

## The Choir Family News of The Choirs of Grace Church in New York

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### \*FROM THE DESK OF DR. ALLEN

What? January over already? 1/12 of the year is already gone, time is just going faster and faster.

I hope everyone is well or getting better and having a great week.

Bravo everyone who sang last Sunday. I am so proud of you.

Here we go.....Dr. Rose is on the plane and Mrs. Rodland is getting ready to fly over from Minneapolis.

**WEDNESDAY THIS WEEK and EC/LS Parent Conference Day:** Somehow this was scheduled after I got my schedule, thank you everyone who asked questions this week or I would not have known. Unless I hear differently from those families involved, we will keep our schedule as prepared, no changes.

Thank you everyone who contacted me and volunteered to help with the music pick up, we over subscribed and it will be completed tomorrow morning. Again, Thank you.

Everyone is ready and next week we do it. The [Annual Concert of Treble Music with Dr. Rose and Mrs. Rodland.](#)

Please sign up to help with the festive reception that follows the concert. See below for the special schedule for that week's rehearsals. It's a big week with a lot of time demand, but the intensity and opportunity make this project so extraordinary.

[Sign up genius for the treble concert reception](#)

**Would two to four choir parents volunteer to usher the concert? I'd be so grateful, just shoot me an email if you can.**

The business office sent me a reminder this week that some of you have not yet cashed your choir allowance/scholarship checks going back several years. They would really like to close the books on these "old" checks. Can you look around? If you have really old checks you can give them to me and we can re issue, but we don't want to let this list get any longer. If your not sure, ask me, I have a list of checks with names.

Have a great weekend, be safe and enjoy, and.....stay healthy!

See many of you on Sunday morning!

Love, Patrick

**\*THIS SUNDAY** - 2 February at 11:00 a.m., The Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany

The Choir of Men and Boys

Lunch and Rehearsal from 1:00 - 3:00 for all Senior Boys

9:45 for Senior Boys, REQUIRED for Senior Boys

Optional for Novice and Jr Boys

**\*NEXT SUNDAY MORNING** - 9 February at 11:00 a.m., The Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

The Girls' Choir with HS Singers and Adults

9:45 for Senior Girls, REQUIRED for Senior Girls

Optional for Novice and Jr Girls

**\*NEXT SUNDAY AFTERNOON** - 9 February at 4:00 p.m.

The Annual Concert of Music for Treble Voices with

The Whitting of Novices and New Choristers

REQUIRED for all Novices, Juniors and New Choristers

SENIOR MENTORS are very much encouraged.

Call 2:15 p.m.

Concert at 4:00 p.m.

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**\*SUNDAY - 16 February**, The Adult Choir Singing.

Tuesday Evensong will begin again on Tuesday 11 February at 6:00 p.m. Regular Rehearsal that day from 5:00 until Evensong.

Dr. Rose is packing his bags.

Check your schedules and make sure the special project is on for 4 through 9 February.

[Sign up genius for the treble concert reception](#)

One long way looking ahead: The date of Parent Conferences at GCS changed after I received the schedule. What you have I'm sure is correct but it makes it necessary to cancel the morning senior practice originally schedule for 22 April, late morning. Instead, we will keep our normal morning rehearsal schedule that day. Thank you Shingmin for spotting this and making me aware.

### **\*THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE**

This is a link to the site with the goggle cal posts. Please let [pallen](#) know if you have any trouble downloading the schedules.

### **\*SENIOR NEWS**

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**Rehearsals this week, regular schedule**

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Rehearsal Schedule for the Annual Concert of Music for Treble Voices with Dr. Barry Rose, OBE

February 4 - 9, 2020

Required for all Novice and Junior Choristers and

Fourth & Fifth Grade Senior Choristers

Sixth through Eighth Grade Senior Choristers are encourage to mentor

The Saturday Dress rehearsal is mandatory to sing the concert on Sunday.

Tuesday:

3:00 - 4:15 Second Grade Choristers

5:00 - 6:30 Third, Fourth and Fifth Grade Choristers

Wednesday to Friday

All Novice (Second Grade) Choristers 3:00 - 4:15 p.m.

Junior Choristers with

Fourth and Fifth Grade Senior Choristers

3:20 - 5:00 p.m.

Saturday 9:45 - Noon

Dress Rehearsal for Concert - All Choristers Singing

Sunday Call at 2:15, Concert at 4:00

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Has your chorister done their listening homework ? It's never too late. It would be great if they would listen some each week and get these wonderful pieces in their ears.

EVERYONE:

[Thomanerchor Leipzig "Der Geist hilft unser Schwachheit auf" Johann Sebastian Bach](#)

[William Byrd "Sing Joyfully"](#)

FOR BOYS: Britten's [REJOICE IN THE LAMB](#)

FOR GIRLS: [Mendelssohn's Hear my prayer](#)

Britten's [A CEREMONY OF CAROLS](#)

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**\*JUNIOR CHORISTER NEWS**

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Saturday 9:45 - Noon

Dress Rehearsal for Concert - All Choristers Singing

Sunday Call at 2:15, Concert at 4:00

Sixth through Eighth Senior Choristers not mentoring  
should attend and listen!

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**\*NOVICE CHORISTER NEWS**

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**\*HIGH SCHOOL SINGER NEWS**

**\*SUNDAY - 9 February at 11:00 a.m.,** The Fifth Sunday after the Epiphany

The Girls' Choir with HS Singers and Adults

9:45 Call

I'll write soon about a full HS rehearsals including the guys.

HS Singers are invited to show up on Sundays when the Girl's are singing and jam with us all. Just let PA know if you can so music will be prepared in advance for you.

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**\*PARENT VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!**

**SIGN UP GENIUS**

Sign up genius has three links this year. Please note.

- Sunday and special choir event  
Parent Helpers/Volunteers
- Tuesday Evensong choir parent helpers
- After School Vocal Coaching.

The links may be found at the bottom of this newsletter.

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**\*SOCIAL MEDIA:**

**INSTAGRAM**

If you are interested in contributing to the choir Instagram account (or possibly taking it over) please contact [Meaghan Cheung](mailto:meaghanscheung@gmail.com) at [meaghanscheung@gmail.com](mailto:meaghanscheung@gmail.com)

**FACEBOOK**

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**\*RECRUITING IS NEVER OVER!**

**This is our slogan, so if anyone asks, it is never too late to join the choir family and be part of this special community as the music blooms.**

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**CHOIR ESSENTIALS**

The Choir Word for 2019-2020 - **TEAMWORK!**

The L's of Choir:

Look - Listen - Learn - Lead!

The C's of Choir

Courtesy - Confidence - Communication - Care - Commitment - Clarity - Concentration. All of these build and care for our Choir Community.

**Here is where you find all the Choir Schedules just click!**

[Goggle Cal Link to all Choir Schedules](#)

Important Links:

The Goggle Choir Schedule Calendar Link  
Sign Up Genius for Choir Parent Volunteer Sign Link  
Sign Up Genius for After School Vocal Coaching  
Sign Up Genius Tuesday Night Parent Helpers

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The Reverend Chase Danford, Associate Rector  
The Reverend Julia Offinger, Assistant Rector  
Patrick Allen, Organist and Master of Choristers  
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