

## Tickets

### All-inclusive ticket:

IAO Organ Day and Organ Recital  
IAO Members £32 (Non-members £34)

### Individual tickets:

**Organ Day:** IAO Members £18  
(Non-members £20) U18 or FT Student £10

**Organ Recital:** £16  
U18 or FT Student £8

## Book online

[www.northamptonorganists.org.uk/  
midlands-organ-day](http://www.northamptonorganists.org.uk/midlands-organ-day)



## Artists



**Richard Pinel** is a Fellow & Director of Music at Jesus College, Cambridge, and Director of the Edington Festival of Music within the Liturgy. He began his musical life as a chorister at All Saints' Church, Northampton. Richard was awarded the prestigious organ scholarship to Magdalen College, Oxford (2002). Before his current post, he was Assistant Director of Music of St. George's Chapel, Windsor Castle.



**Andrew Reid** is Managing Director of Harrison & Harrison, organ builders. He spent a year as Organ Scholar at St. Matthew's; later becoming Sub Organist at Westminster Abbey (2000), and played the organ for the funeral of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth the Queen Mother. He was Director of Music at Peterborough Cathedral (2004-2012) and was then appointed Director of the Royal School of Church Music. He joined Harrison & Harrison in October 2017.



**Jonathan Kingston** is NDOA's President-Elect. He was an organ student under Ian Tracey and Ian Wells, Sub-Organist to Bradford Cathedral, DoM at The King's School, Ely, and a deputy organist and choral director at Ely Cathedral. Jonathan is currently a freelance musical director, performer, teacher, consultant, and International & UK examiner and trainer for the ABRSM. He is Choral Director at Stowe School, and DoM at St. Mary & St. Giles, Stony Stratford.



**Callum Alger** is currently Director of Music at St. Peter's Collegiate Church, Wolverhampton, as well as studying on the Advanced Postgraduate Diploma (Professional Performance) course at the Royal Birmingham Conservatoire, under the guidance of Daniel Mould. He is a former organ scholar of St. Matthew's Church Northampton and Westminster Cathedral, and is an award-winning Fellow of the Royal College of Organists. He won first-prize at the IAO/RCO Organ Playing Competition (2018).

# MIDLANDS ORGAN DAY



**Saturday 25 September 2021**

**St. Matthew's Church**  
Kettering Road, Northampton, NN1 4RY

## TWO EVENTS : ONE DAY

**1** IAO Midlands Organ Day  
Liturgical Playing

**2** The N&DOA Centenary Organ Recital  
Celebrating the 100th Anniversary of the foundation  
of the Northampton & District Organists' Association

# Welcome

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## Welcome to the Midlands Organ Day 2021, based at St. Matthew's, Northampton.

We invite you to a unique day focused on a skill central to our role as organists – playing for the liturgy. The day will be structured around insightful masterclasses facilitated by outstanding international organists all with a connection to Northampton: **Richard Pinel**, Fellow and Director of Music at Jesus College, Cambridge, **Andrew Reid**, Managing Director of Harrison & Harrison, **Jonathan Kingston**, Director of Music, St. Mary & St. Giles, Stony Stratford and **Callum Alger**, Director of Music, St. Peter's Collegiate Church, Wolverhampton will also demonstrate the organ.

Later in the day, we celebrate the iconic **J. W. Walker organ** at St. Matthew's - once described as 'the finest parish church organ in England' - and we would love you to stay and hear **The N&DOA Centenary Organ Recital** where Andrew and Callum will showcase the organ. Callum was recently amongst the final twelve competitors worldwide to be selected to compete in the virtual edition of the St. Albans Organ Competition 2021.

The day will also include the chance to try a number of fine organs in the town. We promise you an outstanding and enjoyable day, and do hope you will join us.

**Justin Miller**  
Director of Music, St. Matthew's Northampton

*Anyone under the age of 16 is welcome, but should be accompanied by a parent or guardian. However, unaccompanied 14-15 year olds may attend at the absolute discretion of NDOA, in which case a parental consent form must be completed. Please note neither the IAO nor NDOA can be responsible for children when unaccompanied by an adult.*

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# Programme

## TWO EVENTS : ONE DAY

### EVENT 1 : IAO Midlands Organ Day

- 10.00 **Registration and welcome.**  
Tea & coffee available at £1 per cup.
- 10.30 **The St. Matthew's Walker Organ:** an introduction by Justin Miller, Andrew Reid, and short recital by Callum Alger.
- 11.00 **Masterclass 1:** hymns, psalms (plainsong and/or Anglican chant) and liturgical improvisation.
- 12.30 **Lunch:** bring your own picnic bags or enjoy lunch at one of the many food outlets in the Kettering Road.

*Open Consoles will be available throughout the lunch break at St. Matthew's, St. Gregory's, All Saints' and New Testament Church of God, Northampton.*

- 2.30 **Masterclass 2:** Accompanying choral repertoire, Viennese Mass accompaniments and/or orchestral reductions.
- 4.00 **Break:** Tea & coffee available at £1 per cup.
- 4.30 **Finale:** performance of music worked on during Masterclasses with the choristers of St. Matthew's church.
- 5.00 **Supper** available at one of the many food outlets in the Kettering Road.

*Open console at St. Michael and All Angels.*

**Talks:** Harrison & Harrison about restoration of the St. Matthews organ and other current H&H projects; and Anna Hallett on *The Organ Manual*.

*There will be opportunities during the breaks throughout the day to try state-of-the-art digital organs, and to browse and buy organ music, DVDs and CDs, from Church Organ World.*

### EVENT 2 : The N&DOA Centenary Organ Recital on the iconic Walker organ at St. Matthew's

- 7.00 Andrew Reid and Callum Alger showcase the Walker organ in a spectacular joint recital.

Book direct at [www.northamptonorganists.org.uk/midlands-organ-day](http://www.northamptonorganists.org.uk/midlands-organ-day) or complete and post this booking form, your payment cheque (payable to **Northampton & District Organists' Association**) and a DL size stamped addressed envelope by **18th September 2021** to: Helen Murphy, 23 Hawthorne Road, Finedon, Wellingborough, NN9 5DR  
Email: [secretary@northamptonorganists.org.uk](mailto:secretary@northamptonorganists.org.uk) Tel: 01933 680955

### BOOKING FORM (Please complete in block capitals)

Name .....

Address .....

Postcode .....

Email ..... Tel .....

Member of IAO Affiliated Association? Yes / No

If yes, which Association? .....

Reservations will be confirmed by email (if provided), and tickets will be posted to you. **Remember to enclose a DL size SAE for that purpose.**

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**SAVE £2 with the all-inclusive ticket !**

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**TOTAL payment enclosed £ .....**

*This timetable & recital programme is provisional and may be subject to change*

