

October 2018

The Diocesan Choir Festival in 2019 will be held in Salisbury Cathedral on Sunday 22 September, conducted by David Halls, the Cathedral's Director of Music.

The Festival Service will be Choral Evensong and the 2019 book contains the following music:

Hymn 'We turn to Christ anew', tune – Leoni
Panis Angelicus – César Franck
Versicles and Responses – David Halls
Psalm 121 – chant William Wolstenholme
Psalm 42 (Responsorial) – Dom Gregory Murray
Office Hymn 'Earth's fragile beauty', tune – Kingsfold
Magnificat & Nunc Dimittis– Chris Totney
Glorious and powerful God – Charles Wood
Hymn 'I am the light whose brightness shines', tune – Billing
God be in my head – Peter Parshall

Rehearsals

To help prepare for the Festivals, there will be a rehearsal for Choir Trainers and Organists at The Cathedral School, 1 The Close, Salisbury on **Saturday 1 June** 2019 from 2 – 4pm, when David Halls will go through the music in detail. There will also be an afternoon rehearsal before the Festival Service and it is most important that all singers taking part in the Festival Service attend this rehearsal.

Festival Books

The Festival Books are ready for distribution and at £6.00 they are excellent value.

Note Learning CDs

A CD with note learning tracks for each individual part as well as one with all parts on is available at a cost of £10.00. This includes all the anthems.

Orders

If you would like to attend the Festival and/or wish to order some Festival Books, please download and complete the order form and return it with a cheque as instructed.

All choirs and singers are invited to take part in the Festivals and robed and unrobed choirs are equally welcome