

SING FOR PLEASURE

Visiting choirs are welcome to perform at Grace Cathedral.

AN OVERVIEW:

- Sing For Pleasure must be scheduled at least two weeks in advance.
- Choirs are scheduled to perform Monday through Thursdays from 1 to 3 p.m.
- We do not book Sing For Pleasure groups on weekends or during the weeks immediately before Christmas or Faster
- Choral groups may sing for up to 30 minutes, unaccompanied. Additional time may be arranged for an additional fee.
- Both sacred and secular music are welcomed.
- The cathedral does not accept requests for instrumental performances.

ARRANGEMENTS AND FEES:

- Choirs may schedule their half-hour performances on Mondays through Thursdays, by availability as the cathedral calendar allows.
- Sing For Pleasure fees are \$15 per chorister with a maximum fee of \$500.
- One-hour guided tours can be added to the Sing for Pleasure fees at the cost of \$5/person. See gracecathedral.org/visit for more information.
- Up to an equivalent number of non-choristers arriving with the choir receive complimentary admission. (Please note that the cathedral charges admission for sightseeing Monday through Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sundays, 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.)
- Performances may be reserved by contacting concerts@gracecathedral.org.
- Fees are payable upon receipt of the invoice via check or major credit card.
- Fees may be reduced or waived in certain circumstances. Please contact <u>concerts@gracecathedral.org</u> if needed.

UPON ARRIVAL:

- Choirs should check in at the visitor desk inside the cathedral.
- Choristers should arrive dressed and ready to sing, as no dressing or warm-up rooms will be provided.
- Choirs are welcome to use the first few minutes of their performance time to warm up but cannot warm up in the cathedral space prior to their scheduled time due to liturgical services and other scheduled events
- Recording devices must be battery powered, as there is no access to electrical outlets.
- Buses may park in the white zone on California Street in front of the cathedral. Grace Cathedral does not guarantee parking.
- Choristers and those accompanying them are welcome to stay after their performance and enjoy a self-guided interactive tour of the cathedral. Docent-led guided tours are available for an additional fee (as above) and must also be scheduled in advance.

OTHER SINGING OPPORTUNITIES AT GRACE CATHEDRAL

For more information about singing choral preludes, liturgical music and/or collaborations with the Grace Cathedral Choir of Men & Boys, please contact the Music Department at ofcMusic@gracecathedral.org or at 415-749-6332.

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