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# Proms at St Jude's



## 18th-26th June 2011

St Jude-on-the-Hill, Central Square, London NW11 7AH

[www.promsatstjudes.org.uk](http://www.promsatstjudes.org.uk)

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# Welcome to Proms at St Jude's

Book online at [www.promsatstjudes.org.uk](http://www.promsatstjudes.org.uk) or by post – see Booking Form.  
Telephone booking 020 8458 8798 open from Wednesday 1st June, 2-6pm every day except Sunday



Welcome to the 19th season of Proms at St Jude's. This year we offer another exciting week of concerts – all listed in this leaflet. And don't forget the guided walks and free lunchtime concerts.

Last year, thanks to the support of our sponsors and audiences, we were able to donate £60,000 to Toynbee Hall and the North

London Hospice. We invite you to become a Friend of the Proms (see back cover), which will give you the privilege of priority booking. A special word of congratulations to Susie Gregson, founder of the Proms at St Jude's, for her award of an MBE in the New Year Honours List for services to the community in Barnet.

*Alan Walker*

The Reverend Alan Walker

PRESIDENT, PROMS AT ST JUDE'S, VICAR OF ST JUDE-ON-THE HILL

## Proms Heritage Walks

Meet at 10.30am. Tickets are £7 and must be booked – see Booking Form.

These three walks begin at Fellowship House 136a Willifield Way NW11 6YD at 10.30am and end at St Jude's in time for the free lunchtime recital.

**Saturday 18th June – The Sharp End** Jane Blackburn, Hampstead Garden Suburb Trust Manager, looks at examples of the Trust's work in protecting the Suburb's character.

**Monday 20th June – Trees and Hedges** Nick Packard, the Trust's Estate Manager, explains the landscape of the Suburb from the early planting to the present bosky character.

**Tuesday 21st June – Cottage Plans and Common Sense – Housing the Edwardian Artisan** David Davidson, the Trust's Architectural Adviser, tours the Artisans' Quarter to see how cottages were planned – and what house builders can learn today.

## Guided Walks & Visits

Meet at 10am. Tickets are £7 and must be booked – see Booking Form.

**Wednesday 22nd & Sunday 26th June – From the East End to the Suburb** Why did the Barnetts found Toynbee Hall – and then the Suburb? After a tour of Toynbee Hall visit Brick Lane and the 18th century streets of Spitalfields to discover a story of immigrants – soup kitchens and synagogues, mosques and markets. Led by Blue Badge Guide Julia Male. Meet at Toynbee Hall, 28 Commercial Street, London E1 6LS. Nearest Underground Aldgate East.

**Friday 24th June 10am – 'Appy' Ampstead: London's Northern Heights** This walk will be led by Simon Lee, the Heath Superintendent and will take in Jack Straw's Castle, Lord Leverhulme's garden and pergola, the Old Bull & Bush, Golders Hill Park, Anna Pavlova's house, Wyldes Farm and the Heath Extension. It will end at the Free Church in time for the lunchtime organ recital. Meet at the flag pole, next to Whitestone Pond NW3 7ES.

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# Now in our 19th year!

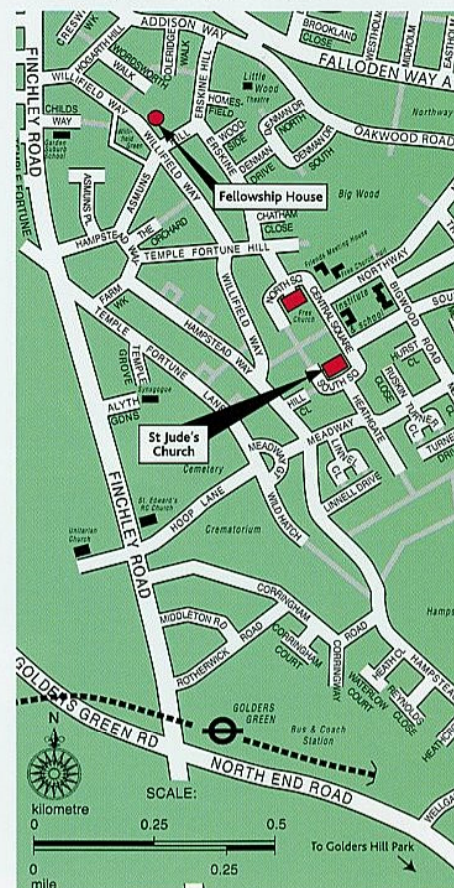
St Jude-on-the-Hill, Central Square NW11 7AH  
General Enquiries (not Box Office), telephone 020 8455 8687

## Facilities for People with Disabilities

- Wheelchair access to church and toilet. Please let us know your requirements when booking.
- Hearing loop.
- Parking at St Jude's is very limited. It is strictly for the disabled and MUST be pre-booked.
- FIRST AID by St John Ambulance.

## How to get to St Jude's

Travel by bus or Northern Line tube to Golders Green station. Then either walk to St Jude's – it takes fifteen minutes – or catch an H2 bus from its terminal by the station in Finchley Road. Get off the bus at Heathgate and you will see St Jude's, 150 yards up the hill.



## Licensed Refreshment Marquee

Sandwiches, snacks, wine, beer, tea, coffee and soft drinks are available from noon and from 7pm.

## Related Events

**Sunday 19th June 10.30am** – Choral Eucharist to mark the Centenary of the Parish Church of St Jude-on-the-Hill. Open to all. Details at [www.stjudeonthehill.com](http://www.stjudeonthehill.com).

**Sunday 19th June 2-6pm** – Hampstead Garden Suburb Horticultural Society Open Gardens. Visit Suburb gardens in aid of North London Hospice. Details at [www.hgs.org.uk/hortsoc](http://www.hgs.org.uk/hortsoc).



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# Evening Concerts

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7.45pm Saturday 18th June

## Opera Gala

Supported by the Dorset Foundation & an anonymous donor



London International Orchestra

London International Orchestra with Toby Purser conductor, Laura Mitchell soprano, Jesús León tenor and Vassily Savanko bass-baritone. A programme of favourite operatic masterpieces, including highlights from works by Mozart, Verdi, Puccini, Bizet, Strauss and Tchaikovsky.



Laura Mitchell



Jesús León



Vassily Savanko

7.45pm Sunday 19th June

## Jazz Night with Stacey Kent and her Band

Supported by Berwin Leighton Paisner

Since she was last heard at the Proms – in 2008 – Stacey has enjoyed great success. Her album 'Breakfast on the Morning Tram' gained her a Grammy nomination for Best Vocal Jazz Album in 2009 and her particular success in France brought her the *Ordre National des Arts et des Lettres* in 2010.



Stacey Kent

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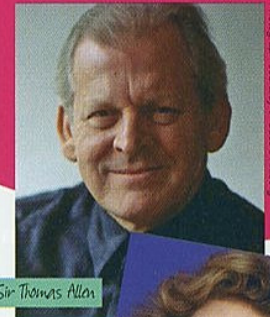
Doors open 7pm. Concerts start 7.45pm

7.45pm Monday 20th June

## An Evening with Dame Felicity Lott and Sir Thomas Allen

Supported by Glentree and Friends of Proms at St Jude's

Dame Felicity Lott soprano, Sir Thomas Allen baritone with Malcolm Martineau piano. Two of the country's greatest singers perform favourite Lieder, songs from the shows, operatic arias and duets.



Sir Thomas Allen



Dame Felicity Lott

7.45pm Tuesday 21st June

## Alessandro Taverna Piano Recital

Prizewinner at the Leeds International Piano Competition 2009

Supported by David & Pam Fulton

Bach English Suite in A minor, BWV 807; Chopin Nocturne in B major, Op 62 No 1; Beethoven Sonata in A-flat major, Op 110; Rossini-Liszt Overture to *William Tell*; Busoni Sonatina No 6 (Kammer-Fantasie über Carmen); Stravinsky Three Movements from *Petrushka*.



Alessandro Taverna

7.45pm Wednesday 22nd June

## The Greenwich Trio

Supported by John Lewis Brent Cross

Lana Trotovscek violin, Stjepan Hauser cello and Yoko Misumi piano. The trio has won many international prizes, amongst them the Tunnell Trust Award, the Solti Foundation Award, the Beethoven Society of Europe Chamber Music Competition and the Carlo Mosso International Chamber Music Competition. Mozart Piano Trio No 5 in G major K 564; Rachmaninov Trio Élégiacque No 1 in G minor; Mendelssohn Piano Trio No 2 in C minor Op 66.



Stjepan Hauser, Lana Trotovscek and Yoko Misumi

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7.45pm Thursday 23rd June

## The Wihan String Quartet

Supported by Godfrey & Barr and Friends of Proms at St Jude's

**Jan Schulmeister** violin, **Leoš Čepický** violin, **Jiří Žigmund** viola and **Aleš Kaspřík** cello with guest cellist **Raphael Wallfisch**. Formed in 1985, the quartet has an outstanding reputation for the interpretation of Czech music and the many masterpieces for the string quartet. World première: **Ronald Corp** String Quartet No 3 (2010); **Dvořák** String Quartet in F major Op 96 'American'; **Schubert** String Quintet in C major D 956.

'one of the best quartets in the world today'. International Record Review

**6.00pm Special Event** – journalist Sue Fox interviews Ronald Corp on stage – free to ticket holders.

Leoš Čepický, Aleš Kaspřík, Jan Schulmeister & Jiří Žigmund



Raphael Wallfisch



Maria Friedman



7.45pm Friday 24th June

## 'Being Alive' – An evening with Maria Friedman

Supported by Lloyds Banking Group

Maria Friedman – three times an Olivier Award winner – explores the Great British Songbook and performs songs by the American theatre composer-lyricist **Stephen Sondheim**. In this life-affirming concert, her musical director and pianist is **Jason Carr**, twice a Tony Award nominee.

**6.00pm Special Event** – Sue Fox interviews Maria Friedman on stage – free to ticket holders.

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Doors open 7pm. Concerts start 7.45pm

7.45pm Saturday 25th June

## Choral Evening with Pianos and Percussion

Supported by the White Family in memory of Sue & Douglas White

**Nicholas Chalmers** director. Members of the **Choir of Merton College Oxford**, **St Jude's Festival Chorus** and **English National Opera Children's Chorus**, **Laura Mitchell** soprano, **Paul Carey Jones** baritone. **Percussion ensemble** of RCM students led by **Tristan Fry**.

**Carl Orff** Carmina Burana, accompanied by the composer's own arrangement for two pianos and percussion; **Bela Bartók** Concerto for Two Pianos and Percussion. **Tristan Fry** and **Julian Poole** percussion.

Choir of Merton College, Oxford



7.45pm Sunday 26th June

## Last Night of the Proms

Supported by The Jacqueline & Michael Gee Charitable Trust

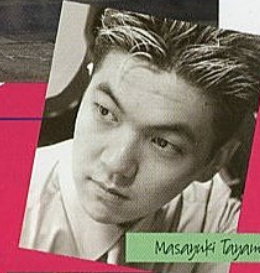
**Southbank Sinfonia** with **Simon Over** conductor, **Masayuki Tayama** piano, **Edgar Bailey** violin and **Catherine Young** mezzo-soprano. Programme to include **Glinka** Overture Ruslan and Ludmila; **Liszt** Piano Concerto No 1 in E flat major; **Saint-Saëns** Introduction and Rondo Capriccioso for violin and orchestra plus traditional Last Night items.

'Southbank Sinfonia, a dashing ensemble which plunges in with exhilarating fizz, exactness and stamina'. The Times

Catherine Young



Masayuki Tayama



Edgar Bailey



Book at [www.promsatstjudes.org.uk](http://www.promsatstjudes.org.uk)

# Free Lunchtime Concerts

All lunchtime concerts are supported by the Hampstead Garden Suburb Residents Association

12.45pm Saturday 18th June

## The Purcell School's Elastic Band

**Kevin Hathway** director. 'Round the World in 60 Minutes' – a concert for all ages and a hair-raising journey around the globe. An hour full of energetic, interactive fun exploring the musical genius of **Bizet, Offenbach, Abreu and Gilbert & Sullivan**.



The Purcell School's Elastic Band

12.45pm Monday 20th June

## Flute and Piano Recital

**Abigail Burrows** flute and **Daniel Swain** piano. Abigail – Purcell School and Royal College of Music – received the Austin and Hope Pilkington Trust Award and currently plays a handmade 9K Gold Brannen-Cooper flute given by the Trust. Daniel is a Junior Fellow of the Royal Academy of Music. Music by **Vaughan Williams, Chopin, Fauré, Prokofiev, Bartók, Godard and Mancini**.



Abigail Burrows & Daniel Swain

12.45pm Tuesday 21st June

## Violin and Piano Recital

**Róisín Walters** violin and **Viktor Sugeng** piano. Works by **Beethoven, Liszt, Ravel and Sarasate**. Róisín Walters studied at the Royal Irish Academy of Music and made her Purcell Room debut last year. Viktor Sugeng has recently completed his MMus at the Royal Academy of Music.



Róisín Walters



Viktor Sugeng

Photograph courtesy of Alana Fenwick

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Doors open 12 noon

Photograph courtesy of TSam Pearce



Robert Max

12.45pm Wednesday 22nd June

## Cello Quartet

**Robert Max** and three of his former students **Genevieve Brothwood, Ariana Kashfi and Hannah Sloane**. An eclectic selection of beautiful Russian music for four cellos by **Fitzenhagen, Tcherepnin, Glière and Kouznetzoff**.

12.45pm Thursday 23rd June

## Concert for Schools

**Nonesuch Orchestra**, **Will Carslake** conductor. Myths and Legends – from **Don Quixote** to **Harry Potter**.

'I really really liked it and it was really really brilliant when we all sang with you'. **Ella Lewis**, aged 9

Nonesuch Orchestra



Anna Stepler



12.45pm Friday 24th June

## Organ Recital

**Anna Stepler** Organ Scholar, **Merton College, Oxford**. Works by **JS Bach, Jehan Alain and Louis Vierne**.

Note different venue:  
Free Church, Central Square NW11 7AG

12.45pm Saturday 25th June

## The Tyburn String Quartet

Prizewinning Royal Academy of Music students **Katie Littlemore** violin, **Charlotte Skinner** violin, **Sophie Broadbent** viola and **Zoe Marshall** cello. **Mozart** Adagio and Fugue in C minor; **Dvořák** Andante appassionato in F major; **Debussy** Quartet in G minor Op 10; **Hugo Wolf** Italian Serenade in G major.

Charlotte Skinner, Katie Littlemore, Sophie Broadbent & Zoe Marshall



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# Booking

We are introducing secure online booking this year, which will allow you to select exactly the seats you want from those available. You may still book by post and we will select the best available tickets for you.

Booking periods open as follows:

- Gold Friends** – Monday 14th March
- Silver Friends** – Monday 28th March
- Bronze Friends** – Monday 11th April
- General public** – Tuesday 26th April

**Become a Friend** – see back page.

Postal applications will be handled on the same timetable as online booking. Telephone booking will be available only from **Wednesday 1st June**.

All bookings will be subject to a fee of £2 per booking. Returns will be subject to a £5 administration charge per booking.

**Online booking** – Go to [www.promsatstjudes.org.uk](http://www.promsatstjudes.org.uk) and click on **booking**, then follow the instructions. Tickets will be posted to you.

**Postal booking** – Please complete and post the attached booking form. There is NO need for a stamped addressed envelope, as required in previous years. Tickets will be posted to you.

Paying by cheque? If your first choice is not available but you will accept an alternative for the same event, please send an open cheque with an upper limit.

**Telephone Bookings** – Box Office 020 8458 8798 opens from **Wednesday 1st June** 2-6pm every day except Sunday.

**Seating** – Seating is classified as **Premium A** and **B** (front A, rear B) and **Unnumbered C**. Premium seating is upholstered, numbered and in the main body of the church. Unnumbered seats are wooden and are placed down the side aisles and at the rear. Some of these seats have restricted views and video screens are

placed to help overcome this, but early arrival is recommended. Cushions are available to hire for £1. Special spaces are reserved for wheelchair users – please indicate when booking if you need one of these.

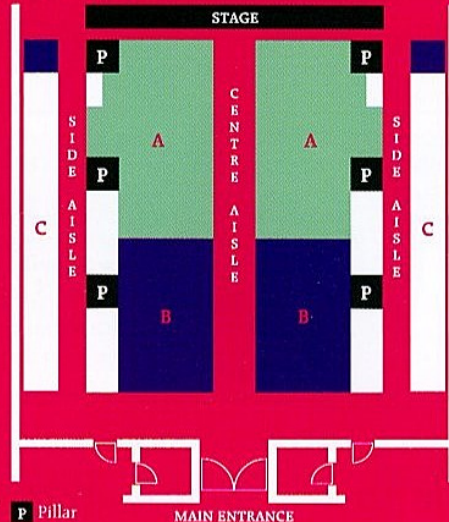
**Prices – Lunchtime concerts:** FREE (Doors open 12 noon, all seats are unreserved).

**Evening concerts:** See below and booking form (Doors open 7pm).

**Promenader tickets:** £3 at the door only (max 30 standing).

**Walks tickets:** £7

## Seating Plan



**Ticket Prices** – Prices vary according to concert – see booking form for details.

- A Premium A** £22 and £25 seats
- B Premium B** £17 and £19 seats
- C Unnumbered C** £10 seats

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# Booking Form

For online booking, go to [www.promsatstjudes.org.uk](http://www.promsatstjudes.org.uk) and click on **booking**.

For postal booking, please complete this form and send to **Proms at St Jude's Box Office, 1 Temple Fortune Lane, London NW11 7UB**.

Please supply tickets for the following events: (Write the number of tickets required in the appropriate boxes. \*indicates unnumbered seats).

**Evening Concerts** – Ticket Prices: ■ A £22, B £17, C £10 ■ A £25, B £19, C £10  
A B C\* Total

Date	Event	A	B	C*	Total
June 18th	OPERA GALA				£
June 19th	JAZZ NIGHT WITH STACEY KENT				£
June 20th	DAME FELICITY LOTT AND SIR THOMAS ALLEN				£
June 21st	PIANO RECITAL BY ALESSANDRO TAVERNA				£
June 22nd	THE GREENWICH TRIO				£
June 23rd	THE WIHAN STRING QUARTET				£
June 24th	AN EVENING WITH MARIA FRIEDMAN				£
June 25th	CARMINA BURANA				£
June 26th	LAST NIGHT OF THE PROMS				£

**Guided Walks** – Ticket price: £7/person (Indicate number of tickets required by the date)

June 18th  June 20th  June 21st  June 22nd  June 24th  June 26th

## Totals

Concert tickets total	£
Guided Walks total	£
Plus booking fee	£2.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£</b>

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: / /

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I am a  Gold  Silver  Bronze Friend of Proms at St Jude's (tick if appropriate)

I would like to reserve a place for a wheelchair user (tick if required)

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