Forest Philharmonic

SCHEDULE FOR THE SEASON 2026-27 **Created: 13 September 2026**

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CONCERT DRESS – all black. **PLEASE BRING A STAND TO ALL REHEARSALS AND CONCERTS**

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AMENDS ARE HIGHLIGHTED IN YELLOW

All scorings are from Daniels and may not be reflected in the parts we receive. Fixers can check exact requirements with Librarian, Janice Twiselton.

Addresses of main venues: St Gabriel's Parish Church Aldersbrook, 12 Aldersbrook Rd, London E12 5HH, UK.
St. Andrew's Church, Upper Leytonstone, 153 Colworth Rd, London E11 1JD, UK

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CONCERT 1 – Saturday 10th October 2026 – Hackney Singers, St James's Church, Clerkenwell

CLARA SCHUMANN	Piano concerto	2222.2200.tmp.str	22'
SCHUBERT	Intende voci (Divertimento D963)	0122.2030.str	12'
SCHUBERT	Mass in E Flat	0222.2030.str	52'

Conductor: Dan Ludford-Thomas

Piano: Cliodna Shanahan

Rehearsals: NB – rehearsals for Concert 2 begin 14 September

Tuesday 6 October	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Saturday 10 October	14.00-17.00	TUTTI	
	19.30	**CONCERT**	St James's Church, Clerkenwell Close EC1R 0EA

CONCERT 2 – Sunday 18th October 2026 – St. Gabriel's Church, Aldersbrook

SCHUBERT	Symphony No. 2	2222.2200.tmp.str	30'
GINASTERA	Harp Concerto	2222.2200.tmp+4.cel.str	23'
GINASTERA	Dances from Estancia Op 8a	1222.4200.tmp+4.pn.str	14'

Conductor: Mark Shanahan
Harp: Heather Brooks

Rehearsals:

Monday 14 September	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns/Brass	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Monday 21 September	19.30 – 22.15	Strings	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Monday 28 September	19.30 – 22.15	String sectionals	Various – ask fixers
Monday 5 October	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Monday 12 October	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns/Brass	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Friday 16 October	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns	St Gabriel's Church E12 5HH
Sunday 18 October	14:00 – 17:00	TUTTI	
	18.30	**CONCERT**	St Gabriel's Church E12 5HH

CONCERT 3 – Saturday 14th November 2026 – Lewisham Choral Society, The Great Hall Goldsmiths

TBD	Sea-themed piano solo	TBD	TBD
SUMSION	They that go down to the sea in ships	Choir and piano	6'
BRITTEN	Four Sea Interludes	2223.4331.tmp+?.hrp.str	18'
VAUGHAN WILLIAMS	Sea Symphony	3343.4331.tmp+2.2hrp.org.str	70'

Conductor: Dan Ludford-Thomas

Rehearsals: NB – rehearsals for Concert 4 begin 26 October

Tuesday 10 November	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns/Brass	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Saturday 14 November	14:00-17:00	TUTTI	
	19.30	**CONCERT**	The Great Hall, Goldsmiths SE14 6NW

CONCERT 4 – Sunday 29th November 2026 – St. Gabriel's Church, Aldersbrook

BEETHOVEN	Egmont Overture	2222.4200.tmp.str	10'
MOZART	Sinfonia Concertante	0200.2000.str	32'
SIBELIUS	Symphony No 6	2232.4330.tmp.hrp.str	28'

Conductor: Mark Shanahan
Violin: Tim Crawford
Viola: Alinka Rowe

Rehearsals:

Monday 26 October	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns/Brass	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Monday 2 November	19.30 – 22.15	Strings	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Monday 9 November	19.30 – 22.15	String sectionals	Various – ask fixers
Monday 16 November	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Monday 23 November	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns/Brass	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Friday 27 November	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns	St Gabriel's Church E12 5HH
Sunday 29 November	14:00 – 17:00	TUTTI	
	18.30	**CONCERT**	St Gabriel's Church E12 5HH

CONCERT 5 – Sunday 14th March 2027 – St. Gabriel's Church, Aldersbrook

EMILIE MAYER	Symphony No 7 in Fm	2222.421(b. trom)0.tmp str	35'
TCHAIKOVSKY	Symphony No 6	3222.4231.tmp+2.str	46'

Conductor: Mark Shanahan

Rehearsals:

Monday 1 February	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns/Brass	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Monday 8 February	19.30 – 22.15	Strings	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Monday 22 February	19.30 – 22.15	String sectionals	Various – ask fixers
Monday 1 March	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Monday 8 March	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns/Brass	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Friday 12 March	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns	St Gabriel's Church E12 5HH
Sunday 14 March	14:00 – 17:00	TUTTI	
	18.30	**CONCERT**	St Gabriel's Church E12 5HH

CONCERT 6 (young musicians' competition) – Sunday 25th April 2027 – St. Gabriel's Church, Aldersbrook

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Conductor: Mark Shanahan

Rehearsals:

Monday 12 April	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Monday 19 April	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Sunday 25 April	13:10 – 16:30	TUTTI	
	17.00	**CONCERT**	St Gabriel's Church E12 5HH

CONCERT 7 – Sunday 27th June 2027 – St. Gabriel's Church, Aldersbrook

HINDEMITH	Symphony: Mathis Der Maler	2222.4231.tmp+3.str	27'
BEETHOVEN	Symphony No 3, Eroica	2222.3200.tmp str	47'

Conductor: Mark Shanahan

Rehearsals:

Monday 17 May	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns/Brass	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Monday 24 May	19.30 – 22.15	Strings	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Monday 7 June	19.30 – 22.15	String sectionals	Various – ask fixers
Monday 14 June	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Monday 21 June	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns/Brass	St Andrew's, Upper Leytonstone E11 1JD
Friday 25 June	19.30 – 22.15	Strings/WW/Horns	St Gabriel's Church E12 5HH
Sunday 27 June	14:00 – 17:00	TUTTI	
	18.30	**CONCERT**	St Gabriel's Church E12 5HH