

**ST MARY AND ST PETERS CHURCH
MONTROSE**

Are Delighted To Be Hosting

A BIG SING

OF

Mozart's Requiem

on

SATURDAY, 7TH SEPTEMBER 2019

STARTING AT 10.30 AM FOR 11 AM

PERFORMANCE AT 6.30 PM

EVERYONE WELCOME

Bring a packed lunch

**Please e-mail bigsingmozart2019@gmail.com with
your name and vocal part (i.e. bass) to receive further
information.**

Dear prospective Come and Sing participant,

It's that time of the year again and I hope you will be interested in the Big Sing Mozart!
This year I intend to put on Mozart's Requiem (with soloists) and the Ave Verum.
I am hoping that this work will attract even more singers this year.

Venue:

The event will be held in St Mary and St Peters Church Montrose on Saturday the 7th of September.
(See link below for directions to church)

<https://www.google.co.uk/maps/place/Church+of+St+Mary+%26+St+Peter/@56.711549,-2.4609911,16z/data=!4m5!3m4!1s0x0:0x2856632649cb3bd1!8m2!3d56.7107717!4d-2.4636304>

Event:

The primary aim of the event is to raise money for Church Funds (repairs for the Organ). At the same time however, those attending will have a fun day having a jolly good sing culminating in an evening performance.

A donation of £10 (Employed) or £8 (Senior Citizen/Unemployed/Student) would be required to participate in the event.

The idea of the event is to rehearse Requiem in the late morning/ early afternoon and then have a live performance in the evening.

The programme for the day is planned as:

10:30-11am. Arrival, seating arrangements

11-13:00 Rehearsal

13:00-13:30 Break for Lunch

13:30 -15:00 Rehearsal

18:00 pm arrive back at the Church for the Concert.

Concert concludes approx 19:30

Logistics:

The Church will be able to provide tea and coffee but please bring a packed lunch for the day.

After the evening concert cheese and wine will be provided in the church for both performers and audience members, with a suggested donation of £5 for attending audience members.

All you require is yourself and lunch, some warm clothes and the score.

Score:

There are many editions of Mozart's Requiem but I have decided to use the Peters Edition.
(ISBN-13: 979-0014107864).

It's a bit lighter and easier to read than the Novello. This score can be obtained from any good music shop such as Kenny's Music in Dundee or Aberdeen. (They are offering a good discount for Bigsing participants) or

Online at:

https://www.amazon.co.uk/gp/offer-listing/0853602166/ref=tmm_pap_used_olp_sr?ie=UTF8&condition=used&qid=1524673458&sr=8-1

Or on eBay. I believe the Novello edition is very similar so this can be used if you already have a copy and do not want to buy another.

Dress for the concert:

Dress for the evening concert will be black trousers/skirt and white shirt/blouse. If you do not have these items of clothing then dark and light colours would also be suitable.

Programme:

I intend to start the concert with Mozart's Ave Verum. The edition I am using can be obtained free at http://www1.cpd1.org/wiki/images/4/4d/K618_Ave_verum_VS_PML.pdf

Please could you e-mail me back with your part (bass/tenor/sop etc).

Please feel free to contact me if you have any further questions.

I look forward to seeing you on the day!

Best Regards,

Neil