

THE CHOIR OF ST JAMES', KING STREET

The Choir of St James', one of Australia's oldest musical establishments, can trace its lineage back to the early years of the parish, c. 1824. Indeed, some of its early members were convicts.

For much of its almost two hundred years of ministry, the Choir has been regarded as one of Australia's foremost Anglican choirs. This has continued to the present day, where uniquely in Sydney, the Choir consists of around a dozen semi-professional adult singers.

The backbone of the Choir's work is the weekly services of Choral Eucharist and Choral Evensong (click [here](#) for information on upcoming services). It is also particularly known for its presentation of three Orchestral Masses in January each year.

The Choir has recorded three CDs and broadcasts regularly on ABC Radio, including with leading ensembles such as Australian Baroque Brass. In 2012 the Choir performed with the Tallis Scholars Summer School (dir. Peter Phillips) and undertook masterclasses with The King's Singers and the Hilliard Ensemble. Future plans include commissions of new works and concert tours around Australia and overseas. Additionally, since 2011, the Choir has presented a [Subscription Concert Series](#), collaborating with other ensembles and visiting soloists, to explore a wider range of repertoire.

The Choir is available for recitals, sacred or secular. Please [contact](#) the Head of Music, for further details.

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