

MUSIC at St MARY'S



Music plays a vital role in the life of St Mary's. Under the leadership of internationally acclaimed organist Christopher Wrench and eminent choral director Emily Cox, worship at St Mary's is cradled in a rich blend of music from many styles and eras.

For more information about St Mary's music, choir, community, worship, history and the project to revive Queensland's oldest organ, please visit: www.saintmarys.org.au

Tax Deductible Donations

In order to ensure the future of St Mary's music programme, **St Mary's Music Foundation** was established in 2007. If you would like further information about the foundation or wish to support our work by making a tax-deductible donation, please contact the Director of Music or visit our website at www.saintmarys.org.au/musicfund.htm.

St Mary's Organ



St Mary's is the proud custodian of Queensland's oldest pipe organ, built by H.C. Lincoln in 1823. As a result of the 'modernization' of this instrument in 1961 many important original components were removed. A major project to regain the integrity of the original instrument

awaits funding. In order to accommodate St Mary's significant musical requirements in the interim, a 3-manual Allen digital organ was purchased from *All Organs Australia* in 2008.

Tax-deductible donations toward the cost of the digital instrument and the organ refurbishment project may be made via St Mary's Music Foundation (see above).

www.saintmarys.org.au/music.htm

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Concerts & Choral Services

Sharing the magic of this historic Brisbane treasure – St Mary's

Wondrous love Musical Meditation

Fri 10 Apr
5.30 pm

Music and reflections on the Passion presented by **St Mary's Choir** (Emily Cox, conductor) with organ music by Christopher Wrench from 5.15pm. *Free admission*

Magnificent Mendelssohn Two! Organ Concerts

Sat 16 May
11 am & 1 pm



In celebration of the 200th anniversary of the birth of Felix Mendelssohn, **Christopher Wrench** performs the complete major organ works for the 4MBS Festival of Classics in two concerts on both sides of the river.

11.00 Ann Street Presbyterian Church (Concert 1)

Featuring the wonderfully restored 1902/3 Richardson organ. *\$20 / \$15*

12.15 German Sausage Sizzle at St Mary's (for purchase)

1.00 St Mary's Kangaroo Point (Concert 2)

Selected items will be performed on the 1823 H.C. Lincoln organ (Queensland's oldest). *\$20 / \$15*

Bookings at 4MBS ticketing – 4MBS subscriber discount

www.4mbsclassicfm.com.au Tel: 3847 1717



Fantasy Word-Art-Music

Sun 26 Jul
3 pm

Immerse yourself in the breadth and richness of word, art and music – a creative collaboration of four artists inspired by the theme of wholeness and kinship. **Godielieve Ghalvalas** (organ), **Carmen Cheong-Clinch** (piano), **Susan Griffiths** (words), **Megan Forward** (visual artist). *Tickets at the door: \$20 / \$15*

I have a Dream Choral Concert

Sun 6 Sep
3 pm



At this time of global crisis, **Canticum Chamber Choir** and conductor **Emily Cox** present an afternoon of inspirational music celebrating triumph over adversity.

The concert honours the great 20th century harbinger of human dignity *Martin Luther King*, on the 80th anniversary of his birth.

Renowned musical voices of the present and recent past: Pärt, Copland, Gjeilo, Hemberg, Howells, Mäntyjärvi, O'Regan, Tormis & Tveit. *\$25 / \$20 / family*

Bookings recommended

www.canticum.org.au Tel: 3201 4367

Ave Maria Choral Evensong

Sun 13 Sep
5.30 pm

St Mary's Choir honours its Patron Saint on the Feast of her birth. *Free admission*

In the Beginning ... Choral Concert

Sun 25 Oct
4 pm



Emily Cox directs the **Conservatorium Chamber Choir & Instrumentalists** in a programme of sacred choral works by composers active in the USA during the mid-20th century.

Copland *In the beginning* and Stravinsky's unique *Mass* for Choir, Wind and Brass. *Tickets at the door: \$20 / \$15*



Advent Musical Devotion Choral Meditation

Sun 29 Nov
5.30 pm

A perfect escape from the end-of-year hustle and bustle – join **St Mary's Choir** as we ponder with music and word the significance of the approaching Christmas season. *Free admission*

Sing Noël Christmas Concert

Sun 13 Dec
4 pm



Canticum's Christmas Concert returns – **Canticum Chamber Choir** performs Camille Saint-Saëns' glorious *Christmas Oratorio*. *\$20 / \$15 / family*

Emily Cox (director)
Christopher Wrench (organ)

4.00 pm Concert by Canticum
Bookings recommended

5.00 pm BYO Picnic Tea

5.45 pm Organ Music

Lessons & Carols 6 pm

Canticum Chamber Choir presents Lessons & Carols for Christmas with carols, readings and community singing. *Free admission*

IMPORTANT NOTICE

PARKING at ST MARY'S

Demolition of the TAFE site adjacent to St Mary's and reconstruction as a public park means that *car parking at TAFE is no longer available.*

Limited public parking close to St Mary's is available on Main St, Amesbury St and River Terrace to supplement St Mary's small capacity.

Extra time for access, along with car-pooling and public transport is recommended.

Thank you for your understanding.