

Charity Concert in aid of

# mindsong

music for dementia

Sunday 16 July • 7pm  
The Chapel, Wycliffe College  
Stonehouse

**Entry: Free** (*Collection for Mindsong*)

*I must down to the seas again,  
to the lonely sea and the sky,  
And all I ask is a tall ship and a  
star to steer her by...*

**Carr: Pour out your light, O stars**  
(2nd performance)

Conductor: Gavin Carr

**Frith: Wanderer Suite**  
(2nd performance)

Conductor: John Frith

**Vaughan Williams:**  
**Toward the Unknown Region**

Elgar: Serenade for Strings

Conductor: Chris Hill

Thornbury Orchestra and Choir



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**The Wanderer Suite by John Frith; settings of poems by  
Ledbury Poet John Masefield.**

*Dirty British coaster with a salt-caked smoke stack,  
Butting through the Channel in the mad March days...*

The Wanderer is a marvellous work by Ledbury composer John Frith. A highly enjoyable setting of eight very well-known poems by John Masefield, also from Ledbury and who died 50 years ago this year.

**Pour Out Your Light, O Stars by Gavin Carr, a setting of  
Gurney's poem, Requiem.**

Pour Out Your Light, O Stars is a haunting and beautiful 15 minute work inspired by local poet and composer Ivor Gurney. It includes the poignant setting of a letter that Gurney sent from the trenches, and a fragment of his poem, Requiem.

Both Composers will be present to conduct their works.

Continuing the travel / space theme there will be a performance of Vaughan Williams' Toward the Unknown Region and we round the evening off with Elgar's Serenade for Strings.

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