

# WIMBLEDON CHORAL

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Saturday 18 April 2026, 7.30pm

AT  
CADOGAN  
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## WIMBLEDON CHORAL

City of London Sinfonia

**Mozart**  
Solemn Vespers K.339

**Tarik  
O'Regan**

**Critical Mass –  
world premiere**

**Elgar Sospiri op70**

**Mahler Adagietto from  
Symphony No 5**

Daniel Mahoney Conductor

Susanna Fairbairn Soprano

Kate Symonds-Joy Mezzo Soprano

Greg Tassell Tenor

James Cleverton Baritone

Tickets: £1  
Transaction fee

020 773  
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January 30 2026

Dear Friend of Wimbledon Choral

Today and tomorrow, you can still buy tickets for our April 18 Concert with a discount arranged for Friends of the Choir.

This Concert, as well as wonderful music by Mozart, features the World Premiere of a WCS commissioned piece. This is an exciting event and we would, therefore, like as many of our Friends as possible to be at the Concert, enjoy the music, and support the Choir. Tickets are available via the WCS website ([wimbledon-choral.org.uk/tickets](http://wimbledon-choral.org.uk/tickets)). When you are placing the order, simply insert the code **WCSFriends** (which is case sensitive).

Mozart's Solemn Vespers are still a joy and feature, for me, one of his most wonderful vocal numbers – the *Laudate Domine*.

We are working on our companion-piece - "Critical Mass" by Tarik O'Regan who described it as "elevating the liturgical form into a poignant meditation on humanity's responsibilities and aspirations." He added: "I want to merge the solemnity of tradition with a vibrant, forward-looking energy, challenging and inspiring listeners to engage with the world in a spirit of hope and action."

Daniel, our Music Director, said: "We are thrilled to work with Tarik O'Regan..... Wimbledon Choral is committed to commissioning and performing works by Britain's leading composers, and we are honoured that Tarik is expanding his *Coronation Agnus Dei* into a full-length piece. .... Tarik's work with Wild Plum Arts to bring to life new texts from outstanding writers makes this a truly ground breaking initiative."

Thank you for your invaluable and ongoing support. Please join us on April 18.

Kindest Regards

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Colleen Spalding".

Colleen Spalding  
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Wimbledon Choral