#### **LUBM 2020 Production Team**

Producer Jane Jones

Technical Director Peter Ryan

Musical Director Keith Mead

Compere Luke Drinkwater

Poster and Programme Derek Palmer

Publicity Fiona Connor and Debbie Dundas

Website Chris Blackwell and Becky Peach

Cameraman and Editor (Where's Baby Jesus?) Luke Drinkwater

CKCP Virtual Choir Alison Talbot, Joyce Parsons, Sue Drinkwater,

Carol Davies, Jane Jones, Maggie Ansell,

Geoff Ramshaw, David Brawn, Derek Palmer,

**Gwilym Davies** 

Our thanks to **Sandra Jeans** for her assistance with copyright matters

#### **Charities**

If you enjoyed our show, please consider giving to our chosen charities

Cheltenham Open Door and Cheltenham and Gloucester Hospitals Charity

via our Just Giving page link on the website

www.charltonkingscommunityplayers.com

Both charities have great need of funds to support members of our community who are experiencing stress and hardship

# **Future productions**

CKCP continue to hold regular play readings over Zoom – to receive details, please join our mailing list via the link on our website above

# **Charlton Kings Community Players**

are pleased to present

# Let Us Be Merry 2020

Our twentieth seasonal show goes digital



A Christmas celebration

Available from Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2020 via our website

www.charltonkingscommunityplayers.com

**Programme** 

Noel by H. Balfour Gardiner - played by Keith Mead

#### Twas the night before Christmas

Parodied version of 'A visit from St Nicholas' by Clement Clarke Moore Written and performed by **Luke Drinkwater** 

#### Introduction - Luke Drinkwater

#### I saw three ships

Traditional carol (Roud Folk Song Index No 700) Performed by **CKCP Virtual Choir**, accompanied by **Keith Mead** and **CKCP Musicians** with **Jane Jones** on recorder

## In Memoriam A. H. H. OBIIT MDCCCXXXIII: 106 by Alfred Lord Tennyson Performed by Martyn Fry, Sylvia Fry, Deb Masling, Joyce Parsons and Derek Palmer

Bells video by James Joynson

Leisure by W H Davies

Read by Jane Jones

Accompanied by photos taken during lockdown by Nigel & Jane Jones

## Is my team a-ploughing?

Poem by A E Housman, music by George Butterworth Performed by **Geoff Ramshaw**, accompanied by **Keith Mead** 

# The ballad of Christmas Eve by Joyce Kilmer

Read by Joyce Parsons

# **Coventry Carol**

By Robert Croo/Crowe, music by Thomas Mawdyke Performed by **Alison Talbot**, accompanied by **Keith Mead** 

The Messiah (Anon)

Performed by Peter Simpson with Derek Palmer

## **Drive the cold winter away** (Traditional)

Performed by **Puzzlejug** - Carol and Gwilym Davies, Geoff and Sue Ramshaw, Cressida Pryor & Robert Speake

**London Snow** by Robert Bridges – Read by **Jane Jones**, illustrated by photos of St Mary's Charlton Kings used with permission of the photographer Peter Ryan

#### While shepherds watched their flocks by night

By Nahum Tate, music by Lewis Pascoe

Introduction by Jane Jones

Performed by CKCP Virtual Choir accompanied by Keith Mead

#### **Christmas** by Leonard Clark

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Read by Martyn Fry

### Christmas cards by Helen Wright

Performed with permission of the author by Alison Talbot

#### Oh holy night

Midnight, Christians by Placide Cappeau, music by Adolphe Adam Performed by **Geoff Ramshaw**, accompanied by **Keith Mead** 

### Socially distanced Santa by Sylvia Fry

Read by Sylvia Fry

We singers make bold (Traditional, Roud Folk Song Index 230)

Performed by Puzzlejug - Carol and Gwilym Davies,

Geoff and Sue Ramshaw, Cressida Pryor & Robert Speake

### The Holly and the Ivy

Traditional, (Roud Folk Song Index No. 514)

Performed by Alison Talbot accompanied by Keith Mead

## Where's baby Jesus?

By Michelle Fogg, http://www.richmondparkchurch.org.uk

Performed by Deb Masling, Sue Drinkwater, Fiona Connor and Jane Jones

Filmed by Luke Drinkwater

# A Merry Christmas by Frances Ridley Havergal

Read by Joyce Parsons

Silent Night by Joseph Mohr, music by Franz Xaver Gruber

Performed by CKCP Virtual Choir, accompanied by Keith Mead

#### Credits

Accompanied by Noel by H Balfour Gardiner - played by Keith Mead