



## Women Composers of Organ and Liturgical Works Repertoire for the Advent, Christmas and Epiphany

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## Advent

### Organ solo/keyboards

**Bakke, Ruth (b. 1947) – Norway –**  
*Prelude on “Veni Emmanuel”* (1997) 2’  
Organ solo

*Toccata : Kom, Konge, Kom I Morgenglans* (1997) 3’  
(A toccata for the Advent season)  
Organ solo

For access to her works please contact the composer on <https://ruthbakke.com/contact/>

**Dunphy, Melissa (b. 1980) – Australia/United States –**

*Rorate Caeli* (2022)

Organ solo

Appears in *Gregoriana: Twelve chant-based organ pieces by contemporary women composers* (2022) compiled by Anna Lapwood

Stainer and Bell

ISMN 9790220227851

**Sandresky, Margaret Vardell (b. 1921) – United States –**

*Sleepers Wake*

Appears in Margaret Vardell Sandresky: Organ Music Volume 2  
Wayne Leupold Editions

*Veni Emmanuel*

Appears in Margaret Vardell Sandresky: Organ Music Volume 6  
Wayne Leupold Editions

### Choir a-capella

**Daley, Eleanor (b. 1955) – Canada –**

*Gabriel’s Message*

SATB

Alliance Music Publications AMP 0582

**Dunphy, Melissa (b. 1980) – Australia/United States –**

*O Oriens* (2015)

SATB

Available on Melissa’s website <http://www.melissadunphy.com/composition.php?id=62> (accessed February 15 2022)

**MacDonald, Sarah (b. 1968) – Canada/United Kingdom –**

*Advent Responsories I* (2017)

SSAATTBB

Encore Publications

*O come Emmanuel* (2018)

SSAATTBB

Encore Publications

*The Angel Gabriel from heaven came* (2020)

SATB  
Selah Publishing

*Advent Responsories II* (2020)  
SA Lower Voices unaccompanied  
RSCM

**Rizza, Margaret (b. 1929) – United Kingdom –**  
*The Advent Sequence*  
GIA Publications GI.G-8511  
ISBN 9780854021697

**Semple, Anna (b. 1997) - United Kingdom –**  
*Drop down, ye heavens* (2018)  
SSATB with divisi  
Appears in *Sacred Music by Women Composers: Volume 1* (2019)  
Multitude of Voyces  
ISBN 978-1-9162164-0-2

To view perusal scores or get in touch about purchasing works, visit Anna's website  
<https://www.annasemple.com>

**Weir, Judith (b. 1954) – United Kingdom –**  
*Drop Down, Ye Heavens, from Above* (1984)  
SATB  
Novello & Co Ltd NOV291577  
EAN 5020679534519

**Choir with accompaniment**  
**Choir with organ/keyboard accompaniment**

**McDowall, Cecilia (b. 1951) – United Kingdom –**  
*Advent Moon* (2013)  
SATB, organ and optional hand bells  
Oxford University Press  
ISBN 9780193403406

**Sparkhall, Olivia (b. 1976) – United Kingdom –**  
*Gabriel's Message* (2018)  
SSA and harp or piano  
Banks Music Publications KSC010  
Also appears in *Sacred Music by Women Composers volume 3* (2020)  
Multitude of Voyces  
ISBN 9781916216426

**Wheeler, Janet (b. 1957) – United Kingdom –**  
*Advent Song*  
Children's choir (or soprano semichorus), SATB and piano

To purchase any unpublished works, contact Janet via her website <https://janetwheeler.co.uk>

**Solo voice(s) with accompaniment**

**Stoll, Helene Marianne (1911-2012) – Germany –**

*Der Morgenstern ist aufgedrungen*

ST, oboe and organ

Carus Verlag CV10.104/00

ISMN 9790007019211



## Advent 4 - Mary

### Organ solo/keyboards

**Bennett, Mary-Beth (b. 1954) – United States –**

*Prelude on “Es ist Ein’ Ros’ Entsprungen”*

In: Oxford Hymn Settings for Organists, Vol. 1, Oxford University Press

**Bingham, Judith (b. 1952) – United Kingdom –**

*Annunciation I* (2000)

Edition Peters

EP71151

ISMN 9790577006505

*Annunciation IV/Chorale Prelude on ‘Meine Seel’ erhebt den Herren’* (2012)

Organ solo

Peters EP72397

ISMN 9790577002521

*Altartavla* (2014)

*I Maria Lacrimosa II The Living Mary III Annunciation in a Small Room IV Joseph’s Dream V Mandorla*

Edition Peters

EP72575

ISMN 9790577008363

### Choir a-capella

**Daley, Eleanor (b. 1955) – Canada –**

*I Sing of a Maiden*

SSAA

Alliance Music Publications AMP 0652

**Bingham, Judith (b. 1952) – United Kingdom –**

*Cradle Song of the Blessed Virgin Mary* (1987)

SSATB

Novello & Co

NOV290607

*Ave Virgo Sanctissima* (2011)

SATB

Edition Peters

EP72207

ISMN 9790577000589

**Clarke, Rebecca (1986-1979) – United Kingdom/United States –**

*There is no rose of such virtue* (1928)

based on English 15th c. carol

Solo Bar; ATBarB

Discovered in RC estate in 1997

OUP 2003

*Ave Maria* (1937)

traditional, based on Luke 1:28

SSA

RC Estate and British Library

OUP 1998  
Catalogue Number: 9780193860803  
ISBN: 9780193860803 (0193860805)  
Also appears in *Sacred Music by Women Composers volume 2* (2020)  
Multitude of Voyces  
ISBN 9781916216419

**Daley, Eleanor (b. 1955) – Canada –**

*Ave Maria*  
SSAA  
Alliance Music Publications AMP 0401

*There Is No Rose*  
SSAA  
Alliance Music Publications AMP 0160

**Dienes-Williams, Katherine (b. 1970) – New Zealand/United Kingdom –**

*Ave Maria*  
SSAA  
Treble Clef Music  
TC-135

**Lutyens, Elisabeth (1906-1983) – United Kingdom –**

*The Virgin's Cradle Hymn*  
Unison  
Publisher: OUP Archive  
Catalogue No. OCS1151

**Maconchy, Elizabeth (1907-1994) – United Kingdom –**

*I Sing of a Maiden* (1966)  
Carol for mixed voices a-capella

*There is no rose* (1984) 3'  
SATB  
Written for the Witham Choral Society  
Chester Music

**McDowall, Cecilia (b. 1951) – United Kingdom –**

*Cradle Song* (2005)  
SSA and piano  
Featured in *For Him all Stars* (2006)  
Oxford University Press  
ISBN 9780193355699

*Cradle Song* (2019)  
SATB  
Cadenza Music CMDCS01  
EAN 5020679001134

*Lo! He slumbers in his manger* (2019)  
SATB  
Oxford University Press  
ISBN 9780193535671

*Of a Rose* (1993)

SATB

Featured in *Noëll! Carols and Anthems for Advent, Christmas & Epiphany Vol. 2*

Novello & Co NOV310827

ISBN 9781849382922

**Tomlins, Greta (1912-1972) – United Kingdom –**

*I Sing of A Maiden*

SSA

Ascherberg/IMP Archive 455

*Balulalow*

SSA

Curwen and Sons

JC72649

**Ward, Joanna (b. 1998) – United Kingdom –**

*Hail, O Queen*

SSATB

Appears in *Sacred Music by Women Composers: Volume 1* (2019)

Multitude of Voyces

ISBN 978-1-9162164-0-2

**Watson Henderson, Ruth (b. 1932) – Canada –**

*Gentle Mary Laid her Child*

3-Part SSA Women's Choir

Janet Galvan Women's Choral Series

Roger Dean Publishing

Item No.: LX.15-2713R

ISBN: 9781429115599

**Weir, Judith (b. 1954) – United Kingdom –**

*Ave Regina Caelorum* (2014)

SSATBB

Chester Music Ltd CH82346

EAN 5020679141120

**Willis, Alison (b. 1971) – United Kingdom –**

*I sing of a maiden* (2016)

SATB with divisi

Composers Edition ce-aw1isoam1-pr-s

Also appears in *Sacred Music by Women Composers Volume 1* (2019)

Multitude of Voyces

ISBN 978-1-9162164-0-2

*Rosarium* (2016)

SATB with divisi or SSA with divisi

*I Ave Rosa II There Is No Rose III Ave Domina IV Flos Florum V Rosa Sine Spina*

*A Rose Hath Borne A Lily White (Alma Redemptoris Mater)* (2017)

SSAATBB

Composers Edition ce-aw1arhbalw1

*There is no Rose*

SSAAT<sup>\*</sup>TBB

Appears in *Sacred Music by Women Composers volume 3* (2020)

Multitude of Voyces

ISBN 9781916216426

For any unpublished works, contact Alison via her website

<http://www.alisonwillis.com/choral-sacred.html> (Accessed 15 June 2021)

### **Choir with accompaniment**

#### **Choir with organ/keyboard accompaniment**

**Dienes-Williams, Katherine (b. 1970) – New Zealand/United Kingdom –**

*I Sing of a Maiden*

SSAAT<sup>\*</sup>TBB and organ

To purchase any unpublished works, contact Katherine on [Katherine@guildford-cathedral.org](mailto:Katherine@guildford-cathedral.org)

**Frances-Hoad, Cheryl (b. 1980) – United Kingdom –**

*There is no Rose* (1995) 3'

SATB a capella/+ organ

Joint winner of the Bach Choir Carol Competition, premiered at the Royal Albert Hall during their Christmas Concert in 1995

**McDowall, Cecilia (b. 1951) – United Kingdom –**

*Cradle Song* (2005)

SSA and piano

Featured in *For Him all Stars* (2006)

Oxford University Press

ISBN 9780193355699

*Annunciation* (2018)

SSATB

Oxford University Press

ISBN 9780193519770

**Von Paradis, Maria Theresia (1759-1824) – Austria –**

*Es ist ein' Ros'*

SS and piano

Appears in *Sacred Music by Women Composers volume 3* (2020)

Multitude of Voyces

ISBN 9781916216426

**Piedelievre, Paule (1902-1964) – France –**

*Hymne à la Sainte Vierge* (1939)

SSA choir and organ

Schola Cantorum 2020

Catalogue No.: SC 5318

**Watson Henderson, Ruth (b. 1932) – Canada –**

*Peaceful the Wondrous Night*

SATB, Organ (opt. Brass and Percussion)

Commissioned by the CBC and the choir of the church of St. Andrew and St. Paul in Montreal

Boosey & Hawkes (New York) - Series Choral Music Experience

ISMN: 9790051480555

*Rejoice, We Sing*

Gallery Carol

2-part children's choir, women's choir (SSA), mixed choir (SATB) and 2 pianos

Edition: score for voices and/or instruments

Schott

Order No.: BHI 48325

**Wheeler, Janet (b. 1957) – United Kingdom –**

*The Spirit of Christmas* (2014)

SATB with optional children's choir and piano

Hal Leonard HL00124187

EAN 0884088964320

*Carol of the poor children*

SATB and piano

*A la media noche* (At the hour of Midnight)

Arrangement of Puerto Rican carol

SATB, treble choir and piano duet

*A cool, cool Christmas*

Unison treble voices with backing vocals for SSAAB or SSATB and piano

To purchase any unpublished works, contact Janet via her website <https://janetwheeler.co.uk>

**Williams, Helen (b. 1969) – United Kingdom –**

*Mary's Whys* (2005)

For children's choir, mixed choir and organ

For Advent or Mothering Sunday

Works can be downloaded from Helen's website <http://www.canossa.co.uk/HelenWilliams.html>

**Solo voice(s) with accompaniment**

**Beaulieu, Edith (b. 1961) – Canada –**

*Hymn to Blessed Marie de l'Incarnation* (1980)

Four women's voices and organ

**Dubkova, Irina (b. 1957) – Russia –**

*Ave Maria* (2007, 2<sup>nd</sup> version 2018)

Baritone and organ

To purchase her work, please contact Irina on [soundspace@mail.ru](mailto:soundspace@mail.ru)

**Harmon, Christina (b. 1944) – United States –**

*Ave Maria (St. Paul's)*

Catholic hymnal, arr. Harmon

Soprano and organ

Delatour

**Panufnik, Roxanna (b. 1968) – United Kingdom –**

*Ave Maria*

Two sopranos and organ

Edition Peters

EP71830

## Instrumental pieces

**Harmon, Christina (b. 1944) – United States –**

*Lo, How A Rose E'er Blooming*

16<sup>th</sup> century German carol, arr. Harmon

Two trumpets and organ

Sacred Music Publishing

**Pierre, Odile – France –**

*Quatre Pèlerinages a la Vierge* (1988)

Organ 4 hands

Alphonse Leduc AL27352

ISMN 9790046273544

## Christmastide

### Organ solo/keyboards

**Bate, Jennifer (1944-2020) – United Kingdom –**

*Introduction And Variations On An Old French Carol*

Organ solo

Novello & Co

Catalogue No.: NOV010176

**Bennett, Mary-Beth (b. 1954) – United States –**

*Dance on “Ave virgo virginium/Gaudeamus partier”*

In OHSO, Vol. 4

*Adeste fideles*

In: Jubilate, Vol. 1

Concordia

*Personet Hodie*

In Jubilate, Vol. 1

Concordia

**Bingham, Judith (b. 1952) – United Kingdom –**

*Christmas Past* (1989 for piano, revised for organ 2012)

*I. Hope II. Midnight III. The Gift IV. Christmas Past*

Organ solo

Edition Peters

Hope EP71107

The Gift EP71136

**Bracquemond, Marthe (1898-1973) – France –**

*Variations sur un Noël*

Schola Cantorum

Catalogue No.: SC5182

Order No: GN441472

EAN: 9990001344580

**Decker, Pamela (b. 1955) – United States –**

*A Carol Fugue* (1977)

Hinshaw Music, Inc.

**Demessieux, Jeanne (1921-1968) – France –**

*La Nativité* (1944)

Editions Delatour France

Edition No.: DLT0932

**Joulain, Jeanne Angèle Desirée Yvonne (1920-2010) – France –**

*Noël Flamand - Flemish Christmas*

Publisher: Chantraine

Item number: EC85

**Kim, Marianne (b. 1972) – Korea/United States –**

*The Heart and Soul of Christmas*

Lorenz Publishing Company

**Laurin, Rachel (b. 1961) – Canada –**  
*Variations sur un Noël Lorrain* Op.26 ca. 30'  
Europart-Music 1995

**Lawrence, May F. (ca. 1900) – United States –**  
*Christmas Postlude*  
Available at <https://spellerweb.net/poindex/OrganMusicSuppl/LawrenceXmasPostlude.html>

**Michel-Ostertun, Christiane (b. 1964) – Germany –**  
*Präludien Zum Weihnachtskreis* (Preludes for Christmas)  
Organ solo  
Strube Verlag  
STRVS3496

**Mounsey, Elizabeth (1819–1905) – United Kingdom –**  
*An Old Christmas Carol (God rest ye merry gentlemen)*  
Augener 1800  
Available from the Royal College of Organists library

**Nixon, June (b. 1942) – Australia –**  
*Badinage on the Holly and the Ivy*  
Organ solo  
Encore Publications (2021)

**Pierre, Odile – France –**  
*Variations et Fugue sur trois Noels de Normandie*  
Alphonse Leduc AL28106  
ISMN 9790046281068

**Plummer Faxon, Nancy (1914-2005) – United States –**  
*A Christmas Celebration*  
Preludes, Compilations. Christmas, Lessons and Carols  
Composed by Leo Abbott and Nancy Plummer Faxon  
MorningStar Music  
Item No.: MN.10-104

**Sandresky, Margaret Vardell (b. 1921) – United States –**  
*Angelus ad Virginem (The Angel to the Queen of Heaven)*  
Appears in Margaret Vardell Sandresky: Organ Music Volume 2  
Wayne Leupold Editions

*A Wreath of Carols*  
Appears in Margaret Vardell Sandresky: Organ Music Volume 6  
Wayne Leupold Editions

*Lo, How a Rose*  
Christmas Variations for organ and band  
Wayne Leupold Editions

**Senfter, Johanna (1879-1961) – Germany –**  
Choral Prelude *Vom Himmel Hoch* Op. 70a  
Choral Prelude *In dulci jubilo* Op. 70e  
Choral Prelude *Puer natus in Bethlehem* Op. 70h



In: 10 Choral Preludes  
Edition Schott  
ED 9603

**te Velde, Rebecca Groom (b. 1956) – United States –**  
*Variations on a Theme of Samuel Scheidt: Puer Natus in Bethlehem* (2007)  
Oxford University Press  
ISBN: 9780193869981

### Choir a-capella

**Aleotti, Raffaella (c. 1570-after 1646) – Italy –**

*Angelus ad pastores ait*

SSATB

Appears in *Sacred Music by Women Composers: Volume 1* (2019)

Multitude of Voyces, Edited by Christopher Shaw

ISBN 978-1-9162164-0-2

Also available on CPDL

[https://www.cpdl.org/wiki/index.php/Angelus\\_ad\\_pastores\\_ait\\_\(Raffaella\\_Aleotti\)](https://www.cpdl.org/wiki/index.php/Angelus_ad_pastores_ait_(Raffaella_Aleotti))

*Facta est cum angelo*

SATB

Available on CPDL [https://www.cpdl.org/wiki/index.php/Facta\\_est\\_cum\\_angelo\\_\(Raffaella\\_Aleotti\)](https://www.cpdl.org/wiki/index.php/Facta_est_cum_angelo_(Raffaella_Aleotti))

**Bingham, Judith (b. 1952) – United Kingdom –**

*A Cold Spell – 5 Carols for Winter for Mixed Choir* (1988)

SSAATTBB choir

Edition Peters

EP71089

**Daley, Eleanor (b. 1955) – Canada –**

*Angelus Ad Virginem*

SATB

Alliance Music Publications AMP 0651

*Balulalow*

SATB

Alliance Music Publications AMP 0435

*Bethlehem's Star/O Sons and Daughters*

SATB

Alliance Music Publications AMP 0014

*This Blessed Christmas Night*

SATB

Alliance Music Publications AMP 0597

**Dienes-Williams, Katherine (b. 1970)**

*Christmas is here* (1985)

SSSAAA

*Adam Lay I-bounden*

SA and organ

Treble Clef Music

TC-123

*Chester Carol*  
SA

*Silent Night*  
SSSAA with soprano solo and descants  
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**Franchi, Dorothea Anne (1920-2003) – New Zealand –**

*The Oxen* (1949)  
Carol  
Words by Eileen Duggan  
SATB Choir

To borrow items or hire parts please email SOUNZ (New Zealand Centre of Music) directly at [info@sounz.org.nz](mailto:info@sounz.org.nz)

**LeFanu, Nicola (b. 1947) – United Kingdom –**

*Two Latin Carols*  
*Misterium Mirabile* (1999) *Rosa Sine Spina* (2002)  
SSA  
Edition Peters 71064 (separately 71216 and 71205)

*St Ita's Lullaby* (2004)  
SATB  
Edition Peters 72629

*Two Christmas Carols* (2019)  
SATB  
Edition Peters 73422

**MacDonald, Sarah (b. 1968) – Canada/United Kingdom –**

*The Huron Carol* (2018)  
SSAATTBB  
RSCM Press  
ISBN A3714

*Tomorrow shall be my dancing day* (2019)  
ATB  
Chichester Music Press

*Gaudete, Christus est natus* (2019)  
SATB  
Encore Publications

*The Infant King* (2020)  
SA Lower Voices  
Appears in: *Carols for Sopranos, Altos and Unison Lower Voices* (2020)  
RSCM  
ISBN: 9780854023011

*Now the green blade riseth* (2021)

SSS

Chichester Music Press

*The manger is empty* (2021)

1. *Like the snow in winter* 2. *As among broken glass* 3. *The manger is empty*

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Texts from *Collected Poems 1945-1990* are by R S Thomas (1913-2000)

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<https://www.banksmusicpublications.co.uk/kassian-choral-series/the-manger-is-empty>

*Do you hear what I hear* (forthcoming)

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Selah Publishing

**Maconchy, Elizabeth (1907-1994) – United Kingdom –**

*Carol* (1966)

High voices a capella

*The Bellman's Carol* (1985) 2'

SATB

Written for Angela Dugdale and the Broadland Singers

*On St Stephens Day* (1989)

SSA Choir a capella

Chester Music

**McDowall, Cecilia (b. 1951) – United Kingdom –**

*The Night is Still*

Flexible forces

Featured in *The Oxford Book of Flexible Carols* (2009)

Oxford University Press

ISBN 9780193364622

**Mendelssohn, Fanny (1805-1847) – Germany –**

*Gebet in der Christnacht*

SATB

Edited and adapted by Olivia Sparkhall

Appears in *Sacred Music by Women Composers: Volume 1* (2019)

Multitude of Voyces

ISBN 978-1-9162164-0-2

**Michel-Ostertun, Christiane (b. 1964) – Germany –**

*Maria, Die Hirten, Die Weisen und Ich* (Maria, the Shepherds, the Wise Men and I)

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Strube Verlag

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*Vier Weihnachtslieder* (Four Christmas Carols)

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**Panufnik, Roxanna (b. 1968) – United Kingdom –**

*Child of Heaven*

Choir A- Capella (SSSSAATTBarB)

Edition Peters

Item No.: EP73189

**Piedelievre, Paule (1902-1964) – France –**

*Suite grégorienne* (1932)

2. *Virgo dei genitri*

Éditions Combres 2013

Catalogue No.: HXP02437

**Poston, Elizabeth (1905-1987) – United Kingdom –**

*A Carol in Captivity* (1946)

SATB

*2 Carols in Memory of Peter Warlock* (1956)

SATB

*In Bethlehem Town* (1958)

SATB with optional instrumental descant

*The Boar's Head Carol* (1960)

SATB with divisi

OUP Archive X68

*Jesus Christ the Apple Tree* (1967)

SATB

Banks Publications ECS141

*Welcome, Child of Mary* (1967)

Soloists, mixed voices and chamber ensemble

*3 Scottish Carols* (1969)

Mixed voices and strings

*O Bethlehem* (no date)

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*Alleluia! A new work is come on hand* (2017)

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**Reichardt, Louise (1779-1826) – Germany –**

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SATB

Edited and adapted by Olivia Sparkhall (see below)

Appears in *Sacred Music by Women Composers: Volume 1* (2019)

Multitude of Voices, /editorially reconstructed by Olivia Sparkhall

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*Weihnachten* (1823)

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Available on IMSLP [https://imslp.org/wiki/Weihnachten \(Reichardt%2C Louise\)](https://imslp.org/wiki/Weihnachten_(Reichardt%2C_Louise))

**Rizza, Margaret (b. 1929) – United Kingdom –**

*Christus Natus Est* (1999)

Mixed choir

Kevin Mayhew 1450135

ISBN: 9781840033472

Samuel, Rhian (b. 1944)

*Two English Carols* (1969, rev. 2017)

1. Ivy 2. The Heron flew East

SATB choir

Copies available from the composer on <https://www.rhiansamuel.com/>

**Sparkhall, Olivia (b. 1976) – United Kingdom –**

*This Holy Night* (2019)

Upper voices

Chichester Music Press

**Tegnér, Alice Charlotta (1864-1943) – Sweden –**

*En hymn till stjärnan/ An anthem to the star*

SATB

Available on CPDL [https://www.cpdll.org/wiki/index.php/En\\_hymn\\_till\\_stjärnan \(Alice Tegnér\)](https://www.cpdll.org/wiki/index.php/En_hymn_till_stjärnan_(Alice_Tegnér))

(accessed August 13 2021)

**Wallach, Joelle (b. 1946) – United States –**

*Low in a manger* (2006)

Unison treble choir and organ or piano

Unpublished

*The Oxen Carol*

SATB

Unpublished

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**Wheeler, Janet (b. 1957) – United Kingdom –**

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*Because a Little Child is Born*

SATB with divisi

*Ding Dong Diggety!*

SATB with divisi and body percussion

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**Williams, Helen (b. 1969) – United Kingdom –**

*Chantons Noë! (2015)*

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A Christmas Carol to traditional French words, commissioned by Epsom Chamber Choir for the Joyeux Noël concerts of 2015 - The story is the conversation of the shepherds travelling to see the infant Jesus

Work can be downloaded from Helen's website <http://www.canossa.co.uk/HelenWilliams.html>

**Willis, Alison (b. 1971) – United Kingdom –**

*Gold and Spices (2018)*

SATB

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<http://www.alisonwillis.com/choral-sacred.html> (Accessed 15 June 2021)

**Choir with accompaniment  
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**Charrière, Caroline (1960-2018) – Switzerland –**

*Noël (2014)*

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For information and access please contact the Association of Caroline Charrière on [info@carolinecharriere.ch](mailto:info@carolinecharriere.ch)

**Daley, Eleanor (b. 1955) – Canada –**

*Christmas Morn*

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Alliance Music Publications AMP 0807

*Journey to Bethlehem*

Unison voices and piano

Alliance Music Publications AMP 0732

*Lullaby Carol*

SSA and piano

Alliance Music Publications AMP 0599

*Strange Places (Christmas Pageant)*

SATB and keyboard

Alliance Music Publications AMP 5001

*What Sweeter Music*

SSA and piano

Alliance Music Publications AMP 0443

**Dienes-Williams, Katherine (b. 1970) – New Zealand/United Kingdom –**

*The star that burnt real bright! (1984)*

SSA and piano

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**Frances-Hoad, Cheryl (b. 1980) – United Kingdom –**

*This Time is Born a Child (2014) 2'*

SATB/+ organ

Written for *En Bethlehem*, the Cadenza Music Carol Book in 2015

Chester Music Ltd (World)

**Franchi, Dorothea Anne (1920-2003) – New Zealand –**

*There rose a star*

Peace Carol

Voice and piano

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**MacDonald, Sarah (b. 1968) – Canada/United Kingdom –**

*Cherry Tree Carol* (2015)

SS and organ

Encore Publications

*The Holly and the Ivy* (2017)

SSS and organ

Encore Publications

*O Holy Night* (forthcoming)

SS and organ

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**de Marez Oyens, Tera (1932-1996) – The Netherlands –**

*Ons is geboren (Music for Christmas)*

SATB and treble recorder

**McDowall, Cecilia (b. 1951) – United Kingdom –**

*A Prayer to St John the Baptist* (2018)

SATB and organ

Oxford University Press

ISBN 9780193527836

*Angels*

SATB and organ

Cadenza Music CAZCMDAN01

EAN 5020679001127

Also featured in *En Bethlehem Carol Collectn*

Cadenza Music CAZVRCAR01

*A Heavenly Song* (2010)

SATB and organ

Featured in *Carols for Choirs 5* (2011)

Oxford University Press

ISBN 9780193377127

*Christ is the morning star* (2016)

SATB and organ

Oxford University Press

ISBN 9780193408289

*Christus Natus Est* (2007)

*I Personent hodie II Entre le boeuf III Gaudete IV Infant Holy V Angelus ad virginem*

Mixed chorus and orchestra  
Oxford University press  
ISBN 9780193358935

*Cradle Song* (2005)  
SSA and piano  
Featured in *For Him all Stars* (2006)  
Oxford University Press  
ISBN 9780193355699

*Gaude et Laetare* (2013)  
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Oxford University Press  
ISBN 9780193401495

**Nixon, June (b. 1942) – Australia –**  
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**Olive, Vivienne (b. 1950) – United Kingdom –**  
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**Poston, Elizabeth (1905-1987) – United Kingdom –**  
*Carol of the Crown* (1953)  
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*The Dormouse's Carol* (1955)  
Unison voices and piano  
Hal Leonard HX.362894  
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Novello  
ISBN 9781783059591

*The Negroes' Carol* (1957)  
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*The Lamb* (no date)  
S or T and piano  
Appears in *Sacred Music by Women Composers volume 3* (2020)  
Multitude of Voyces  
ISBN 9781916216426

**Reece-Trapp, Ghislaine (b. 1992) – United Kingdom –**  
*When Jesus Christ was yet a Child* (2019)  
SAMen anthem with organ accompaniment



The Royal School of Church Music

**Sparkhall, Olivia (b. 1976) – United Kingdom –**

*Ding Dong! Merrily on High* (2016)

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**Tegnér, Alice Charlotta (1864-1943) – Sweden –**

*Bethlehems Stjärna/Bethlehem's Star* (1893)

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Appears in *Sacred Music by Women Composers Volume 3* (2020)

Multitude of Voices

ISBN 9781916216426

**Wang, An-Ming (b. 1926) – China/United States –**

*The Christmas Gift*

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Santa Barbara Music Publishing

**Wheeler, Janet (b. 1957) – United Kingdom –**

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**Zaimont, Judith Lang (b. 1945) – United States –**

*Meditations at the time of the New Year* (1997/2007)

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**Panufnik, Roxanna (b. 1968) – United Kingdom –**

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