

IL DIVINO CLAUDIO

Monteverdi

1567 • 2017



450th ANNIVERSARY

ADMISSION FREE

All Saints' Church, Weston Green
Esher KT10 8JL

8pm SUNDAY 14 MAY

*Retiring collection in aid of the church's re-wiring fund.
The concert will last approximately an hour and will
be followed by wine and cake!*

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The Ripieno Choir celebrates Claudio Monteverdi's 450th birthday with a collection of his

motets, madrigals, one of his four *Magnificat* settings, and extracts from a mass and from his famous 1610 *Vespers*. Monteverdi's employers considered his music so fine 'they not only paid, but thanked him too' and his contemporary musicians coined the soubriquet *il divino Claudio*. Who are we to disagree?

