



# Shepshed Singers

## AUTUMN CONCERT

7.30pm

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2004  
St Botolph's Parish Church



### PROGRAMME

*Rhythm of Life*  
*Brown Eyes Blue*  
*Autumn leaves*

arr.J.Wild  
arr.A. Woods  
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Three folksongs:

arr.J.Rathbone

*The Oak and the Ash*  
*Swing Low*  
*Nine Hundred Miles*

*Irish Blessing*  
*Londonderry Air*

Bob Chilcott  
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Organ solo

*Ave verum*  
*For the Beauty of the Earth*

W.A.Mozart  
J.Rutter

### INTERVAL

*Locus iste*  
*O quam gloriosum*

A.Bruckner  
T.L.Vittoria

Organ solo

*Mangwani*

trad.African

*Downtown*

arr.A.Goff

Three folksongs:

*Water of Tyne*  
*Mairi's Wedding*  
*Sacramento*

arr.A.Woods  
arr.J.Wild  
arr.A.Woods

### Shepshed Singers

The Shepshed Singers are a group of mixed voices and have been in existence for nearly 25 years. Throughout that time they have grown in number to their current position of 45 members drawn from Shepshed, Loughborough and surrounding villages in the Charnwood area. The Shepshed Singers perform a variety of sacred & secular music by invitation from local organisations & aim to perform a major classical concert each year.

Following successful tours to The Netherlands, Belgium and Spain a group of singers will be jetting off to the Czech Republic for a tour of Prague after Easter 2005.

Andrew Goff has been Musical Director of Shepshed Singers since 1984. He is an experienced choral trainer and conductor and, after many years working in schools, is now a freelance musician. He has received conducting masterclasses with Laszlo Heltay, Ralph Alwood, Nigel Perrin and David Lawrence. He works as a composer, as well as regularly acting as a tutor to singers and conductors on behalf of the national choral organisation *Sing for Pleasure*.

Andrew has worked with local music theatre groups, is conductor of Charnwood Choral Society and is a member of the international touring choir *Sine Nomine*.