

The Friends of the Music exist to support the choirs and music of Hampstead Parish Church

Our Purpose

- To promote the performance of music and especially Church Music in Hampstead Parish Church
- To support the singers of the professional Adult Choir
- To encourage the choristers of the Junior Choir
- To increase appreciation of the Anglican choral tradition



What We Do

- Organise a programme of annual musical events, and a *Come and Sing* Requiem,
- Promote our professional musicians by organising recitals, eg the annual Sidwell Memorial Recital
- Support outings and educational events for the Junior Choir
- Organise social events to raise funds in support of both Choirs
- Arrange educational events, occasional talks



Membership of the Friends of the Music

Annual membership subscription:

£15 for individual members
£20 for family membership

What You Get from Membership

- Free entry to the Annual Social Evening (including talk, wine)
- Free entry to the Christmas Carol Service Party (with mulled wine and mince pies) and Summer Party (with Pimms and Strawberries)
- Reduced fee (£2) for rehearsals of the Parish Church Community Choir
- Twice-yearly newsletters
- Advance circulation of forthcoming music (services, concerts)
- Priority booking to all Friends of the Music concerts/recitals/social events
- Access to occasional talks, events in private houses
- Opportunities to support our choirs and the Anglican choral tradition at Hampstead Parish Church

fom@hampsteadparishchurch.org.uk

MEMBERSHIP FORM

I/We would like to support the choirs and music of Hampstead Parish Church by joining the Friends of the Music

Please note the subscription rates listed are minimum amounts – it is greatly appreciated if you are able to contribute more than this to help the Friends in their support of HPC's choirs and music.

I/We enclose my/our subscription of £15 /£20 / £ (payable to Friends of the Music)

Please enrol me/us

- as an individual member:
- as family members:

Name

Address

.....Post code

email

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(Please see over for a Banker's Order form to facilitate future subscriptions)

Subscriptions should be sent to:
The Hon Treasurer
Friends of the Music
Hampstead Parish Church
Church Row London NW3 6UU

Banker's Standing Order Form:

Name of Bank

Full Address

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.....Post Code.....

Starting [date] [month] [year]
and quarterly*/annually* thereafter until further
notice:

Please pay Barclays Bank plc 20-36-16 for
The Friends of the Music a/c no.20881120

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and initials as the reference, and debit my
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Signature

Date

This replaces any previous Order in favour of the
Friends of the Music.

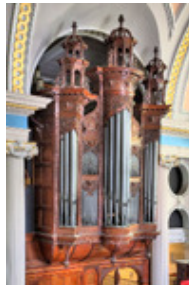
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Our Music

The Parish Church of St John-at-Hampstead has a
long and distinguished musical tradition dating from
the 18th century.

The Parish Church has two choirs: a fully-professional
mixed voice Adult Choir which sings a Mass setting at
the Parish Eucharist every Sunday morning, as well as
Choral Evensong on Sunday evening; and a Junior
Choir drawn from the parish, whose choristers sing
alongside the Adult Choir at the Eucharist, as well as
singing their own Choral Evensong on the first
Thursday of every month. This church is one of very
few parish churches in London still to maintain the
fine heritage of the Anglican choral tradition by
regularly singing Choral Evensong.

The 18th century church building has excellent
acoustics and a notable Willis organ of 1884;
it also has a Grotrian Steinweg grand piano.



Organist and Director of Music: James Sherlock
**Organist and Assistant Director of Music, Director of
the Junior Choir:** David Moore

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*Performance of St Matthew Passion by the Choirs of
Hampstead Parish Church and the Ensemble Passio
conducted by James Sherlock, Passion Sunday 2015,*

JOIN TODAY!