

A FESTIVAL OF NINE LESSONS AND CAROLS

18 December 2016

3:00pm

Prelude: Christmas Music for Organ by J.S. Bach, J. Brahms, A. Guilmant & J. Ireland

Procession: Once in royal David's City - arr. David Willcocks

The Bidding Prayer

Sussex Carol – arr. David Willcocks

The First Lesson

Adam lay ybounden - Boris Ord
Ding dong! merrily on high – arr. Charles Wood

The Second Lesson

Hymn: See amid the winter's snow
In the bleak mid-winter - Harold Darke

The Third Lesson

Joys Seven - arr. Stephen Cleobury
Hymn: God rest ye merry, gentlemen - arr. David Willcocks

The Fourth Lesson

There is no Rose - John Joubert
Hymn: O little town of Bethlehem - arr. Ralph Vaughan Williams

The Fifth Lesson

Gabriel's Message - arr. Edgar Pettman
Myn lyking - R. R. Terry

The Sixth Lesson

Silent Night – arr. Geoffrey Thomson
Tomorrow shall be my dancing day – John Gardner

The Seventh Lesson

Hymn: While shepherds watched their flocks
Torches – John Joubert

The Eighth Lesson

The Three Kings – Peter Cornelius, arr. Ivor Atkins
Unto us is born a Son – arr. David Willcocks

The Congregation shall please stand for the Ninth Lesson.

The Ninth Lesson

Hymn: O come, all ye faithful arr. David Willcocks

The Collect for Christmas Eve with Amen

The Blessing with Final Amen

Hymn: Hark! the herald angels sing - arr. David Willcocks

Postlude: Toccata (from *Symphony No. 5*) - C.M. Widor

