

## Finchley Symphony Orchestra Concert and Rehearsal Schedule 2025-2026

<b>Concert 1 - Winter</b>	<b>Saturday 22nd November 2025, 7:30 pm</b>	
<b>Conductor – Christopher Stark</b>	<b>Trinity Church, Nether Street, Finchley, N12 7NN</b>	
Barber Souvenirs op. 28 Suite	2222 – 4330 timps +3 harp celeste strings	20'
Wagner Die Meistersinger: An Orchestral Tribute (arr. Henk de Vleider)	3222 4331 timps +4 harp strings	47'

**Thursday Rehearsals at Trinity Church, Nether Street, Finchley, N12 7NN– 7:30 to 10:00**  
with a short break for refreshments.

	<b>Date</b>	<b>Details</b>
1	18 September	
2	25 September	
3	2 October	
4	9 October	
5	16 October	
6	23 October	AGM
	30 October	Half term – no rehearsal
7	6 November	
8	13 November	
9	20 November	
	<b>22 November</b>	Rehearsal 2:30 to 5:30, Concert 7:30

<b>Concert 2</b>	<b>Saturday 13 December 2025, 7:30 pm</b>	
<b>Conductor – David Lardi</b>	<b>Trinity Church, Nether Street, Finchley, N12 7NN</b>	
<b>Joint Christmas Concert with Finchley Chamber Choir</b>		
2*2*22/221/Pk+1 plus probably a minimum of 54331 strings but more welcome.		

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	<b>Date</b>	<b>Details</b>
1	27 November	String Sectional with David Lardi
2	4 December	
3	11 December	
	<b>Concert 13 December</b>	Rehearsal times TBC, Concert – 19:30-c.21:30

*School Christmas Holidays Sat 20 December to Sun 4 January*

<b>Concert 3- Spring</b>	<b>Saturday 14 March 2026, 7:30 pm</b>	
<b>Conductor – Christopher Stark</b> <b>Soloist – Jordan Brooks</b>	<b>Trinity Church, Nether Street, Finchley, N12 7NN</b>	
Fauré: Pavane	2222 2000	6
Florence Price: Violin Concerto No.1	2222 4200 timps	24
Sam Thackray: Aphorisms for Sinfonietta	2222 2220 xyl, strings	3
Shostakovich: Symphony No. 9	3222 4231 timps and perc	27

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	<b>Date</b>	<b>Details</b>
1	15 January	
2	22 January	
3	29 January	
4	5 February	
5	12 February	
	19 February	Half-Term
6	26 February	
7	5 March	
8	12 March	
	<b>Concert – 14 March</b>	Rehearsal 2:30 to 5:30, Concert 7:30

<b>Concert 4 - Summer</b>	<b>Saturday 16 May 2026, 7:30 pm</b>	
<b>Conductor – Christopher Stark</b> <b>Soloists – Valeriy Sokolov, ???</b>	<b>Trinity Church, Nether Street, Finchley, N12 7NN</b>	
Mendelssohn: Ruy Blas	2222 – 4230 timps	7
Mozart: Sinfonia Concertante	0200 – 2000, strings: violins 1&2, violas 1&2, cellos, basses	33'
Schumann: Symphony No 4	2222 – 4230 timps strings	31

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	<b>Date</b>	<b>Details</b>
1	19 March	
2	26 March	
	28 March to 12 April	Easter Holidays – Easter Sunday 5 April
3	16 April	
4	23 April	
5	30 April	
6	7 May	
7	14 May	
	<b>Concert – 16 May</b>	Rehearsal 2:30 to 5:30, Concert 7:30

*School Easter Holidays Sat. 28 March to Sun 12<sup>h</sup> April*

<b>Concert 5 – with FCC</b>	<b>Saturday 4 July 2026, 7:30 pm</b>	
<b>Conductor – Christopher Stark</b>	<b>Trinity Church, Nether Street, Finchley, N12 7NN</b>	
Brahms: Schicksalslied	Choir + 2222 2230 timps strings	15
Mendelssohn: Mitten wir in Leben sind	Choir only	8
Mendelssohn: Heilig, heilig	Choir only	2
Vaughan Williams: Toward the Unknown Region	Choir + 3332 4331 timps harps, piano, strings	14
Dvořák: Symphony No 8	Orchestra only	

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1	21 May	
	28 May	Half term – no rehearsal
2	4 June	
3	11 June	
4	18 June	
5	25 June	
6	2 July	
	<b>Concert 4 July</b>	