

FAMILY CONCERT



Mini Messiah

**A special family-friendly
version of Handel's
festive favourite – the perfect
family Christmas entertainment**

**KIDS GO
FREE!**

Accompanied children
under 18 FREE,
adults £5

with Bristol Choral Society, Music for Awhile orchestra,
professional vocal soloists and Adrian Partington (Conductor)

Saturday 22 December 2012
4.30 – 5.30pm, Colston Hall, Bristol

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Fast becoming a Bristol family Christmas tradition, this family-friendly introduction to Handel's Messiah returns for its third year, taking some of the favourite bits of this festive masterpiece and packing them into **an afternoon of family entertainment** sure to delight, inspire and enthuse anyone of a young age (and those young at heart!).

With large choir, four professional vocal soloists and the utterly captivating playing of **orchestra Music for Awhile**, expect any child to be mesmerized by the sounds created live right before them and enthralled by the music from Handel's masterpiece. We have specially chosen a selection of favourite numbers taking in the beautiful, joyful, dramatic, thrilling and simply majestic for this year's concert, including, of course, the most famous of them all – the 'Hallelujah' chorus.

In under an hour, we will take you on a **musical journey of discovery** that is entertaining, fun, educational and spellbinding with the choir's trademark performance renowned for the clarity, articulation & vitality of the singing – all performed from memory, of course!

The perfect start to your family Christmas!

- ▶ **Accompanied children under 18 FREE, adults £5**
- ▶ All seats unreserved – sit where you like
- ▶ Tickets from **www.bristolchoral.co.uk**, Colston Hall box office (Tel: 0117 922 3686) or at the door
- ▶ 4.30pm start, finished by 5.30pm

Too grown-up for a family concert?

Why not come along to the hall at 7.30pm when you can hear our **complete performance of Messiah**. Our rendition is sung completely from memory – light, dancing, dramatic and described by audience members as 'stunning, simply stunning'. **This one is not to be missed!**

Tickets £10 – £23
(under 25s £5) online at
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