

# SING RENAISSANCE POLYPHONY!

Music from Scotland, England and mainland Europe found in the Thomas Wode Partbooks



The Wode Psalter Project and Edinburgh University Renaissance Singers, with the support of the Early Music Forum of Scotland, invites you to take part in a workshop marking the re-uniting of the eight surviving partbooks, copied by Thomas Wode between 1562 and 1592, in the exhibition 'Singing the Reformation' at Edinburgh University Main Library. There will be an opportunity to view the exhibition during the Edinburgh workshop. The workshops will provide the chance to sing both sacred and secular music, including rounds, by composers such as David Peebles, Jean Maillard and others. This is music which was known and performed in Scotland in the late 16th and early 17th centuries.

The workshop is aimed at competent choral singers who are, for example, capable of holding a line on their own. Because of space we have to limit this workshop to 40 singers and we reserve the right to refuse applications to obtain a satisfactory balance of forces. Early booking is advisable.

**Alan Tavener** directs the Scottish professional vocal ensemble, **Cappella Nova**, which has performed and recorded music from the Wode Partbooks. **Rebecca Tavener** (soprano) is director of the Scottish vocal ensemble, **Canty**. Both have extensive experience in directing vocal workshops.

## Choral Workshops with Alan and Rebecca Tavener of Cappella Nova

Alison House, 12 Nicolson Square, Edinburgh  
Saturday 29th October 2011, 10.00 am – 4.30 pm

Barony Hall, 1 Mcleod St., Glasgow  
Saturday 19th November 2011, 10.00 am – 4.30 pm

Cost: £15; concessions £12 (pensioners, unemployed); full time students free.  
Refreshments at breaks are included but lunch is not (please feel free to bring a packed lunch).

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Please complete the booking form on the reverse.

# Booking form

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Address

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Voice (S,A,T,B)

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Please send the completed form, with your cheque (made out to EURS) to:

Dr. Noel O'Regan  
Reid School of Music  
University of Edinburgh  
Alison House  
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Please enclose a SAE if you require a postal receipt.

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