



St James Cathedral

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Cathedral Choir Audition Information

Thank you for your interest in joining the Cathedral Choir, one of Chicago's finest liturgical ensembles. St. James Cathedral is a warm, vibrant community of faith which embraces all people as beloved children of God regardless of belief, background, political affiliation, or sexual orientation. Our musical identity is grounded in an expansive Anglican choral tradition, and our repertoire encompasses music from seven centuries while striving to include those voices who have previously been overlooked.

The Cathedral Choir comprises 32 voices — 12 staff singers and 20 volunteers. The choir rehearses each Thursday from 6:30-8:30, and sings in services every Sunday morning at 11, the first Sunday of each month at 4pm, and for other special occasions. Staff singers receive \$80 per appearance and are W2 employees of the church.

Membership in the choir is by audition, so please [e-mail me](#) to set up an appointment. For the audition, I would like to hear:

- Staff singers: Two contrasting solos from the oratorio or art song repertoire
Volunteers: One solo from oratorio or art song, or a choral excerpt
- The Agnus Dei from the Byrd Mass for Four Voices, attached to this document
- Sight-reading a choral piece from our repertoire

If auditioning as a staff singer, please send me a current resumé at your earliest convenience. I look forward to hearing you!

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Stephen Buzard". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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Agnus Dei

C. Ag - nus De - i qui tol - lis pec - ca -

A. Ag - nus De - i qui tol - lis pec - ca - ta

T.

B.

C. -ta mun - di, mi - se - re - re, mi - se - re - re no - 10

A. mun - di, mi - se - re - re, mi - se - re - re, mi - se - re -

C. - bis, Ag - nus De -

A. -re no - bis,

T. Ag - nus De - i qui tol - lis pec -

B. Ag - nus De - i

C. - i, qui tol - lis pec - ca - ta mun - di, 20 mi -

T. -ca - ta mun - di, qui tol - lis pec - ca - ta mun - di,

B. qui tol - lis pec - ca - ta mun - di, mi - se -

- se - re - re no - bis, mi - se - re - re

mi - se - re - re no - bis, mi -

-re - re no - bis, mi - se - re - re no -

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C. no - - - - bis, Ag - nus De - -

A. Ag - nus De - - i,

T. - se - re - re no - bis, Ag -

B. - - - - bis, Ag - nus De - -

-i, Ag - nus De - - - - i, qui tol - lis pec-

Ag - nus De - - - - i, qui tol - lis pec - ca - ta

- nus De - - - - i, qui tol - lis pec - ca -

-i, De - - - - i, qui tol - lis pec - ca - ta

-ca - ta mun - - - - di, qui tol - lis pec - ca -

mun - di, qui tol - lis pec - ca - ta mun - - - - di, qui

- ta mun - - - - - - - - di, qui tol - lis pec-

mun - - - - di, qui tol - lis pec - ca - - -

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-ta mun - - - - di, do - na no - bis pa -

tol - lis pec - ca - ta mun - - - - di, do - na no -

-ca - - - - ta, qui tol - lis pec - ca - ta mun - di,

-ta mun - - - - di, do - - -

Map and Parking information

St. James Cathedral is conveniently located near the Red Line and the 145, 146, 147, and 151 bus lines. If you drive to the Cathedral, we recommend either finding street parking or parking at the Ohio Ontario Self-Park at 33 West Ontario. Our receptionist can give you a voucher for \$11 parking for 18 hours in this garage.

Please enter via the St. James Commons entrance, which is behind the Cathedral at the corner of Huron and Rush. The Welcome Desk is just past these doors where you can sign in and I will meet you.

