



President Nick Sherwood  
**St Paul's Church, Coronation Road, Southville,  
Bristol BS3 1DG**

**Saturday 10 June 2023 6pm**

***Edgar Joyce Memorial Organ Concert  
Followed by Refreshments***

**Admission £10.00 (Students £5)**

**Programme**

**Jude Young**

Concerto in d minor

Bach/Vivaldi

Allegro - Grave - Fuga

La Vierge et L'Enfant

Olivier Messiaen

**Piala Ames**

Prelude in F major BWV 556

JS Bach

Preambulum

J Heinrich Scheideman

Prelude in G minor BWV 558

JS Bach

Interlude

Henry Smart

Processional

Vincenzo Petrali

**Will Walshe-Grey**

Archangel Suite

Craig Phillips

Michael - Gabriel - Raphael - Uriel

**Nick Sherwood**

Fanfare on Hyfydol

David Bednall

Prelude on Schmücke Dich

Peter Hurford

Prelude on Dundee

Hubert Parry

Prelude on East Acklam

Francis Jackson

Chorale Fantasie on Lasst uns erfreuen

Flor Peeters

## Biographies

**Jude Young** is a Joseph Cooper Music Scholar, Sir David Willcocks Organ Scholar, and Martin Hardcastle Academic Scholar at Clifton College, in Year 12. For A-level he is studying Physics, Maths, and Ancient Greek. He has Grade 8 in Tuned Percussion, Piano, Organ and Music Theory. He gained Grade 8 Organ Distinction in January. At Clifton College he sings with the Chamber Choir, plays with the orchestra, plays the organ for College services and later in June 2023 will perform the finale from Shostakovich's Piano Concerto No.2 with the Clifton College Summer Serenade Orchestra. He is also involved at the Bristol Pre-Conservatoire at St Monica's on Wednesday evenings, repertoire including Piano Quintet movements by Brahms, Schumann, and most recently Shostakovich. Outside of music, he is a keen rocket engineer and is also undertaking the components of the Gold Duke of Edinburgh award. He hopes to study either Computer Science, Maths or Physics (or a combination thereof) at either Cambridge or Oxford from September 2024 with an organ scholarship. He will be attending the Royal College of Organists 'Organ Scholar Experience' in July 2023, in part generously supported by the B&DOA.

**Piala Ames** is a Year 12 student at Badminton School, studying A-levels in German, Maths and Latin. She also has an interest in law and is about to submit her Extended Project Qualification essay on mental illness and its relevance to criminal liability. Piala has been studying the organ with Alison Howell since 2017; lessons take place on the magnificent organ at St Monica's Chapel. Once a month Piala also plays the organ for Shirehampton Methodist Church at its Sunday service. Piala also enjoys studying the piano with Alison.

**Will Walshe-Grey** is a student organist and accompanist in his first year studying Music at the University of Bristol. Having been the first Organ Scholar at Priory School, Lewes, he worked in several local parish churches before coming to Bristol this year as Junior Organ Scholar at St Mary Redcliffe. He studies organ with Paul Walton and also enjoys singing in several choirs, including the Bristol University Chorus, Bristol University Music Society Chamber Choir and the Ester zy Chamber Choir.

**Nick Sherwood** studied at Exeter University (where he was a Choral Scholar at the Cathedral under Lucian Nethsingha), followed by a Post Grad year at Trinity College Cambridge (where Richard Marlow was a huge influence), and then taught full-time in schools for 20 years. He then 'went freelance', dividing his time between instrumental and vocal teaching (privately, and for Newham Academy), choral and orchestral conducting, being DoM for the Parish of Wanstead, and playing or ministering at a very large number of funerals. His career advice to young musicians starting out would be "don't put your eggs in one basket!" - and that does work, at least in terms of job security. Since moving from East London to Bristol, Nick has been organist for the St Monica Trust, and been increasingly in demand as a choral conductor. Recent venues include St George's Windsor, Gloucester and Worcester Cathedrals, Bath Abbey, and a few weekends prior to The Coronation, Westminster Abbey. Nick is greatly looking forward to enjoying his Presidential Year for the B&DOA, which begins today!

Details of The **Edgar Joyce Memorial Fund** can be found on the Bristol and District Organists' Association web site [www.bdoa.org.uk](http://www.bdoa.org.uk).