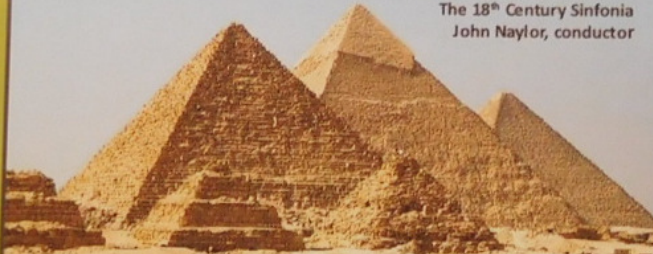
Accompanist
Simon Russell

Nantwich Choral Society

Israel in Egypt

George Frideric Handel

Janet Ollier & Suzanne Winter, sopranos
Susan Marrs, mezzo soprano
Stephen Newlove, tenor
James Hall & Mathieu Potot, baritones
The 18th Century Sinfonia
John Naylor, conductor



Saturday 9th November 7.30 pm
St Mary's Church, Nantwich

Tickets: £12, Students £5 (pay on the door)

Tickets available from:
Tourist Information Centre, Civic Hall, Market Street, Nantwich, 01270 537359
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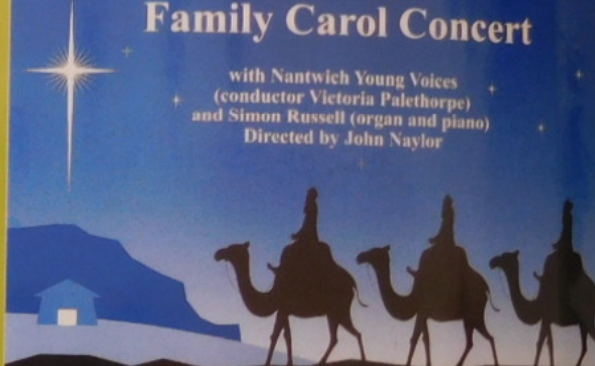
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'KINGS COME RIDING'

Family Carol Concert

with Nantwich Young Voices
(conductor Victoria Palethorpe)
and Simon Russell (organ and piano)
Directed by John Naylor



Saturday 21st December 2013
at 6.30 pm

ST MARY'S CHURCH, NANTWICH

Tickets: £10, Students £5 (pay on the door)
Accompanied Children under 16: Free

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Come and Sing
Johannes Brahms
A German Requiem
 with NANTWICH CHORAL SOCIETY

Cathy Benson
soprano
 Christopher Booth-Jones
baritone
 Graham Eccles
organ

Conductor
 John Naylor

Saturday 11 January 2014
St Mary's Church, Nantwich

Rehearsals: 11.30 - 1.00 pm (Optional), 2.00 - 5.00 pm Performance: 7.00 pm

Performer Tickets £12.00 (Registration forms
 from www.nantwichchoral.org.uk or choir members)

Audience Tickets: £8.00
 Students: £5 (payable on the door)

Audience Tickets available from:
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Edward Elgar
**From the Bavarian
 Highlands**

Variations on an
Original Theme (Enigma)

Samuel Coleridge-Taylor
**Hiawatha's Wedding
 Feast**

Peter Kirk Tenor
 with The Northern Concordia Orchestra
 (Leader Andrew Long)
 John Naylor Conductor

NANTWICH CIVIC HALL
Sunday March 23rd at 3.30pm

Tickets £15 Students £5 (pay on the door)

Tickets available from:
 Nantwich Civic Hall, Market Street, Nantwich 01270 628633
 All Choir Members and at the door
 The Internet at: wegottickets.com
 All seats unreserved

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summer concert

**Highlights of
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 Music**

Includes music by Byrd, Tallis, Vaughan Williams,
 John Tavener, SS Wesley, Edward Bairstow
 and Herbert Howells

John Naylor, Conductor
Simon Russell, organist

St Mary's Church, Nantwich
Saturday 28th June 2014, 7.30pm

Tickets: £12, Students £5 (pay on the door)
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2014 - 2015

Singing Day

St Mary's, Acton

5th October 2014

Encores for Choirs

*Bob Chilcott's Londonderry Air, Steal away
and Home Sweet Home*

*John Rutter's Let's begin again and Home is a
special kind of feeling.*

*Picnicking Teddy Bears, Sullivan's the Lost
Chord, Farmer MacDonald, The Goslings and
The Mermaid.*

Geographical Fuge for speaking chorus

Music Director

John Naylor

Accompanist

Simon Russell

Nantwich Choral Society

Edward Elgar

Sospiri

Karl Jenkins

The Peacemakers

Susan Marrs, mezzo soprano

The Northern Concordia Orchestra, leader Andrew Long

John Naylor, conductor

St Mary's Church, Nantwich

Saturday 8th November 2014, 7.30 pm

Nantwich Choral Society

FAMILY CAROL CONCERT



Conductor: John Naylor
Accompanist: Simon Russell

Nantwich Young Voices
Conductor: Victoria Palethorpe
Accompanist: Rita Davies

Tarporley Handbell Ringers

St Mary's Church, Nantwich
Saturday 20th December 2014 at 6:30 pm

Come and Sing

**Rossini's
Petite Messe Solennelle**

WITH
Nantwich Choral Society
Conductor: John Naylor

ST MARY'S CHURCH, NANTWICH
Saturday 10 January 2015

Rehearsals: 11.30 – 1.00 pm, 2.00 – 5.00 pm
Performance: 7.00 pm

Performer Fee: £12
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St Mary's Church, Nantwich
Saturday 21st March 2015
G F Handel

Judas Maccabaeus

Catherine Benson - soprano
Kathryn Turpin - mezzo soprano
William Wallace - tenor
Jonathan Hyde - baritone

Northern Concordia Orchestra
Simon Russell - organ and harpsichord

John Naylor - conductor

NANTWICH CHORAL SOCIETY



Oratorienchor Lüdenscheld
Franziska Förster - soprano
Harriet Goodwin - mezzo soprano
Sam Oladeinde - tenor
Paul Henley - bass
The Northern Concordia Orchestra
(leader - Julie Edwards)
John Naylor - Conductor

HAYDN

Missa in Tempore Belli
Harmoniemesse

Saturday 27th June 2015, 7.30 pm
St Mary's Church, Nantwich

Tickets £12 Students £5

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