

Choir of Corpus Christi College, Cambridge

Christmas Concert

with

Music for Our Young Foundation



7:30 pm, 19th December, 2016 (Monday)
St John's Cathedral, Hong Kong

Message from the Dean

I warmly welcome you to St John's Cathedral tonight. In December, as we approach in our hearts the birth of our Lord Jesus Christ, we are always happy to host Christmas Carol services and concerts. And tonight is a very special one.

Corpus Christi is a famous and historic Cambridge College founded in 1352. Their Chapel Choir whom we will hear tonight has been singing services in their beautiful chapel for many years. We are honoured to have them here with us in this beautiful Cathedral in the Orient tonight.

Sit back and let the beauty of their singing touch your hearts, and may God's blessings be with you and your families this Christmas.

The Very Revd Matthias Der
Dean of St John's Cathedral



Dear Patrons,

In order to make this performance a pleasant experience for the performers and other members of the audience, please refrain from recording, filming, taking photographs, and also from smoking, eating or drinking in the Church.

Please ensure that your mobile phones and any other sound and light emitting devices are switched off before the performance. Thank you for your kind co-operation.

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C.V. Stanford

1852 – 1924

Te Deum in B-flat

Anon

(English)

Rejoice in the Lord alway

H. Morgan

b. 1975

Lullaby (Organ solo)

J. Brahms

1833 – 1897

Geistliches Lied

D. Nunn

(Corpus student)

View me, Lord

E. Bullock

1890 – 1979

Give us the wings of faith to rise

P. Newton Jackson

(Corpus student)

Nunc Dimittis

B. Britten

1913 – 1976

Hymn to St Cecilia

- Intermission -

G. Palestrina
1525 – 1594

Matin Responsory

B. Ord
1897 – 1961

Adam lay ybounden

J.S. Bach
1685 – 1750

Wachet Auf!

J. Rutter
b. 1945

Shepherd's pipe carol

黃自 (Huang Tzu)
1904 – 1938

採蓮謠 (The Lotus Pond) (arr. Gordon Siu)
with the MOY Youth Orchestra

G. Siu
b. 1945

望 (Hope)
The MOY Youth Orchestra

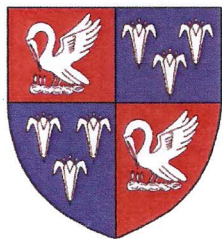
C. McDowall
b. 1951

Christus Natus Est
with the MOY Youth Orchestra



*Everyone in the Corpus tour group
wishes to express their sincere thanks
to all those who have made this tour possible.*

*We are especially grateful to Gordon Siu
and the Music for Our Young Foundation team,
and to Felix Yeung and all at St John's Cathedral
for making this, our final tour event,
so enjoyable and memorable.*



Corpus Christi College Cambridge was founded in 1352 by the Guilds of Corpus Christi and the Blessed Virgin Mary, and bears the distinction of being the only Cambridge College founded by the townspeople rather than by a monarch or a wealthy grandee. Music of all kinds has long been at the heart of the College's life.

Formed of a wide range of students the choir sings regular services in the College Chapel during University Term. Alongside music for worship the choir sings at college events and gives concerts through the year and undertakes an annual summer tour, most recently performing in France, Italy and Germany.

The College Choir's December 2016 tour is its most adventurous yet, and features visits to Singapore, New Zealand and Hong Kong. We have an increasing number of alumni in each of these countries, with whom we are delighted to be able to keep in touch. The tour also celebrates the Girdler Scholarship, which enables a student from New Zealand to study at Corpus Christi College each year. The fiftieth Girdler Scholar is Paul Newton Jackson, from Hamilton, New Zealand, who is a second-year music student. Paul has composed a beautiful anthem for the tour, a setting of the *Nunc Dimittis*, using the Maori text, which the choir will be performing at our concerts and services on this tour.

The choir is conducted by Corpus' newly appointed Director of Music, **Robin Walker**. Robin studied Organ at the Royal Academy of Music in London and has enjoyed a distinguished career as church musician, teacher and choral conductor. He has performed as soloist across Europe and the USA and released a number of critically acclaimed recordings. He combines his role at Corpus with conducting the Ipswich Choral Society, Cantate chamber choir, and teaching for the Royal College of Organists.

Sopranos

Isabella Allard
Esther Brassett
Molly Cook
Happy Longworth
Sophie
Weymes-McElderry
Zoe Morris

Altos

Cici Carey-Stewart
Katie Fox
Rowan Hawitt
Alice Millington
Leonie Stevenson-Jones

Tenor

David Nunn
Ben Peart
Tom Rychlick
Jago Thornton
Marcel Welsh

Bass

Jacob Davies
Time Else
Alex Frankell
Xiao Lin
Paul Newton-Jackson

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'Music' is in the MOY's title, but it's never a goal. Music is only an instrument.

The goal? Character building, through the study of music.

The MOY provides an opportunity for all young people who are prepared to work hard to study music. Talent? Not needed. Not even a premium.

Discipline? Now that's an absolute requirement.

The MOY encourages its students to study all forms of music: from works by Jeremiah Clarke, to the Beatles, to the latest creation by pop stars in Hong Kong.

Many MOY students play two or more instruments, from the *erhu* to the trumpet, from the cello to the bamboo flute.

The MOY started work in 2009 at Tin Shui Wai, a satellite town with 260,000 residents, named 'the City of Sadness' by some news reporters. Tin Shui Wai is right at our border with the Mainland. Now the MOY has branch units operating on the Mainland, in Singapore, and in Malaysia. Next goal? Taiwan, and some ASEAN countries, through the MOY Singapore Wing.

Gordon K. C. SIU, *Director of Training of MOY*
GBS, CBE, JP, MSS (Birmingham, UK), LRSM (vln)

Born in 1945, Mr Siu joined the Hong Kong Civil Service in 1966, rose to the rank of Secretary, Government Secretariat in 1993 and retired in July 2002. His positions in Government include Postmaster General (1988-1989), Commissioner for Transport (1989-1992), Director, New Airport Office (1992-1993), Secretary for Economic Services (1993-1996), Secretary for Transport (1996-1997), Head, Central Policy Unit (1997-1999) and Secretary for Planning, Environment and Lands (1999-2002).

Mr Siu was awarded the honours of a Commander of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire (CBE) in 1997 and the Gold Bauhinia Star (GBS) in 2002. He was appointed a non-official Justice of the Peace in 2003.

Since retirement in 2002, Mr Siu has devoted his time and efforts to charitable education work. He founded the Music for Our Young Foundation in 2009. Now, the Foundation has member units from 29 schools and organisations from China, Southeast Asia and Hong Kong. In 2015, Mr Siu co-founded the Zheng Qi Foundation (正氣基金), a charity which promotes the development of education in the less developed areas of Guangdong Province, China.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES 2016

AT ST JOHN'S CATHEDRAL

24th December 2016 (Saturday)

– Christmas Eve

3.00pm	Short Crib Service
5.00pm	Christingle Service
11.00pm	Midnight Mass of the Nativity

25th December 2016 (Sunday)

– Christmas Day

8.00am	Said Eucharist
9.00am	Sung Eucharist
10.30am	Sung Eucharist (Mandarin)
11.45am	Christmas All Age Worship
2.00pm	Sung Eucharist (Filipino)
<i>(No 6.00pm Service)</i>	

31st December 2016 (Saturday)

– New Year's Eve

11.00pm	Watchnight Eucharist
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12 月 19 日參加學生及出席導師名單 updated 16Dec 16

學生			導師		
1	魏臻	大提琴	30	蕭生	指揮
2	吳昊賢	大提琴	31	蕭太	鍵琴
3	陳樂瑤	大提琴	32	郭謙	大提琴
4	陳芷芯	大提琴	33	黃天鐸	鍵琴
5	何晞諾	小提琴	34	Ms Selene	鍵琴
6	薛東怡	小提琴	35	麥頌天	小提琴
7	余靖曦	小提琴	36	鄺敏蔚	敲擊
8	莫喬	小提琴	37	孫允文	敲擊
9	楊博賢	小提琴	38	孫允豪	二胡
10	丘凱儀	小提琴	39	高國健	琵琶
11	林藹怡	小提琴	40	徐鳳珍	敲擊
12	李恩諾	小號	41	倫錫輝	敲擊
13	張凱晴	柳琴	42	張靜嫻	敲擊
14	莊明柔	柳琴	43	陳麗君	staff
15	陳鳳婷	柳琴	44	鄭景聰	低音大提琴
16	吳嘉瑤	柳琴	45	鄭亦真	低音大提琴
17	旁櫟晴	笙	46	鄭亦竣	低音大提琴
18	陳權輝	笛子			
19	曾子芮	笛子			
20	陳鳳忻	揚琴			
21	范芷諺	揚琴			
22	蔡尚燕	琵琶			
23	陳舒程	琵琶			
24	鄭翠芝	敲擊			
25	黃頌誠	敲擊			
26	黎翰然	敲擊			
27	黃詠榆	二胡			
28	蕭景新	二胡			
29	陳翔安	二胡			