NORTHUMBRIAN CAMBRIDGE ASSOCIATION MUSICAL EVENT at The Sage, Gateshead St Mary's Square, Gateshead Quays, Gateshead NE8 2JR

The People's Requiem

Sunday, November 28, 2021, 2.45pm (for refreshments) or 3.30 for 4.00pm (concert)



Marking a return to large-scale music making, and in memory of those who have lost their lives to Covid-19, this performance features a massed orchestra and choir, consisting of Royal Northern Sinfonia, Chorus of Royal Northern Sinfonia (including your own NCA President, Heather Cordell) and over 200 musicians from the North East community.

Operatic passion, religious grandiosity, and powerful emotions are all hallmarks of Verdi's *Requiem* – one of the most iconic pieces of classical music of all time. From the unstoppable force of the *Dies Irae* to the hushed finale, it captures the imagination like little else.

For more details see https://sagegateshead.com/whats-on/the-peoples-requiem/

The concert is at 4.00pm in Hall 1, and we have provisionally booked 16 seats for NCA members and their guests at a cost of £16.00 per ticket. The Sage Brasserie is not currently operating, so we suggest that people who are interested in meeting beforehand for light refreshments (e.g. tea/coffee/cake) at their own expense meet at the Sage Café at 2.45pm. Those who wish to attend only the concert should arrive by 3.30pm to collect their tickets from an NCA committee member, or else request (via the booking form) to have their tickets posted to them in advance.

Seats will be allocated to interested members on a first-come, first-served basis, and so, if you would like to be part of what promises to be a wonderful occasion, please send your booking form to the NCA Treasurer, Mrs Susan Austin (details below) as soon as possible, and by **Wednesday**, **November 17th**, at the latest. Payment details can be found on the attached booking form.

Ample parking is available at the Sage. (Up to 1 hour: £1.90, up to 2 hours: £3.50, 2 hours or more: £4.80 – pre-payment required.) Alternatively, Gateshead Metro Station is a short walk away, or Newcastle Central Station a longer walk (or a short bus ride via the Quaylink bus) from the venue. See <u>https://sagegateshead.com/your-visit/get-here/</u>

BOOKING FORM

Northumbrian Cambridge Association Autumn Concert

The People's Requiem Sunday, November 28, 2021, 4.00 pm The Sage, Gateshead	
Name:	
Address:	
Telephone:	
Email:	
Names of accompanying persons:	
Number of tickets @ £16.00 per person	
Total amount:	
Method of payment (please tick):	Direct payment (to NCA account – details below) Cheque
I would like my tickets posted to me bef	Fore the event YES/NO

If NO, I understand that I should arrive at the Sage Café by 3.30pm to collect my tickets from an NCA committee member

I would like a map/directions to the SAGE, Gateshead YES/NO

Please return this form to: Mrs Susan Austin, 116 Queen's Road Whitley Bay NE26 3AU Tel.: 0191 2531269;

or email the information to: susanmaustin@hotmail com

Payment can be by **cheque**, made out to Northumbrian Cambridge Association, or by **online payment** through your own bank account to: account name: Northumbrian Cambridge Association; HSBC sort code 40 34 18; account number: 60618446. Please include identification, e.g. SAGE/YOUR SURNAME.

NOTE: The £16.00 per person only covers the concert ticket. The cost of any refreshments will be up to the individual attendee.

Your booking will be acknowledged by email if possible. If you require postal acknowledgment, please include a stamped, self-addressed envelope.