Music by women composers performed at St George's Chapel, Windsor, and Canterbury Cathedral during the 19th century

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APPENDIX

Transcriptions and reconstructions

For MS details and page references see Clifford Mould, *The musical manuscripts of St. George's Chapel, Windsor Castle: a descriptive catalogue* (Windsor, 1973) and the loose typed catalogue in the Canterbury Cathedral Library.

Note: these editions may be freely copied and used as desired, but are not for publication.

A) Catherine Musgrave, Kyrie / Commandments and Sanctus in B flat

Windsor MSS 35, 36, 37, 38, 39. Only the ATB parts survive; soprano and organ parts are editorial. Copied 1839/40.

B) Mary Jane Canning, Kyrie / Commandments in E flat

Windsor MSS 30, 33, 66. The treble and tenor parts are missing but can be reconstructed from the organ score (MS 66). Arranged W. Jarman. Copied c. 1830. The bass part in b. 11 has been altered to match organ score.

C) Mary Jane Canning, Sanctus in E and ?Canning, Kyrie / Commandments in E Windsor MSS 29, 70. Only the alto part and the organ part of the Sanctus survive; the treble, tenor and bass parts are editorial, reconstructed via notes and markings in the organ part

(MS 70). Only the alto part survives of the Kyrie in E which may also be by Canning.

D) Eleanor Bagot, O Lord, rebuke me not

Canterbury Cathedral MSS 55, 64, 72, 85, 87, 91, 93, 96, 99.

'Lady Eleanor Bagot'. The treble parts are missing and have been reconstructed from the complete organ score, MS 64.82, which indicates that the anthem opens with a treble solo followed by a treble duet, and gives various text incipits.

Notes:

Bars 56-57: Alto underlay taken from the repeated chorus; 58.1-2: Alto part has m e' (g' taken from repeat); 63-4: editorial organ notes given in small type; 66: cresc. only in Tenor & Bass parts; 66.4: Alto g'; 67-8: Org RH lower part missing

E) Charlotte Sneyd, O God, the protector

Canterbury Cathedral MSS 60, 72, 84, 87, 92, 93, 96, 99.

Appoggiaturas given as a crotchet preceded by a small quaver have been changed to quavers.

Readings in principal source, MS 87 (score):

Bar 4.4: Org RH lower note f'; 9.3: Org RH no *sq* f'; 11.4: Org LH no b flat; 13.3: Org RH no *m* c'; 15.3-4: Org RH no *cr*. d', *q* d'; 20.3: Org RH top note c"; 31.4-33.3: Org - only the two outer parts are given in this phrase (similarly in the separate organ score MS 60).

F) Charlotte Sneyd, Ye that fear the Lord

Canterbury Cathedral MSS 72, 84, 87, 92, 93, 96, 99

Readings in principal source, MS 84 (score):

25: Org upper two parts *sb* written as *m*; 36.3: S & Org written as *cr* appogg., *m*; 58-60: Org RH several ties missing; 63.2: Org LH no flat; 78.1: Alto no natural; 118.4: the word is present but the note itself is missing in the score and both Bass partbooks; 142: Org RH no dots; 144: Alto only one *m* rest; 151.3: Bass no flat (also missing in partbook); 152 & 161: Org no dynamics; 163: no dynamics

G) Miss E. J. Hirst, Almighty and everlasting God

Canterbury Cathedral MSS 87, 88, 90, 94, 96, 99, 101, 106

There is no surviving organ part, but some partbooks indicate the playing of an organ chord at the start of bars 1 and 29, so a *colla voce* organ part has been provided.

H) Miss E. J. Hirst, Come unto me

Canterbury Cathedral MSS 79, 83, 87, 90, 94, 96, 99, 101

The Treble part is missing, so has been reconstructed from organ score (MS 79). The organ score has the figure 7 in bar 18, and full figures from bar 51 to the end. In bar 53 the hairpin in the organ score has been adjusted to fit with the vocal parts.

I) Miss A. M. Jarrett, O tarry thou the Lord's leisure, and Thou wilt keep him

Canterbury Cathedral MSS 77, 82, 83, 85, 89, 90, 94, 96, 99, 101, 102, 106

The copies of these two works include two vocal scores (MSS 77 & 102) but there is no separate organ part. The scores have been condensed here onto two staves.

J) Clara Macirone, By the waters of Babylon

Notes on the Novello edition [1890], copy in the British Library

Bar 20: Org RH no dot to *sb*; 22: Alto no f; 26: Soprano no *p*; 35.1: Bass no dot; 43: Alto no *p*; 44: Bass no *p*; 50.4: Soprano *m* f'; 52: Org LH no lower octave; 55: no *f* signs; 63: Org LH no upper part; 76: Org RH no lower tie; 77: Org RH no ties; 79: Org LH no dot; 79: voice parts have 'coming', presumably an error for 'cunning'; 80-84: cresc. only given in Alto part; 94: no *ff* in voice parts; 99: Org RH no lower tie; 100: Org RH no tie; 114.3: Org RH also g'; 134: no *ff* in voice parts

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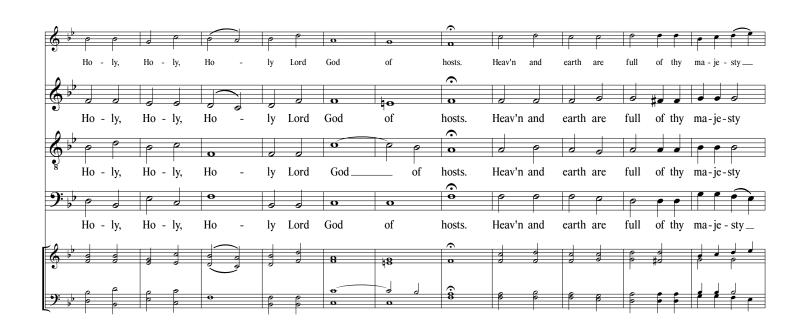
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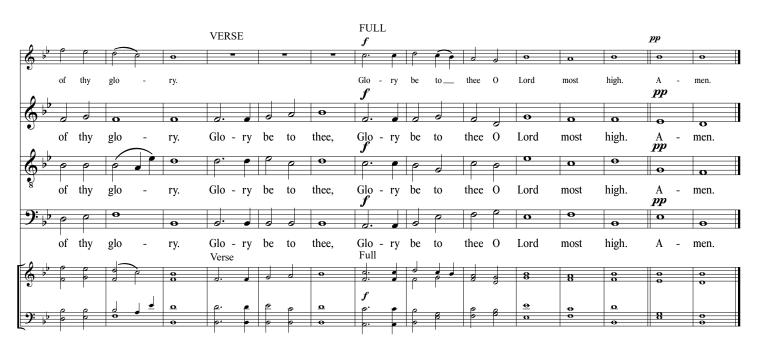
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A) Sanctus in B flat

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B) Kyrie / Commandments in E flat

Mary Jane Canning, arr. Jarman reconstr. Geoffrey Webber



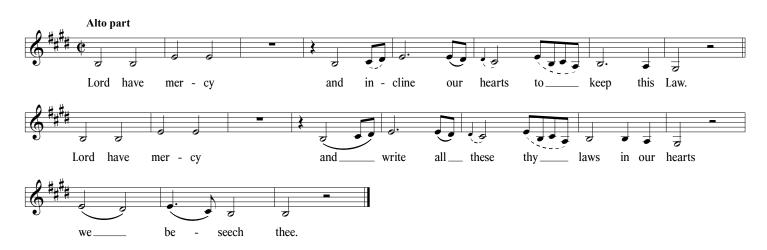
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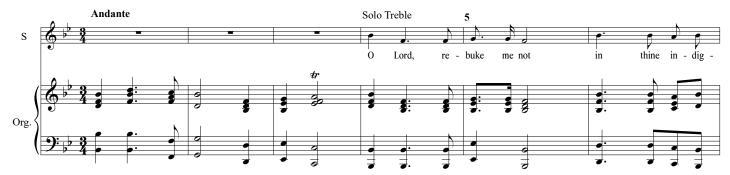
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D) O Lord, rebuke me not

Psalm 6, vv. 1, 2 & 4

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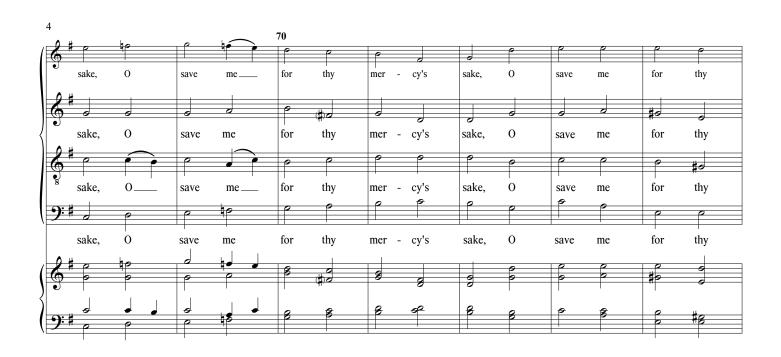


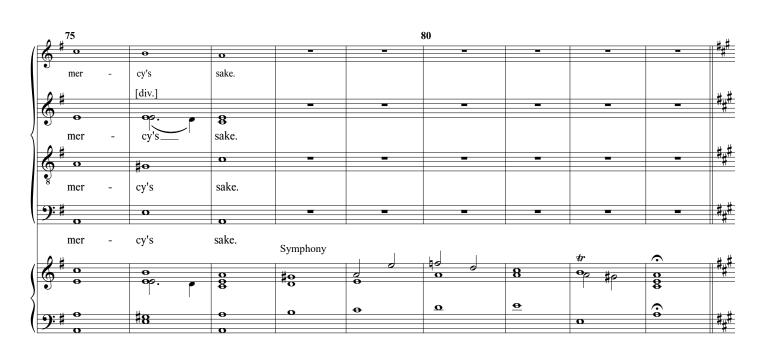


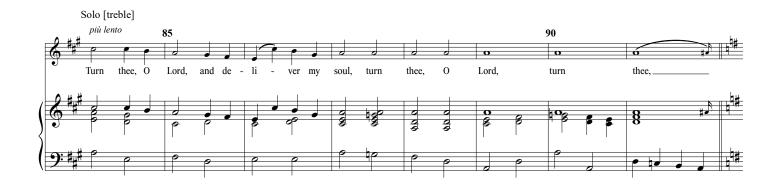
















E) O God, The Protector

Collect for the 4th Sunday after Trinity

Charlotte Augusta Sneyd (1800-82) ed. Geoffrey Webber









F) Ye that fear the Lord

Anthem from the 115th Psalm

Charlotte A. Sneyd (1800-82) ed. Geoffrey Webber









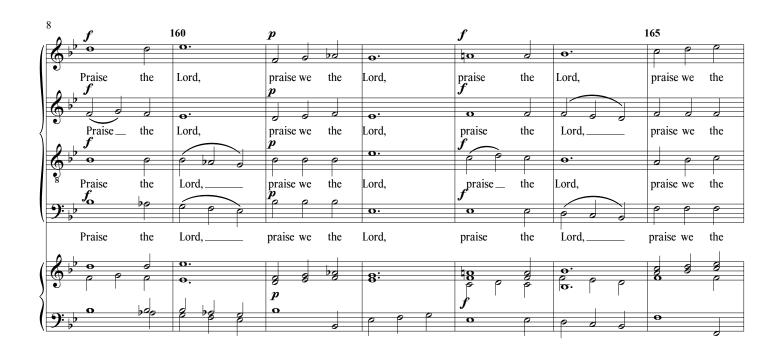


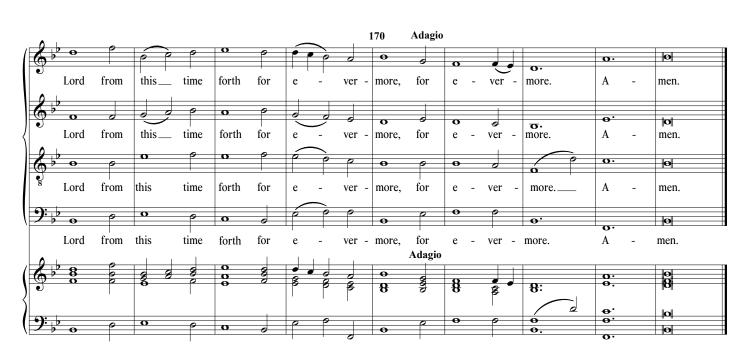








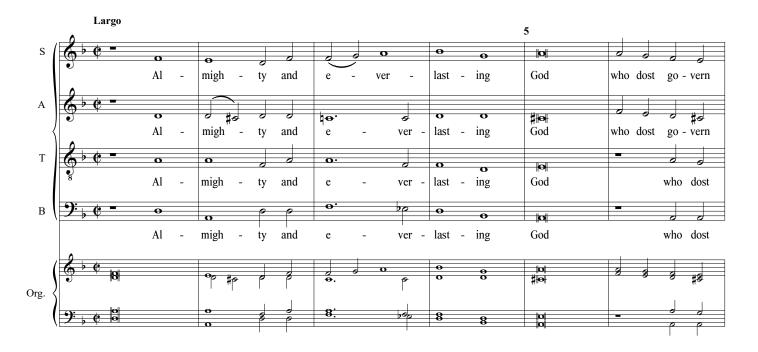


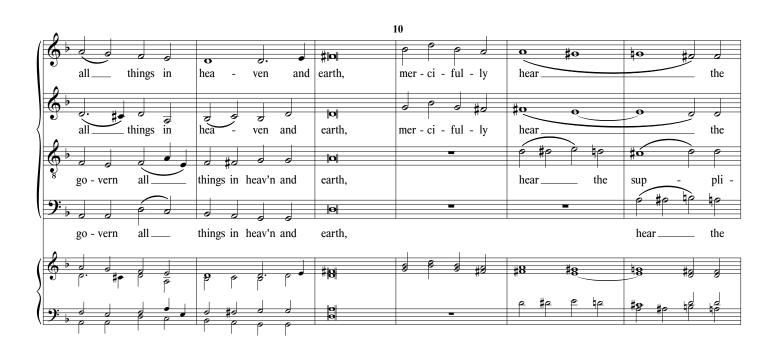


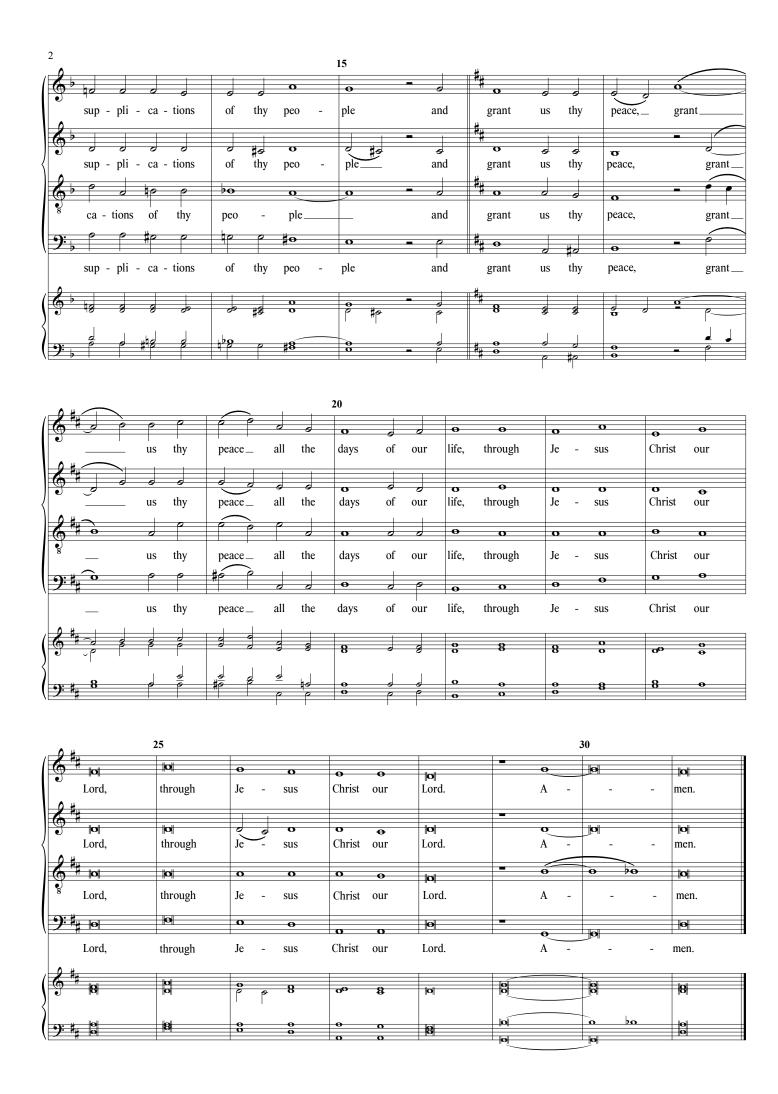
G) Almighty and everlasting God

Collect for the Second Sunday after Epiphany

Miss E. J. Hirst ed. Geoffrey Webber











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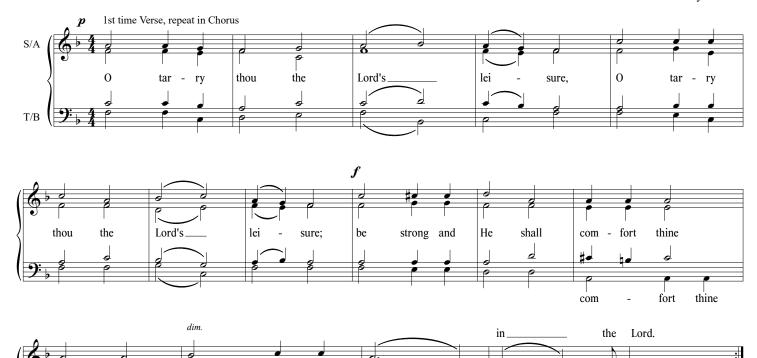
I) O tarry thou the Lord's leisure

Anna Mary Jarrett ed. Geoffrey Webber

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J) By the Waters of Babylon

Verse Anthem from Psalm 137 [vv. 1-6; Coverdale]

Clara Angela Macirone (1821-95) ed. Geoffrey Webber















