



**FRIDAY 12 MARCH 2004 at 8pm**  
**ST NICHOLAS CHURCH, DYKE ROAD**

## **THE ESTERHAZY CHAMBER CHOIR**

**Conducted by Bruce Grindlay**

### *The Singers*

Maria Birch  
Alison Brown  
Claire Carberry  
Becky Clifford  
Fran du Corbier  
Meryll Dean  
Dilys Goggins  
Bea Hankey  
Sarah Jarvis  
Denise Jones  
Lucy Morgan Jones

Joyce Phillips  
Karen Zeff  
John Astbury  
Michael Bulman  
Robert Carpenter  
Chris Dixon  
Derek Froud  
David Goodwin  
Nick Martin  
Matthew Spencer

### *The Instrumentalists*

Adrian Bawtree  
Jan Jewel  
James Maddren  
Trumpets

Trombone

organ  
cello  
timpani  
Richard Baker, Andy Wooler,  
Neil Bland, Jonathan Waller.  
Paul Satchwell.



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**Bruce Grindlay** is Director of Music at Christ's Hospital. He completed his schooling in Canada where he won prizes for organ performance and academic work, and returned to England in 1988 to take up the organ scholarship at Emmanuel College, Cambridge, studying with Peter Hurford. His post-graduate Mus.B. degree specialised in organ performance and the sacred music of Henry Purcell.

Bruce is a Fellow of the Royal College of Organists and a member of the government's National Music Education Forum, and is much in demand both as a choral conductor with various societies and festivals, and as a solo recitalist on organ and harpsichord. This is his first concert as Music Director of the Esterhazy Chamber Choir and he has several other engagements with various ensembles including a Purcell Room concert in July.

**The Esterhazy Chamber Choir**, based in Lewes, was founded in 1993 and comprises some twenty four experienced singers. They aim to perform at a professional standard whilst remaining firmly rooted in the English tradition of amateur music making, and welcome approaches for auditions: please contact Claire Carberry on 01273 488923.

The choir usually performs in 'quartets' rather than the traditional blocks of singers, and has a repertoire spanning four centuries of sacred and secular music with an emphasis on *a capella* work. They work with different conductors on a project basis.

As a Registered Charity, the Esterhazy Chamber Choir receives support from Lewes Town Council and its Friends Association. To become involved as Benefactor, Patron or Associate please contact John Astbury 0 01273 897522.

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