

Windsor Parish Church and Thames Valley Church Music invite you to come and take part in a devotional performance of

Come and Sing Stainer's Crucifixion in Windsor Parish Church

When?	Palm Sunday, 24 th March 2024
Where?	Windsor Parish Church of St John the Baptist, High Street, Windsor, SL4 1LD
Start?	2.15pm (Choir), 4.15pm (Congregation)
Finish?	7.30pm
Who?	All are welcome
Cost?	£7 for singers, Free with retiring collection for congregation

Come and Sing, or participate in the congregation at Windsor Parish Church:

2.15pm	Registration and welcome
2.30pm	Choir Practice in Parish Church
4.15pm	Tea
5.15pm	Opportunity to join the congregation for Evensong in St George's Chapel
6.30pm	Stainer's Crucifixion in Windsor Parish Church

Order of service in the Parish Church

Reflection
The Crucifixion (Stainer)

Soloists are Ben Alden and Richard Bannan, lay clerks from St George's Chapel, Windsor. The Choir will be conducted by Brian Henry and John Halsey will accompany on the recently restored church organ. Before the music, the Reverend Canon Sally Lodge, Rector of the New Windsor Team Ministry, will offer a Reflection for Palm Sunday.

Reserve your place at this event

Reserve your place to sing in the Choir by completing and sending the form (see separate page below). Reservations are welcome from individual singers, and from choirs who may like to join as a group. Alternatively, just turn up on the day and join the congregation for Tea at 4.15pm onwards.

Optional prior rehearsal

For singers who are able to attend a prior rehearsal, please come to the Parish Hall next to All Saints Church, Frances Road, Windsor, SL4 1HU, 7.45-9.15pm on Friday 15th March. This rehearsal is an optional extra!

Vocal scores

Please bring your own vocal scores if you have them, or indicate on the form below if you would like to borrow vocal scores on the day – we have plenty.

Safeguarding and Health & Safety

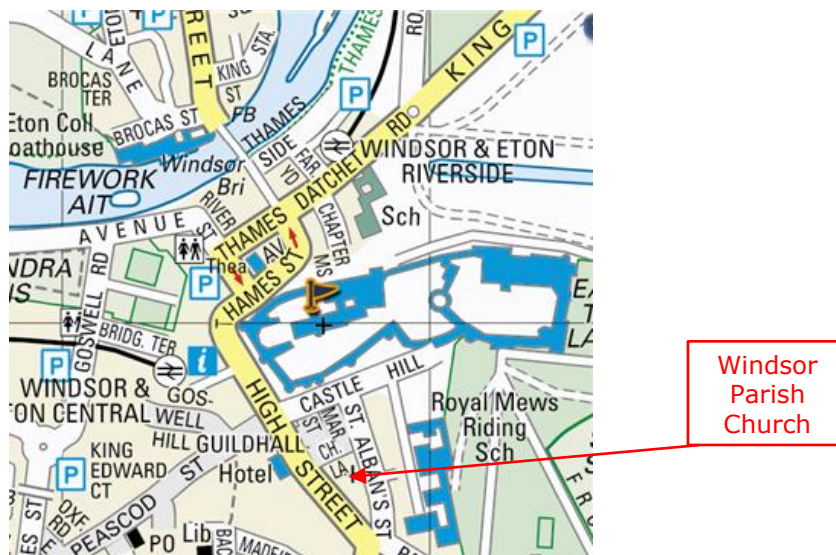
Under 18s will need to be in the care of choir leaders or other designated adults. Signed parental permission forms will also be required and will be passed to John Halsey or Mary Delaney at the event. New Windsor PCC policies, including those for Safeguarding and Health & Safety, will apply.

Transport

Please use town car parks as there is no parking at the church. Car parks and railway stations are shown on the map. Buses to Windsor Parish Church run from London Victoria, Legoland, Bracknell and Maidenhead amongst other places. There are regular trains to London Waterloo and to Slough on the London Paddington main line.

How to find the church

Windsor Parish Church of St John the Baptist is in the High Street, next to the Guildhall and a short walk from St George's Chapel.



Dress code and seating

We will NOT be wearing cassocks and surplices. Ladies: mid-long or long black or dark grey; Gentlemen: dark suits. The Choir will be seated on staging, directly facing the congregation, not in the choir stalls.

Financial support and Collection

This event is supported by The Prince Philip Trust. A retiring collection will be taken, and proceeds after recovery of costs will be split 50:50 between the RSCM and the Parish.

for further information and enquiries, contact John Halsey jhalsey.council@rscm.com

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COMPLETE THE FORM TO RESERVE YOUR PLACE**

EITHER – RESERVATION FOR INDIVIDUAL SINGER (AGED 18+)

Name	
Voice (soprano, alto, tenor or bass)	
Telephone number	
Email (optional)	
I will bring my own vocal scores	Yes/No
Also plan to attend optional rehearsal on Friday 15th March?	Yes/No

OR – RESERVATION FOR CHOIR

Name of Choir	
Approx. number attending: - Sopranos/Trebles - Altos - Tenors - Basses	
Name of Choir leader (Agreeing to take responsibility for U18s in your Choir, or to ensure they are looked after by another designated adult in your group.)	
Telephone number	
Email	
I will bring a set of vocal scores	Yes/No
Also plan to attend optional rehearsal on Friday, 15th March?	Yes/No

PLEASE SEND THE ABOVE INFORMATION TO

**John Halsey
End Cottage, Ashford Lane
Dorney, Windsor
Berks, SL4 6QU
or to jhalsey.council@rscm.com
BY SUNDAY 10th MARCH 2024**