



# The Giltspur Singers

Concert at  
St Bartholomew-the-Less, EC1  
Thursday, 11<sup>th</sup> October 2007, 7.30pm

**All creatures now are merry-minded**      John Bennett (c.1575-after 1614)

**April is in my mistress' face**      Thomas Morley (1558-1603)

**The silver swan**      Orlando Gibbons (1583-1625)

**See, see the shepherds' queen**      Thomas Tomkins (1572-1656)

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**Voluntary in B flat**      Maurice Greene (1695-1755)  
**Voluntary in F**      John Stanley (1713-1786)

**Hail! Smiling morn!**      Reginald Spofforth (1770-1827)

**Discord! Dire sister**      Samuel Webbe (1740-1816)

**Come, gentle zephyr**      William Horsley (1774-1858)

**When evening's twilight**      John Hatton (1809-1886)

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**Chorale Prelude on "Wiltshire"**      Gilbert Curtis (1904-1982)  
**Festal March**      Scotson Clark (1840-1883)

**Over hill, over dale**      Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)

**The hills**      John Ireland (1879-1962)

**Dream tryst**      Gustav Holst (1874-1934)

**My spirit sang all day**      Gerald Finzi (1901-1956)

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## The Giltspur Singers

...were formed in the autumn of 2003 and we are tonight delighted to give our first concert performance in the church in which we have rehearsed since our foundation. We are also delighted to welcome several new members who are singing their first concert with us this evening.

The members of the choir are professionals in a wide range of careers, including the law, finance, teaching, medicine, the leisure industry, and I.T. A few are music graduates and some are church organists; but, for the majority, music has always been a hobby. It is the sense of music as a source of relaxation and enjoyment that the Giltspur Singers hope to communicate in their performances.

**Sopranos** Amy Gooden, Antonia Mott, Linda Pomeroy, Elisabeth Somerville, Katy Turner

**Altos** Catriona Boyle, Ian Goddard, Harriet Pask

**Tenors** Sam Butler, Simon Daniels, Chris Goodwin, Christopher Killerby

**Basses** Dan de Belder, Robin McCoubrey, Tim Murray, Nick Whitehead

**Christopher Maxim:** Conductor & Organ Soloist

... is a prize-winning composer who is published by Stainer & Bell and the Royal School of Church Music. He is also a published academic and critic. He has broadcast on Radio 4, the World Service and Radio Wales; and he has appeared on *Teachers' TV*. He is Organist of St Matthew's Bethnal Green and also directs the St Teilo Singers. To find out more about Chris and his work, please visit his website: [www.christophermaxim.co.uk](http://www.christophermaxim.co.uk).

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**If you would like to join the Giltspur Singers  
or if you would like to hear about future concerts...**

please contact the Choir Administrator,  
Tim Murray on [tim.murray@lane.co.uk](mailto:tim.murray@lane.co.uk),  
or call him on 020 7539 4146.

**News and forthcoming concerts are publicised at:**

[www.christophermaxim.co.uk/the\\_giltspur\\_singers.html](http://www.christophermaxim.co.uk/the_giltspur_singers.html)

