CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL CHOIR OF OXFORD, ENGLAND PERFORMS TWO CHARLOTTE-AREA CONCERTS IN SPRING 2014

- 180 Local Singers To Join With Christ Church Cathedral Choir In Davidson Concert -

The Christ Church Cathedral Choir of Oxford, England will perform two Charlotte-area concerts during its 2014 North America tour. On Friday, April 4 2014 at 7 PM, the world-renowned male-voice chorus will perform at Covenant Presbyterian Church in Charlotte, NC. And on Saturday, April 5, 2014, the choir will be joined by 180 local singers in a 7:30 PM concert at Davidson College Presbyterian Church. Tickets to both concerts are now available at CarolinaTix.com: $20 for adults and $10 for youth & children. The link for the DCPC concert is:


“We made so many friends and met so many choral music enthusiasts when we first performed in Charlotte in 2011,” explains Stephen Darlington, Christ Church Cathedral Choir’s Director of Music (at right). “We are delighted to return to Covenant Presbyterian Church on April 4 – and equally delighted WDAV 89.9FM Classical Public Radio will broadcast that concert live as part of the city’s 2014 Ulysses Festival.”

The April 5 concert at Davidson College Presbyterian Church, led by Stephen Darlington, will bring together singers from several area choirs, including Covenant Presbyterian Church, Davidson College Presbyterian Church, Davidson United Methodist Church and the Choral Arts Society of Davidson College. The choir’s April 5 performance at Davidson College Presbyterian Church will feature a different set of composers, including John Taverner (Christ Church’s first Master of the Choristers from 1526-1530), William Byrd, Edvard Grieg, Edward Elgar, and Gabriel Fauré.

About Christ Church Cathedral Choir
Rated as one of the world’s top male-voice choirs, Christ Church Cathedral Choir is known for its stunning sound and its adventurous musical programming. The choir’s musical home is the 12th-century Christ Church Cathedral in Oxford, England. While this has created a special relationship with early sacred music, the Cathedral Choir is likewise at ease with contemporary works. The choir’s 18 boys
and 13 men perform daily services at Christ Church Cathedral 34 weeks per year. Despite this rigorous performance schedule, the choir still manages to tour annually and was most recently invited to perform in China and Hong Kong in 2015.