

# *Radiant Dawn*

**Saturday 2 April 2022  
Elmslie House, Malvern**

**Laetentur coeli** **William Byrd (1543-1623)**

*Let the heavens be glad and the earth be joyful.  
Rejoice in praise, O mountains, because our Lord shall come  
and will show mercy to his humble people.  
In those days there will rise up justice and abundance of peace.*

**If ye love me** **Thomas Tallis (c.1505-1585)**

**O salutaris hostia** **Gioachino Rossini (1792-1868)**

*O healing sacrifice who opens up heaven's entrance,  
protect us from our foes, give us strength, proffer help.*

**Justorum animae** **Charles Villiers Stanford (1852-1924)**

*The souls of the righteous are in the hand of God,  
and the torment of malice will not touch them.  
In the eyes of the foolish they seemed to have died, but are at peace.*

**The long day closes** **Arthur Sullivan (1842-1900)**  
**Sweet and low** **Joseph Barnby (1838-1896)**  
**Christ hath a garden** **Eleanor Daley (b. 1955)**

**My soul, there is a country** **Hubert Parry (1848-1918)**  
**Silence and music** **Ralph Vaughan Williams (1872-1958)**  
**Ode on St Cecilia's Day** **Alan J Woods (b. 1950s)**

**Love bade me welcome** **Judith Weir (b. 1954)**  
**Behold, O God our defender** **John Scott (1956-015)**  
**Alleluya psallat** **Peter Aston (1938-013)**

*Alleluia! This company plays alleluia on cymbals and zithers.  
A happy crowd plays in harmony.  
They sing to the Lord in praise and celebration.*

**O radiant dawn** **James Macmillan (b. 1959)**

Refreshments will be available after the performance



## **Musical Director - Carol Green**

The **Hills Singers, based in Malvern**, was founded in 1993 and currently has a membership of 24 voices. The vocal group performs a varied repertoire, with music from the 16th century to the present day, and often sings unaccompanied.

Musical Director **Carol Green** has had a varied career within the realms of music and music education. Initially a flautist, she developed her interest in choral music as a young teacher, training as a choral conductor inspiring her to form both the Malvern Sing for Pleasure and the Malvern Junior Choir before also forming The Hills Singers. She has worked in schools in the classroom, teaching singing and flute and spent many years working as a choral animateur, leading projects and workshops throughout Worcestershire and further afield. Her passion for music education led to the award of a **Churchill Fellowship to research good singing/choral education in Hungary and Canada**. She has been a tutor with Buckingham University for PGCE students, an advisory teacher for the Voices Foundation and a conductor trainer for Sing for Pleasure.

As well as teaching, Carol currently conducts The Hills Singers and Worcester Young Voices and is an examiner for the ABRSM. She sings in the international touring choir Sine Nomine and locally in the vocal octet Serenata.

The Hills Singers are available to perform in concerts, at weddings or for charitable causes. For further information and to keep up to date with latest news, visit our website **[www.hillssingers.com](http://www.hillssingers.com)**.

The Hills Singers thank all at Elmslie House for facilitating this concert and for their support here today.

<b>Celebrate The Queen's Platinum Jubilee!</b>		
<b>The Hills Singers with Tim Sidford (piano)</b>	<b>Friday 17 June 2022 7.30pm</b>	<b>St Gregory's Church Castlemorton WR13 6BQ</b>
<b>Elgar – <i>Songs From The Bavarian Highlands</i> and a variety of music from Her Majesty's reign</b>		