

THAMES VALLEY EARLY MUSIC FORUM

Hieronymus Praetorius Easter Mass ‘Missa Tulerunt Dominum Meum’ and Andrea Gabrieli ‘Maria Stabat Ad Monumentum’

A day for singers directed by Patrick Allies
at Little Chalfont Village Hall, Cokes Lane, Little Chalfont HP8 4UD

Sunday 10th June 2018 (10.00am for 10.30am start till 5.00pm)

The main work we will study is the 8 part Praetorius Mass (SATB/SATB). In addition we will sing the 6 part Gabrieli Motet (SAATbarB). Hieronymus Praetorius was part of a German musical dynasty centred around the Hamburg Hauptkirchen, the city’s five major churches. He took over as organist at the Jacobikirche from his father, Jacob Praetorius in 1586, a position he held for the rest of his working life. His *Missa Tulerunt Dominum Meum* is closely modelled on his own motet. His musical language is extremely varied and reveals the range of international influences on his music, including elements of the Venetian and Franco-Flemish styles.

Patrick Allies read music at King’s College, London and then took a master’s degree at Cambridge University. He is a Lecturer at Morley College, Director of West Sussex Youth Choir, and the founder and Artistic Director of a small professional choir, Siglo de Oro, which specializes in early music and which is making the first recording of the Praetorius Mass due to be released in March 2018. Patrick has led several TVEMF workshops including one in January 2015 devoted entirely to the music of Hieronymus Praetorius in which he demonstrated the high quality of this composer’s output.

The day will begin with coffee and registration at 10.00am for a 10.30am start and run till 5.00pm. Little Chalfont Village Hall is a short walk from Chalfont & Latimer Station (Metropolitan Line and Chiltern Railways). There is limited space in the Village Hall car park but there is council run car park next door. There are a number of cafés, pubs and restaurants nearby.

The fee is £14 for Early Music Forum members and £16 for non-members. There is a £2 reduction if you are prepared to download the music yourself. The link is on the website. You may pay by electronic transfer to TVEMF account number 00691902, sort code 30-94-28 giving your name as the reference and e-mail the details requested on the slip below to treasurer@tvemf.org by 1st June 2018. Alternatively please post the completed form to arrive by the same date, together with a cheque made payable to TVEMF, to **David King, 5 St Paul’s Way, Finchley, London N3 2PP**. All applications will be acknowledged if an email address is supplied or a stamped addressed envelope enclosed. If you are unable to attend, please notify David King (treasurer@tvemf.org or 02083464759) as soon as possible so your place can be offered to someone else.

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TVEMF, Little Chalfont Village Hall, 10th June 2018

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