James MacMillan



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ENSEMBLE AND CHAMBER WITHOUT VOICE(S)

...as others see us...

1990 25 min

for mixed ensemble

World Premiere: 05 Apr 1990

National Portrait Gallery, London, United Kingdom

Scottish Chamber Orchestra Conductor: James MacMillan

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Adam's Rib

1994-95 12 min

for brass quintet

2tpt.hn.trbn.tuba

World Premiere: 28 Mar 1995

Usher Hall, Edinburgh, United Kingdom Members of Scottish Chamber Orchestra

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Chant for John

2007 2 min

for piano quartet

pft-vln.vla.vlc

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Cumnock Fair

1999

version for piano sextet

pft-string quintet

World Premiere: 23 Mar 1999

Cumnock Academy, Ayrshire, United Kingdom musicians from Scottish Chamber Orch.

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

A Deep but Dazzling Darkness

2001-02 22 min

for solo violin, ensemble and tape

1(=picc).afl.1.1.dbcl.0-1.2.1.1-perc(2):I=vib/5cowbells/5tpl.bl/2bongos/BD/4gliss.gongs;

II=tuned gongs/tamb/SD/pedal BD/hi-hat/tam-t/watergong-harp-2pft*(II=cel)

-2vln.vla.vlc.db-tape(CD)

*Piano 2 is tuned a guarter-tone above the norm

*alternative version: with a string section (max:8.6.4.4.2)

Tech Requirements

This work requires additional technological components and/or amplification, for more information please contact <composers.uk@boosey.com>

World Premiere: 27 Mar 2003

St.Lukes, London, United Kingdom

Gordan Nikolitch, violin; London Symphony Orchestra (private performance, admission

by invitation only)

Conductor: James MacMillan

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Domus infelix est

(The house is unhappy)

2013 6 min

for SATB chorus and violin

World Premiere: 05 Oct 2014

Cumnock Tryst, Cumnock, United Kingdom

Nicola Benedetti, violin; The Sixteen

Etwas zurückhaltend

2008 15 min

for string quartet

World Premiere: 31 Mar 2010

Canongate Kirk, Edinburgh, United Kingdom

Edinburgh Quartet

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

The Exorcism of Rio Sumpúl

1989 25 min

for mixed ensemble or chamber orchestra

1(=picc).2(II=corA).2(II=bcl).1-2.0.0.0-perc(1):2timbales/2snare dr(high/low)/tam-t/bell tree/susp.cym/wind chimes/BD(with pedal)/anvil/glsp/5tom-t-strings Ensemble version reduces strings to 1.1.1.1.1

World Premiere: 28 Jan 1990 Glasgow, United Kingdom Paragon Ensemble Conductor: David Davies

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Exsultet

1998 8 min

for brass quintet and optional percussion

hn.2tpt.trbn.tuba-perc(opt):SD/bell

World Premiere: 01 Dec 1998 RSAMD, Glasgow, United Kingdom

players from the RSAMD

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Fanfare Upon One Note

2011 2 min 30 sec

for orchestral brass

4hn.3tpt.3trbn.tuba-timp.perc(2):t.bells/tam-t/SD/3tom-t

World Premiere: 03 Mar 2012

Clyde Auditorium, Glasgow, United Kingdom

BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra / National Youth Orchestra of Scotland / Royal

Conservatoire of Scot

Conductor: Donald Runnicles

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

For Max

2004 3 min

for piano quintet

pft-2vln.vla.vlc

World Premiere: 22 Jun 2004

St Magnus Cathedral, Kirkwall, Orkney, United Kingdom

Nash Ensemble

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

For Michael

2004 3 min

for piano quintet pft-2vln.vla.vlc

World Premiere: 15 Jul 2004

Pittville Pump Room, Cheltenham, United Kingdom

Aleksander Madzar/Belcea Quartet

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

For Sally

2006 4 min

for piano quintet pft-2vln.vla.vlc

World Premiere: 05 Jul 2006

Pittville Pump Room, Cheltenham, United Kingdom

Nash Ensemble

Conductor: Martyn Brabbins

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

For Sonny

2011 5 min 30 sec

for string quartet

World Premiere: 01 Mar 2012

Peterhouse, Cambridge, United Kingdom

Edinburgh Quartet

Four Little Tributes

for piano quintet or quartet

This publication comprises the works:

For Michael

For Max

For Sally

Chant for John

9790060129803 Piano Quintet / Piano Quartet (score & parts)

World Premiere: 26 Jul 2016

St Mary's Priory Church, Malton, United Kingdom

Royal Northern Sinfonia

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Fourteen Little Pictures

1997 25 min

for piano trio

oft-vln.vlo

9790060130083 Piano Trio (Score & Parts)

World Premiere: 21 May 1997

Wigmore Hall, London, United Kingdom Frankl/Pauk/Kirshbaum Piano Trio

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

The Gallant Weaver

James MacMillan, arranged by Paul Hindmarsh

1997 7 min

arranged for cornet trio and brass band

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Hirta

Traditional, arranged by James MacMillan

2016 2 min 30 sec

for strings and recorded piano

World Premiere: 24 Aug 2019 Hirta, St Kilda, United Kingdom

Nevis Ensemble

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Horn Quintet

2007 15 min

for horn and string quartet

9790060135132 Study Score - Hawkes Pocket Score

9790060135149 String (parts)

World Premiere: 09 Jul 2007

Pittville Pump Room, Cheltenham, United Kingdom

Nash Ensemble

Conductor: Richard Watkins

Intercession

1991 7 min

for 3 oboes

9790060802065 **3 Oboes or 3 Saxophones** 9790060129841 **3 Oboes or 3 Saxophones**

World Premiere: 26 Nov 1991

Art Gallery, Huddersfield, United Kingdom

Chione Oboe Trio

Ein Lämplein verlosch

2018 5 min

for string quartet

World Premiere: 17 Jun 2018

Gewandhaus, Mendelssohn-Saal, Leipzig, Germany

Gewandhaus-Quartett

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Memento

1994 4 min 30 sec

for string quartet

World Premiere: 13 Oct 1994

Merkin Concert Hall, New York, New York, United States

Kronos Quartet

Piano Trio No.2

2013 13 min 30 sec

for piano trio

vln.vlc-pft 9790060132971

World Premiere: 20 May 2014

Guildhall Banqueting Room, Bath, United Kingdom

Gould Piano Trio

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Playing the Skyline

2014 3 min

for children's string orchestra and ensemble

cl-tpt.tba-perc(1):glsp/tomt-t/BD/2susp.cym-pft-strings

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

The Road to Ardtalla

1983 15 min

for chamber sextet

fl(=picc).cl(=bcl)-hn-pft-vln.vlc

World Premiere: 06 Nov 1987

Machester University Concert Hall, Manchester, United Kingdom

Manchester University New Music Ensemble

Conductor: James MacMillan

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

String Quartet No.3

2007 25 min 30 sec

for string quartet

World Premiere: 21 May 2008

Queen Elizabeth Hall, London, United Kingdom

Takacs String Quartet

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

They saw the stone had been rolled away

1993 6 min

Fanfare for brass and percussion (alternative scoring)

2tpt.hn.2trbn.tuba-perc(2):2timbales/2bongos/5tpl.bl/2wdbl/2cowbells/t.bells/tam-t(lg)/B

D/4tom-t

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

They saw the stone had been rolled away

993 6 min

Fanfare for brass and percussion

3tpt.3trbn-perc(2):2timbales/2bongos/5tpl.bl/2wdbl/2cowbells/t.bells/tam-t(lg)/BD/4tom-t

World Premiere: 27 Aug 1993

St Giles Cathedral, Edinburgh, United Kingdom

Edinburgh Festival Ensemble Conductor: Christopher Bell

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Three Dawn Rituals

1983 9 min

for chamber ensemble

World Premiere: 02 Nov 1985

London, United Kingdom Nomos Ensemble

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Tu es Petrus

Processional

2010 1 min

for organ, brass and percussion

4tpt.3trbn-timp.perc(3):t.bells/cyms/tam-t/BD-organ

World Premiere: 18 Sep 2010

Westminster Cathedral, London, United Kingdom

London Brass

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Tuireadh

1991 22 min

for clarinet and string quartet

World Premiere: 25 Jun 1991

St Magnus Cathedral, Kirkwall, Orkney, United Kingdom

James Campbell, clarinet; Allegri String Quartet

Two Movements for Wind Quintet

1987 10 min

for wind quintet

World Premiere: 29 Jun 2007

Royal Scottish Academy of Music and Drama, Glasgow, United Kingdom

faculty ensemble

Conductor: James MacMillan

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Two Visions of Hoy

1986 9 min

for solo oboe and ensemble

fl.cl.bsn-hn-perc(1):4rototoms/marimba/tam-t/med.gong/susp.cym-vlc

World Premiere: 17 Jun 1986

Manchester University Concert Hall, Manchester, United Kingdom

Manchester University New Music Ensemble

Conductor: James MacMillan

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Untold

1987, rev.1991 7 min

for wind quintet

fl.corA.cl.bn-hn

World Premiere: 13 Sep 1988

Ayr, United Kingdom Flaxton Ensemble

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Visions of a November Spring

String Quartet No.1

1988, rev.1991 28 min

for string quartet

World Premiere: 03 May 1989

University of Glasgow Concert Hall, Glasgow, United Kingdom

Bingham String Quartet

Availability: This work is available from Boosey & Hawkes for the world

Why is this night different? String Quartet No.2 1998

22 min

for string quartet

World Premiere: 23 Apr 1998
Wigmore Hall, London, United Kingdom

Maggini Quartet