



Friday June 17, 2022, 12.30pm

Richard Walker *organ*

## CONCERTS in the ROUND

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**War March of the Priests** (*from Athelie*)

**Mendelssohn** 1809 - 1847  
*arr Best*

**Prelude and Fugue in G**, BWV 541

**Bach** 1685 - 1750

**Two Chorale Improvisations, Op 65**

**Karg-Elert** 1877 - 1933

*O Durchbrecher aller Bande (Trio with cantus firmus) (No 41)*

*Jerusalem, du hochgebaute Stadt (Toccata) (No 47)*

**Prelude and Fugue in B**

**Saint-Saëns** 1835 - 1921

**Cascades - a Rag**

**Scott Joplin** 1868 - 1921 *arr E.Power Biggs*

**Carillon de Westminster** (*Suite No 3*)

**Vierne** 1870 - 1937

**Richard Walker**, Assistant Director of Music at St Chad's, accompanies most of the major services, organises these lunch-hour concerts and gives regular recitals in the church. He has given recitals all over the UK, and also in Germany and the USA. These include six performances of the complete organ works of J.S.Bach, the last of which was given in St Chad's on the recently-rebuilt organ in 2014.

Richard studied organ with David Willcocks, gaining both ARCO and FRCO diplomas in the same year, and both with prizes. His career has been largely in teaching, first at The Edinburgh Academy, and then as Director of Music successively at Daniel Stewart's and Melville College Edinburgh (1975 – 80), The Leys School Cambridge (1980 – 85), and Harrow School (1985 – 2005). He was also Assistant Organist at St Mary's Episcopal Cathedral Edinburgh and subsequently Organist at St John's, Princes Street, Edinburgh. Apart from his organ playing, Richard conducts the Phoenix Singers of Shrewsbury, is a chamber music pianist and a double bass player in the Shrewsbury Orchestra.

**Next Friday: Julia Hartmann** *piano*

**Next organ recital: Tuesday July 4: Richard Dunster-Sigtermans** *St Andrew's, Rugby*