



Lassus Scholars Scholarships

Singers are invited to audition for **Choral Scholarships** as members of **The Lassus Scholars**

Rehearsals are **Tuesdays and Thursdays 6.45-7.45** at Aras Treasa, Clarendon Street (near Grafton St.)

- Full commitment to all rehearsals & performances required
- Good sight-singing essential
- Further details on our website www.dublinchoralfoundation.ie

New Season – September 2011-July 2012

Singers may also apply throughout the year. In addition to scholarship members, there are opportunities for ‘general’ members and ‘junior’ members.

Dublin Choral Foundation at
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Join Piccolo Lasso

Piccolo Lasso offers a unique musical education for boys and girls aged from 9 to 15 years. In addition to performing large-scale works with The Lassus Scholars at the National Concert Hall and at other venues, the choir performs much of the specialist children’s repertoire.

They have travelled to many European cities, most recently Rome in January 2011 and have performed in Westminster Cathedral, London, on a number of occasions.

Rehearsals for Piccolo Lasso take place on Tuesdays and Thursdays between 5 and 6.30 p.m. at Aras Treasa, Clarendon Street (near Grafton Street)

An Initial Class, held on Thursdays 5.00-5.30, caters for boys and girls aged 5-9 years.

For further details please contact
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DUBLIN CHORAL FOUNDATION

Established in 1996 to promote the development of choirs of excellence and to provide a musical education for children hitherto only available in the cathedral choral tradition, **Dublin Choral Foundation** is now recognised as one of Ireland’s leading choral establishments. The two choirs of **Dublin Choral Foundation**, **The Lassus Scholars** and **Piccolo Lasso**, directed by **Ite O'Donovan**, cater for singers of all ages. They are named after the great composer and virtuoso of Renaissance polyphony, Orlande de Lassus (1532-1594).

The Lassus Scholars and **Piccolo Lasso** perform regularly at St. Kevin’s Harrington Street, SCR and at many Dublin venues (see **Events**). The repertoire ranges from Renaissance masterpieces to contemporary compositions. **The Lassus Scholars** sang Solemn Latin Mass and Vespers in Westminster Cathedral on Low Sunday 2008, 2009 & 2010, deputising for Westminster Cathedral Choir. **The Lassus Scholars** provided all the Sacred Music at the Year For Priests International Clergy Conference in Rome Jan 2010 (*YouTube links on website www.dublinchoralfoundation.ie*).

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Rehearsals for The Lassus Scholars and Piccolo Lasso take place on Tuesdays and Thursdays at a city centre venue. A number of Choral Scholarships are awarded to members of The Lassus Scholars.

For information regarding forthcoming auditions for membership 2011 contact **Ite O'Donovan** at 01.4539663. Email iteod@iol.ie
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