

MSO

HOLST'S *THE PLANETS*

30 AUGUST – 1 SEPTEMBER 2018

CONCERT PROGRAM

Melbourne Symphony Orchestra

Sir Andrew Davis conductor

Ladies of the MSO Chorus

Vine* *Symphony No.8 The Enchanted Loom*

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INTERVAL

Holst *The Planets*

*Composer in Residence

Pre-concert talk Join us for a pre-concert talk with Alistair McKean from the stage. Thursday 6.15pm, Friday 6.30pm, Saturday 12.45pm.

This concert will be recorded by ABC Classics for possible release.

Running time: One hour and 45 minutes, including a 20-minute interval.

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MELBOURNE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA CHORUS

For more than 50 years the Melbourne Symphony Orchestra Chorus has been the unstinting voice of the Orchestra's choral repertoire. The MSO Chorus sings with the finest conductors including Sir Andrew Davis, Edward Gardner, Mark Wigglesworth, Bernard Labadie, Vladimir Ashkenazy and Manfred Honeck, and is committed to developing and performing new Australian and international choral repertoire.

Commissions include Brett Dean's *Katz und Spatz*, Ross Edwards' *Mountain Chant*, and Paul Stanhope's *Exile Lamentations*. Recordings by the MSO Chorus have received critical acclaim. It has performed across Brazil and at the Cultura Inglese Festival in Sao Paolo, with The Australian Ballet, Sydney Symphony Orchestra, at the AFL Grand Final and at Anzac Day commemorative ceremonies.

WARREN TREVELYAN-JONES

CHORUS MASTER

Warren Trevelyan-Jones is the Head of Music at St James', King Street in Sydney and is regarded as one of the leading choral conductors and choir trainers in Australia. Warren has had an extensive singing career as a soloist and ensemble singer in Europe, including nine years in the Choir of Westminster Abbey, and regular work with the Gabrieli Consort, Collegium Vocale (Ghent), the Taverner Consort, The Kings Consort, Dunedin Consort, The Sixteen and the Tallis Scholars.

Warren is also Director of the Parsons Affayre, Founder and Co-Director of The Consort of Melbourne and, in 2001 with Dr Michael Noone, founded the Gramophone award-winning group Ensemble Plus Ultra. Warren is also a qualified music therapist.

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