

# Vivaldi Chamber Choir – Reviews

Sir Arthur Sullivan



Festival Te Deum

“Watched the performance yesterday. Beautiful. Thank you!”

“I have just watched the first VII sections... WOW! This really is well done. This is superb job all round, with meticulous programme layout, background and notes. Everything thus far, is so thoroughly well researched and beautifully presented.”

“I just finished watching the choir... it's absolutely wonderful!!! Thank you!”

“Am blown away. It was absolutely fantastic. From the singing to the entire concert production, it was flawless!”

“Your virtual choir orchestral music has a powerful, positive effect on me. Beautifully done!”

“Really enjoyed the show last night – very well put together and inspiring.”

“The final product is amazing! I loved the sound of the choir and the images are striking. Will have to watch again to pay more attention to the music in the final movement and less to the images of the health care workers!”

“It brings out a side of Sullivan we rarely get to hear. Very moving images, especially those related to healthcare, past and present.”

“I have really been moved by the beautiful way it was presented.”

“Vivaldi Chamber Choir's *Festival Te Deum* digital production is a musical and visual delight! Being thoroughly entertained on a rainy afternoon, I enjoyed its caring message so beautifully intertwined with its artistry. The tributes to history, diversity, and health care workers brought tears to my eyes. At a time when the world is 'topsy turvy', thank you to all who made this timely presentation possible!”

“I loved it. It was so well done. The visuals were poignant, and Olesia's voice was so special I was moved to tears. The video is especially powerful, because its release coincides with the massive vaccination effort that is currently happening all around the world, and the video's historical context demonstrates how life carries on despite disease and gives us hope that we'll eventually find relief from this terrible Covid-19 virus.”

“The sound is very very good. Really nice pictures, wow! Wow, that was nice! Very well put together. That was really well done.”

“I really enjoyed the history and it was such enjoyable music!”

"Thank you for dedicating it to essential healthcare workers. We are all in this together."

“So well done. I did not know what to expect. The voices, the orchestra, the photos...AMAZING! Congratulations on your production of a delightful concert.”

“I have watched the *Te Deum* twice now and I absolutely loved it both times. It made me cry and thank you so much for including my photo. Of course I love Sullivan's music and I can hear snippets of G & S coming through in his style. I really enjoyed the photographs of the real places here in BC and of course the Health Care photos. At first I found the Victorian photos a bit too long but I enjoyed seeing them. Anyway thank you so much to you and your choir for giving this wonderful gift.”

“Just finished watching this Festival...it was beautiful, wonderful and uplifting! I was expecting the format used with your first concert but this was exceptional! CONGRATULATIONS on your Concert Production and wonderful singing abilities....”

“What a glorious concert to begin my day! I lost it many times but most especially during the final movement with the tribute to the health care workers. Such a wonderful celebration of music and beauty and service, resilience and gratitude. Thank you for both being nurses and bell ringers and dear ones. I so look forward to when the Vivaldi Choir can sing to us in the very real. In the meantime the music and the video uplift one to the skies.”

“What a creative way of presenting the *Te Deum*. It is not a work I have come across but well worth hearing. Lots of female input I notice in the credits!”

“What a performance! I can’t believe the choir is made up of amateurs. The sound is amazing! I presume the soloist is a professional, what a lovely voice she has. It all made an excellent tribute to your health workers. It was nice to see individuals named, and Captain Tom of course. Well done! I enjoyed it very much.”

“Congratulations for this chorus performance. It was unique!!! The combination of old and contemporary pictures, images and scenarios, choir voices and the solos in company of the musical instruments was awesome. I had the privilege of watching the *Festival Te Deum* the first day and today the last day of this presentation. For sure it will resonate with me for years to come. The last movement with the dedication to the health care providers was very moving and touching. They were and are heroes! Listening to the *Festival Te Deum* made my day.”

“Really nice. Very lovely music. Imagery was really nice with it. Would have liked to see photos of the choir, but the photos of healthcare workers were nice.”