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# Come and Sing

## Edward Elgar

# The Music Makers

Venue: Nottingham Emmanuel School  
Gresham Park Road, Nottingham NG2 7YF

Conducted by  
**Richard Laing**

Saturday 22 February 2020

**Julia Riley** Mezzo Soprano  
**Jonathan Allsopp** Piano

9.45	Registration
10.15-12.30	Welcome and Rehearsal
12.30-1.30	Lunch (please bring your own)
1.30-3.45	Rehearsal
4.00-5.00	Performance

Drinks will be provided during lunch and morning  
and afternoon sessions

Cost: £20    Students: £5  
Music in advance add £3  
Audience tickets: £3

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'We are the music makers, and we are the dreamers of dreams...' Arthur O'Shaughnessy's Ode expresses the thrill of excitement but also the isolation experienced by all creative artists. Elgar's rapturous setting perfectly reflects the poem, with music of tremendous passion and beauty, often quoting many of his best-loved works, including *Gerontius*, the *Enigma Variations*, *Sea Pictures*, the *Violin Concerto* and the *Symphonies*. *The Music Makers* is not performed as often as it deserves, partly because O'Shaughnessy's poetry has fallen out of fashion, so this is a wonderful opportunity to experience an unjustly neglected work. We will be joined by the acclaimed mezzo-soprano Julia Riley, and Nottingham Harmonic's new accompanist, Jonny Allsopp for what promises to be a memorable and highly enjoyable day.

If you would like to **Come and Sing** with us please complete and return the form below.  
If any friends or relations wish to come along to our performance at 4pm please indicate how many tickets you would like for them too.



#### Come and Sing - Sat. 22 February 2020 - BOOKING FORM

Voice Part: (please tick)

Soprano  Alto  Tenor  Bass

Standard ticket £20

Student ticket £5

Music in advance: add £3

Audience tickets @ £3 each

***Student tickets are only available to those aged  
16 years or over in full-time education***

Name:

Address:

Home tel. no.:

Mobile no.:

Email address:

#### **BOOKINGS ARE WELCOME FROM 1st DECEMBER 2019**

Please post this form (together with a cheque for the correct amount made payable to Nottingham Harmonic Society) to:

**Come and Sing, c/o Michael Napier, 65 Alan Turing Road,  
Loughborough, LE11 2NQ (tel 01509 232158).**

Forms and payment should be received by 15 February 2020 at the latest.