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Sheldonian Theatre, Oxford

Saturday 4 July 2009 7.30pm

City of Oxford Choir

Ildiko Allen soprano

Daniel Auchincloss tenor

Alexander Ashworth baritone

Baroque ensemble **Interplay**

Conducted by **Duncan Aspden**

Chandos Anthems

(Let God Arise; O Praise the Lord)

The Arrival of the Queen of Sheba

Anthems by Boyce, Croft and Greene



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Tickets £18 and £10 (concessions £16 and £8) from Tickets Oxford  
on 01865 305305 or at the door on the night (subject to availability).

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It is 250 years since the death of Handel. In the elegant surroundings of the Sheldonian Theatre, where Handel himself played, the City of Oxford Choir will perform some of his finest music – large-scale anthems written for the Duke of Chandos – along with anthems by his English contemporaries Boyce, Croft and Greene.

The choir will be joined by leading young soloists, whose Handel performances have been acclaimed in concert and on stage, on both CD and DVD recordings, and by Interplay, a team of specialist baroque players. This will be an evening of pomp, celebration and Georgian refinement.