

Thames Valley Early Music Forum

Seven

Lassus, Tallis, Sheppard, Wert, Pipelare, Sutton, Pevernage

A day for singers and instrumentalists
directed by Peter Syrus

Saturday 14 July 2018, 10.00 for 10:30 until 5.00 pm
St John's United Reformed Church, [Hallowell Road](#), Northwood HA6 1DN

Peter Syrus is well known to TVEMF members and is once again coming south from the Royal Northern College of Music with an interesting programme. We will be studying seven composers, all represented by 7-part music in Peter's immaculate editions. Each item has a fascinating story to tell, generally relating to some aspect of number symbolism. The chosen repertoire spans one hundred years, from the late fifteenth to late sixteenth centuries, some of it relatively familiar (Lassus *Lagrimae* extracts and Tallis *Suscipe quaeso*) to motets rarely performed or heard. Whilst sacred items predominate there are madrigals too, by Lassus (albeit spiritual) and Wert (definitely secular...).

Voices are welcomed in all ranges, and players of the following: cornetts, sackbuts, curtals, recorders (alto downwards), and strings (viol or violin family). Pitch for the day will be A=440.

The day will begin with coffee at 10.00 for a 10.30 start. St John's URC is in Hallowell Road and we will be in the church hall. The church does not have its own car park but street parking is free at weekends, though you might prefer to use public transport as the church is just a short walk from Northwood Metropolitan Line station .

To enrol please apply by 30th June. The fee - £14 for Early Music Forum members and £16 for non-members - may be paid by electronic transfer to TVEMF a/c no. 00691902, s/c 30-94-28. Please give your name as the reference for the transfer, and send your details (see the slip below) by e-mail to David Fletcher david@tvemf.org, with a copy to treasurer@tvemf.org. Alternatively send David the form, together with a cheque payable to TVEMF, at 62 Hughenden Avenue, High Wycombe, HP13 5SJ (tel: 01494 532195). You should assume that your application has been accepted unless you hear to the contrary. If you find you cannot come, please let us know because there may be a waiting list.

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Name

Voice/instrument

I enclose a cheque (made payable to TVEMF) for £ OR I have paid £ by electronic transfer

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