

## JOHN KING

John King is a graduate of Oxford University and studied the trumpet in Manchester, Oxford and London with such distinguished musicians as Cecil Kidd, Bernard Brown, Wesley Woodage, Michael Laird, Don Smithers and John Wallace. He gained extensive playing experience with the Northern Sinfonia Orchestra and the orchestras of Welsh National Opera and Scottish Opera and Ballet. For many years he was Principal Trumpet of the City of Oxford Orchestra and was a founder member of the trumpet ensembles, La Réjouissance and The Fantini Consort. Over a period of three decades he has acquired a wealth of teaching experience, working privately and in many schools, including Faringdon Community College, and as brass coach to the Thames Vale Youth Orchestra.



**THE FARINGDON SINGERS** is a small friendly choral society which performs regularly throughout West Oxfordshire and Gloucestershire. We are always on the lookout for new members (particularly tenors and basses) with some sight-reading ability. Forthcoming concerts include Choral Evensong at St Mary's, Uffington on Sunday 3rd July 2011 at 6.30 p.m.

If you would like to join us or would like more information, please contact Avril Coleman on 01367 718599 or email [avril@faringdonsingers.org.uk](mailto:avril@faringdonsingers.org.uk)

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# *The Faringdon Singers*

## GREATER LOVE

### A Concert for Lent



CONDUCTOR Terence Carter

ORGANIST Roy Woodhams

TRUMPET John King

FRIDAY 25TH MARCH 2011 AT 8 P.M.

*All Saints' Church, Faringdon*



1. Pange Lingua KODALY
2. Missa Brevis KODALY  
*(Soprano Semichorus – Sophie Stainer, Emma Mawdsley, Jo Allan)*  
 Introitus  
 Kyrie (Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy, Lord have mercy)  
 Credo (I believe in God)  
 Sanctus (Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts)  
 Benedictus (Blessed is he who cometh in the name of the Lord)  
 Agnus Dei (O Lamb of God that takest away the sins of the world, have mercy upon us)

∞ *Short interval* ∞

3. The Lord is my Shepherd SCHUBERT
4. Geistliches Lied BRAHMS
5. Greater Love JOHN IRELAND
6. Aria, for trumpet and organ FLOR PEETERS
7. Organ Music – “Dorian” Toccata in D Minor BACH
8. Nunc Dimittis, for soprano, trumpet and organ GEOFFREY  
*(Sopranos – Sophie Stainer, Emma Mawdsley, Jo Allan)* BURGON
9. Lord, Thou hast been our Refuge VAUGHAN WILLIAMS  
*(Semichorus – Karen Vogt, Avril Coleman, Sjoerd Vogt, Peter Martin)*

∞ *Retiring collection in aid of the Family Centre* ∞

#### **TERENCE CARTER**

Terence has directed the Faringdon Singers since September 1993. Before that he accompanied the Singers, his first concert with them being in June 1979. Educated at Jesus College Oxford, he played an active part in the musical life of the College and University as organist and accompanist. He subsequently gained the Fellowship and Choirmaster’s Diplomas of the Royal College of Organists. He was Director of Music at Wantage Choral Society from 1982–2003. He accompanied chapel services at Pembroke College Oxford and was organist and sometime conductor of the Christ Church Cathedral Voluntary Choir (now the Cathedral Singers). He also played the organ at Hereford Cathedral in concerts given by combined City church choirs over a number of years, and has performed at a wide variety of local venues. Terence was appointed Chairman of the Oxfordshire District Committee of the Royal School of Church Music in 2006 and Secretary of the Oxford Area Committee (covering Oxfordshire, Berkshire, and Buckinghamshire) in 2007.

#### **ROY WOODHAMS**

Roy was born and brought up in East Kent, where he has spent much of his working life. He was educated at the Dane Court Grammar School in Broadstairs, the Royal College of Music and the University of London Institute of Education. He first studied organ and piano with the late Harold Millsted, then at the RCM he studied organ with John Birch, piano with the late John Russell and theory of music with Robert Ashfield. For a number of years he taught music at St Augustine’s College, Westgate-on-Sea and at the Conyngham High School, Ramsgate. He was also Organist and Master of the Choristers at St John’s Parish Church in Margate, and was at that time well known throughout south-east England as a recitalist, accompanist and choral conductor. In 1993, after a period of study at Ripon College, Cuddesdon, Roy was Ordained to the Stipendiary Ministry of the Church of England. After seven years as Rector of the United Benefice of Cherbury with Gainfield and Area Dean of the Vale of the White Horse in West Oxfordshire, he was appointed Vicar of Fleet in Hampshire in 2004. Roy is also a Diocesan Organ Advisor for the Diocese of Oxford, and as time permits, he tries to continue his musical career as recitalist and accompanist. Roy is married to Kate and they have two daughters: Bethany and Martha. His other hobbies include: cooking, walking, steam railways and holidays in France.