



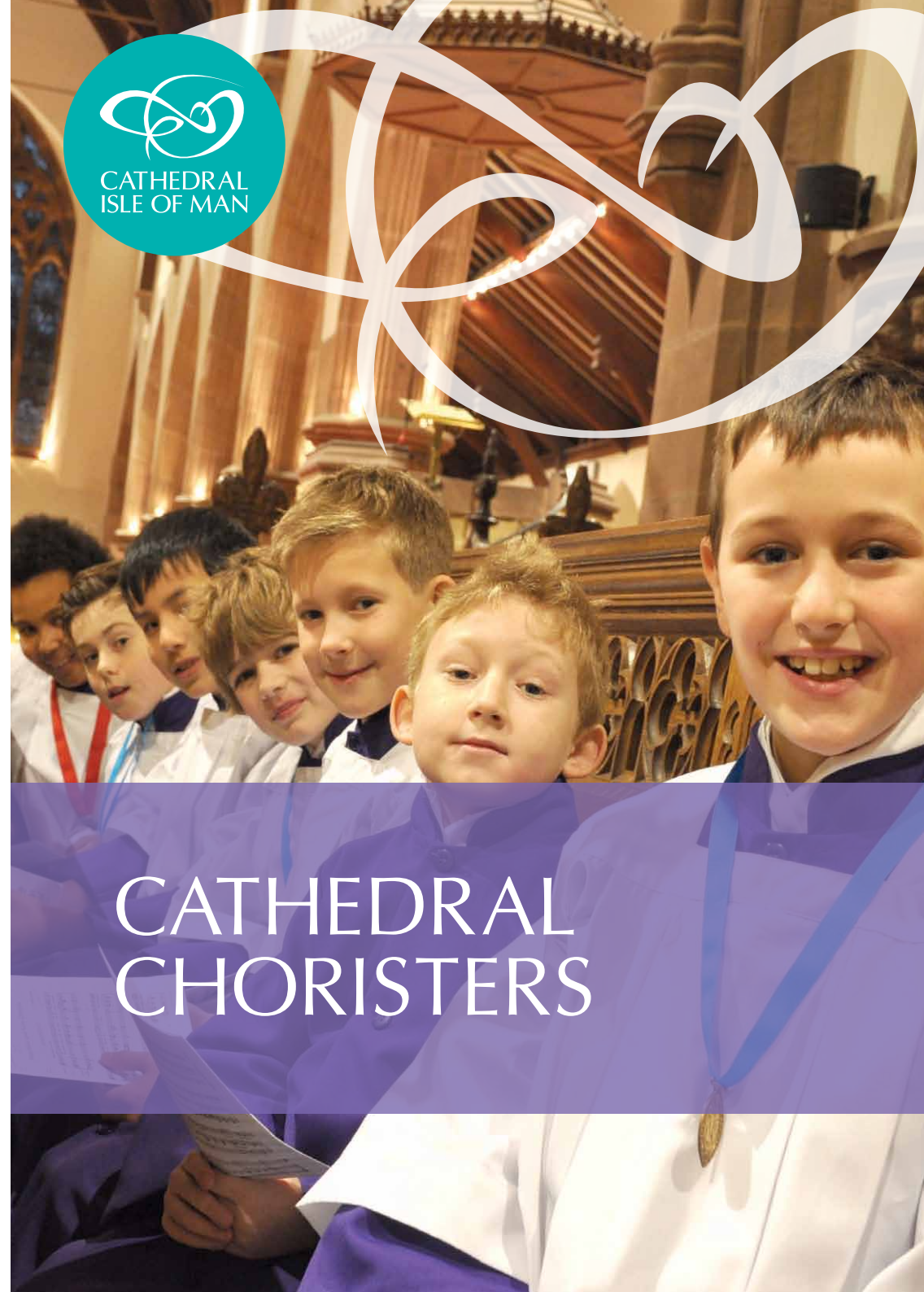
Community, Worship, Culture

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CATHEDRAL
CHORISTERS

DOES YOUR CHILD LOVE TO SING?

Cathedral Isle of Man is offering a new choral programme for boys and girls aged 7-12 years. We aim to...

- Inspire them in a lifelong love of music
- Teach them musical literacy
- Instil the importance of leadership, teamwork, friendship and responsibility
- Provide musical leadership of Sunday's 3.30pm service of Choral Evensong



WHAT WILL THEY SING?

- Mostly traditional choral music
- Works by the 'Greats' – Bach, Handel and Mozart!
- Royal School of Church Music curriculum (in which the choristers will earn ribbons and medals as they reach specific goals)

HOW WILL MY CHILD BENEFIT FROM THE CHOIR?

- Learning about music and singing
- Gaining valuable leadership skills
- Building confidence
- Enhancing literacy and MFL skills
- Earning occasional prizes and awards
- Travelling to sing in other Cathedrals
- Gaining academic credits for later in life

WHAT IS REQUIRED?

Most importantly...you must be able to commit to the time required. We know this might exclude some from participating, but we want families to make an informed choice about this and commit as much time and energy to it as they would any other similar programme or sport. Research has shown that this will be time well spent!

WHAT IS THE TIME INVOLVED?

The choristers will:

- Sing for the 3.30pm service of Choral Evensong each Sunday (with 3pm rehearsal)
- Rehearse on Thursdays from 4-5pm
- Only sing during school term time

We see the Choir as a 'team sport' in which all children depend on each other and must participate equally in order to be successful.

IS THERE AN AUDITION?

Not as such – simply meet the Director of Music and sing your favourite song!

ARE THERE OTHER TIME REQUIREMENTS?

- Occasional extra services around special seasons like Christmas and Easter
- Choir visits to other Cathedrals
- Social activities such as bowling and football matches each term

WHAT IS THE COST?

NOTHING!

DO YOU HAVE TO BELONG TO THE CATHEDRAL?

A Chorister's family is not required to join the Cathedral – children are selected purely on their ability. However, we encourage as much parental involvement as possible since it is so important to your child's success.

FIND OUT MORE

For more information, please contact the Director of Music Dr Peter Litman via music@cathedral.im or 01624 844830.