

Please send your completed registration form and cheque (if applicable) to:

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HOW TO FIND US

From the A465 Hereford to Abergavenny road, turn at the sign at Ewyas Harold or Wormbridge

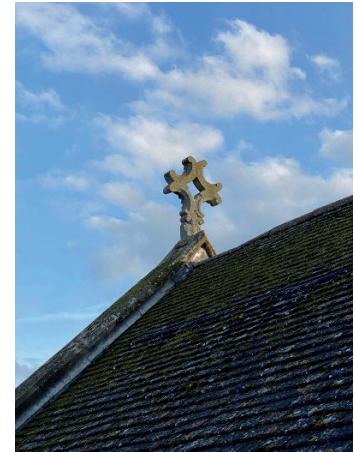
From Hay-on-Wye, take the B4348 (Ross) road and then turn at the sign onto the B4347

ABOUT DORE ABBEY

Founded by French monks in 1147, it is the only Cistercian Abbey in the country still used as a parish church. Located in the peaceful Golden Valley, it has a wealth of features dating from the 12th century to its 17th century restoration. The marvellous acoustics make it a popular venue for musicians and singers.

www.doreabbey.org.uk

The Friends of Dore Abbey



invite you to their annual

CHORAL WORKSHOP

Mozart: Coronation Mass

(Barenreiter edition)

with

PAUL SPICER

on

Saturday 10th September 2022

at

Dore Abbey, Herefordshire HR2 0AA

THE WORK

The mass in C major was completed on March 23, 1779 in Salzburg. and was almost certainly premiered there on Easter Sunday, 4 April 1779. The first documented performance was at the coronation of Francis II as Holy Roman Emperor in 1792. The mass appears to have acquired the nickname Coronation Mass at the Imperial court in Vienna in the early nineteenth century, after becoming the preferred music for royal and imperial coronations as well as services of thanksgiving.

PAUL SPICER

Paul is well known as a choral conductor, particularly of the acclaimed Finzi Singers with whom he made many CDs for Chandos records. He conducts the Birmingham Bach Choir and teaches choral conducting at the Royal Birmingham Conservatoire where he also conducts the chamber choir who record regularly for Somm Records, and at Oxford University. He is also a regular guest conductor with the BBC Singers.

He is a busy composer with a number of major works to his credit as well as shorter choral works many of which are published by Boosey & Hawkes. He has written biographies of Herbert Howells and Sir George Dyson; his latest one, on Sir Arthur Bliss, has just been published by the Crowood Press.

Paul runs a series of highly successful choral courses under the banner of the English Choral Experience including a week at Dore Abbey in July.

Full information can be found at:

www.englishchoralexperience.co.uk

TIMETABLE FOR THE DAY

10am Registration and coffee/tea

10.30 -1.00 pm Workshop 1

1 – 2 pm Lunch

Please bring your own picnic. Tea/coffee available at reasonable cost.

2 – 4 pm Workshop 2

4- 4.45 pm Tea

5pm Performance

COSTS

£45 (students £22.50)

To include loan of music scores, morning coffee/tea and afternoon tea

NOTES

Friends and family warmly invited to the performance (tickets £3)

You are advised to dress in layers- it can be quite cool in the Abbey

If you cancel your booking, a £5 administration charge will be deducted from each refunded place, and no refunds will be given with less than 2 weeks' notice

REGISTRATION FORM

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The Friends of Dore Abbey.

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Friends of Dore Abbey Choral Workshop