



# Charity Concert

*In aid of the Kaoma Orphanage, Zambia*

## **Haydn's Nelson Mass and other works**

**The Helix Ensemble  
Chorale d'Anniversaire**

**Our Lady of Lourdes RC Church  
Mickleover, Derby**

**Saturday 19 June 2010 3.30pm**

# Programme

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SOUND THE TRUMPET

**Purcell**

*Choral arrangement*

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MIDSUMMER

**Richard Roddis**

text from the prose of Edward Thomas

*A cappella*

Midsummer was composed especially for this event, and this performance is a World Première.

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NELSON MASS

**Haydn**

**Kyrie Eleison**

**Gloria in Excelsis Deo**

Qui Tollis Peccata Mundi

Quoniam Tu Solus Sanctus

**Credo**

Et Incarnatus Est

Et Resurrexit

**Sanctus**

**Benedictus**

**Agnus Dei**

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SORTIE IN Eb

**L. J. A. Lefebure-Wely**

*Organ Tom Corfield*

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## **Chorale d'Anniversaire**

Soloists: Gillian von Fragstein (Soprano)

Kevin Steele (Tenor)

Rosalind Williams (Contralto)

Jeremy Leaman (Bass)

Members of **The Helix Ensemble**

Musical Director **Richard Roddis**

Organ **Tom Corfield**

## *Midsummer*

The gold lilies have unclosed on Haweswater, and the wind does not raise the green discs of leaf: the sedge-warblers chatter and sing all day on the sedges above the silver shallows. It is midsummer.

Day after day the wind blows from the south, yet no rain falls. Thunder skirts us, an impotent barbaric decoration, a lion that roars like a dove in the gossamer haze veiling Helvellyn northwards.

Nothing invades this charmed fortress between sea and mountains. A magic circle protects it. It seems to be midsummer itself, an island in the midst of summer, close to the shore of spring, out of sight of autumn.

*Edward Thomas*





*“I would like a word of dedication to those women among my friends and family who didn’t make it to their 50th birthday, (or only just):*

*Frances Clutterbuck  
(my Mother)*

*Julie Rawcliffe  
(my God-mother and a close family friend)*

*Claire Blackwell*

*Judith Connolly*

*Jo Dignon*

*Helen Knowles*

*Christine Palermo*

*Bridget Willsdon*

*and many more.”*

*Gillian von Fragstein*

## *Chorale d’Anniversaire*

### **Sopranos**

Gillian von Fragstein

Jane Kern

Clare Devine

Abi Whitehall

Sarah Russell

Marian Goodall

Carol Mitchell

Fran Leyshon

### **Contraltos**

Rosalind Williams

Sally Need

Jenny Jones

Helen Jones

Shirley Foster

Gillian Frankland

Nell Webb

Jo Pellereau

Linda Webster

Rosemary Corfield

### **Tenori**

Kelvin Steele

John Whiteman

Rob Saunders

Andrew Beaumont

Chris Goodall

Dana de Waal

### **Bassi**

Jeremy Leaman

Julian Kern

Ben Pellereau

Len Johnson

Paul Whitehall

Gareth Williams

Richard Knowles

Anthony Butler

Jezz Fleet

## *The Helix Ensemble*

### **Violin**

Alison Axton

Sarah Cresswell

Karen Eveson

George Fletcher

Pete Johnston

Kathy Lucas

### **Viola**

Elsbeth Brien

George Sutcliff

### **Cello**

Pete Brien

Imogen Rex

### **Bass**

Naomi Turner

### **Trumpet**

Matthew Heywood

Catherine Johnston

### **Timpani**

Jonathan Storey

*Cover photo:*

*Joshua von Fragstein*