

“Unaccompanied choral singing comes no better than this: in blend, accuracy, precision, commitment.”

- The Guardian

“For purity and precision of tone, and flawless intonation, Nigel Short’s chamber choir Tenebrae is pretty much unbeatable.”

- The Times

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A Celestial Gift

Tenebrae presents a wide-ranging programme spanning five centuries of sacred choral music. A Celestial Gift features celebrated choral works such as Holst’s majestic *Nunc dimittis* and Allegri’s iconic setting of Psalm 51. Alongside these familiar favourites, this programme showcases a wealth of music by some of today’s most exciting composers, with particular highlights including *In Winter’s House* by Joanna Marsh and James MacMillan’s stunning setting of the *Miserere*.

Orlando de Lassus	Musica Dei donum	5:00
Plainchant	Pange lingua	2:00
Philip Moore	Morning Prayer	7:00
Caroline Shaw	and the swallow	4:00
Owain Park	Beati quorum via	4:30
Joanna Marsh	Evening Prayer	4:00
Orlando Gibbons <i>arr. Christian Forshaw</i>	Drop, drop slow tears	4:00
Gregorio Allegri	Miserere, mei Deus	8:00

INTERVAL

John Tavener	Funeral Ikos	8:00
Joanna Marsh	In Winter’s House	5:00
Owain Park	Caelos ascendit hodie	3:30
Sergei Rachmaninov	Heruvimskaya pesn	4:30
Pavel Chesnokov	Svyete tihi	3:00
James MacMillan	Miserere	12:00
Gustav Holst	Nunc dimittis	3:30

15 singers | Conductor

Duration: 80 mins (excluding interval)