



**St Aidan's Church
Fir Tree Lane
St George
Bristol BS5 8TZ**

Concert tickets £6 and £4.50 concessions, including interval refreshments.

Don't forget that at every concert we hold a raffle with the prize of two ticket vouchers redeemable for any concert!

Keep yourself up to date by contacting

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**Mon 4th December 2006 7:30 pm The Art of Advent – Poetry
St Michael's Church Hall, Two Mile Hill, Kingswood BS15 1AP**

The first of three Advent evenings. Trevor Denley introduces a selection of poetry readings, including any of your own which you might like to bring. Free, but donations welcome on the night to cover costs. Further info: 07747 080492

Sun 10th December 2006 8:00 pm Clifton Singers ---- note new time and date ----

One of Bristol's finest mixed choirs join us for their Christmas visit, with their selection of seasonal choral music. The programme will include traditional Christmas texts in Latin, English and German.

**Mon 11th December 2006 7:00 pm The Art of Advent - Music
St Ambrose Church Beehive Centre, Stretford Road, Whitehall BS5 7AW**

The second of three Advent evenings. Jonathan Lane introduces a sequence of music for reflection. Free, but donations welcome on the night to cover costs. Further info: 0117 9350474

Tues 12th December 2006 7:30 pm Bristol East Band

This polished and ever-popular local brass band present a concert of lighter brass music to start the seasonal spirit and to relieve the stress of Christmas shopping. Join us for an evening which inevitably includes some banter and audience participation!

**Mon 18th December 2006 7:00 pm The Art of Advent - Film
St Johns Church Hall, Lodge Causeway, Fishponds BS16 3QQ**

The last of three Advent evenings. David Brain introduces a showing of 'The Matrix' in the context of 'What is real and what is illusion?'. Free, but donations welcome on the night to cover costs. Further info: 07747 080492

Tues 9th January 2007 7:30 pm Alan's Dixieland Band

A select band drawn from the ranks of the illustrious Frampton Footwarmers, Alan Spedding and his Dixie band join us again by popular request. They will entertain us with an evening of Dixie and blues from the 20s, 30s and 40s, along with some more recent arrangements.

Tues 13th February 2007 7:30 pm Roz Cuthbert and Company

Roz is a remarkable singer who with her backing ensemble performs jazz standards and some popular contemporary jazz numbers. Her silky vocal style ranges across the board from bluesy to up-tempo, and will appeal to all tastes.

Tues 13th March 2007 7:30 pm Seanaghy

Seanaghy comprises three members of Keepers Lock who were extremely popular visitors to St Aidan's two years ago. Seanaghy perform lively folk songs and music in the Celtic and traditional style, and their material draws on the rich social history of Britain from the industrial revolution to the early 20th century.

Tues 17th April 2007 7:30 pm Katey Brooks and Company

The acclaimed Katey takes a break from her regular Folk House commitments and joins us again with her silky tones and haunting guitar to give us an evening of her beautifully crafted songs and ballads. She will be supported by a fellow favourite Folk House singer.

Tues 12th June 2007 7:30 pm Western Opera Players

WOPS are one of Bristol's leading stage companies, regularly staging musicals and light opera productions. They will bring us an entertaining concert selection of hits from the best loved musicals.

Tues 4th September 2007 7:30 pm Paul Dudley Roberts

Following his popular visit last year, Paul returns with a varied programme of sacred and secular music, performed on St Aidan's own Hele organ.

Tues 9th October 2007 7:30 pm Cantilena

A very highly regarded local women's choir, Cantilena will include in their programme a wide range of choral pieces both ancient and modern.

THE BOOK BARN Look out for St Aidan's Book Barn – a variety of good second hand books is available for a small cash donation, and your own donated books are also welcome. You'll find the bookshelves near to the refreshments. If you've read it and enjoyed it then pass it on to the **BOOK BARN!!!**

VISUAL ART We now run a continuing exhibition of visual art in the Lady Chapel. If you have any work you would like to exhibit, contact Jonathan Lane on 0117 935 0474.