

## CONCERTS 2008

### JAN

Date: **Tuesday 1st January 2008 - 7.30 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **St. Joseph Catholic Church Choir – USA**  
Program: M. Praetorius, J. Martin, M. Reger and other sacred music composers

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Date: **Tuesday 1st January 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Eustachio, Piazza S. Eustachio - Rome  
Choir: **St. Henry District Chamber High School Choir – USA**  
Program: sacred choir music

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Date: **Sunday 20th January 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **St. Frances de Chantal & St. Theresa Chorale – USA**  
Program: A. Vivaldi, J. Rutter, J. Stainer and other sacred music composers

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### FEB

Date: **Sunday 3rd February 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Church Choir – USA**  
Program: W. A. Mozart, H. L. Hassler, G. P. da Palestrina and other sacred music composers

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Date: **Sunday 17th February 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **Combined Choirs of St. Michael & St. Andrew – USA**  
Program: O. Pitoni, F. Mendelssohn, H. L. Hassler and other sacred music composers

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Date: **Saturday 23rd February 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **The Choir of St. Alban's Episcopal Church – USA**  
Program: B. Britten, F. Poulenc, S. Rachmaninoff and other sacred music

composers

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Date: **Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2008 - 7.00 pm**  
Place : Church S. Maria Maggiore, Piazza Vescovado - Assisi  
Choir: **The Choir of St. Alban's Episcopal Church – USA**  
Program: B. Britten, F. Poulenc, S. Rachmaninoff and other sacred music composers

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## **MAR**

Date: **Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **College of Saint Mary Chorus / Musica Sacra – USA**  
Program: sacred choir music

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Date: **Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **Combined Church Choirs of St. Joan of Arc & St. Aloysius - USA**  
Program: sacred choir music

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Date: **Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2008 - 7.30 pm**  
Place : Anglican Church of St. Mark, Via Maggio 18 – Florence  
Choir: **College of Saint Mary Chorus / Musica Sacra – USA**  
Program: sacred choir music

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Date: **Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> March 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **St. Austin Catholic Church Choir – USA**  
Program: sacred choir music

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Date: **Saturday, 29<sup>th</sup> March 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **Police Choir of Frankfurt am Main – Germany**  
Program: Gospels, L. Boëllmann, F. Schubert and other sacred music composers

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## APR

Date: **Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Upper Basilica of St. Francis – Assisi  
Choir: **The Choirs of St. Mary Help of Christians – USA**  
Program: G. Rossini, G. B. Pergolesi, C. Saint-Saëns and other sacred music composers

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Date: **Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Eustachio, Piazza S. Eustachio - Rome  
Choir: **The Cecilian Choir - Scotland**  
Program: sacred choir music

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Date: **Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> April 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **The Choirs of St. Mary Help of Christians – USA**  
Program: G. Rossini, G. B. Pergolesi, C. Saint-Saëns and other sacred music composers

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Date: **Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **All Saints Pilgrimage Choir- USA**  
Program: D. Haas, B. Farrell, M. L. Lightfoot and other sacred music composers

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Date: **Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> April 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Eustachio, Piazza S. Eustachio - Rome  
Choir: **St. Joseph on the Brandywine Church Choir – USA**  
Program: J. S. Bach, A. Lotti, J. Stainer and other sacred music composers

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**Concert organized by the Accademia Nazionale di Santa Cecilia under the patronage of the Fondazione Pro Musica e Arte Sacra**

Date: **Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Lorenzo in Lucina, Piazza S. Lorenzo in Lucina - Rome  
Choir: **Choir of the Accademia Nazionale Santa Cecilia**

Conductor: **Filippo Maria Bressan**

Program: A. Pärt, F. Mendelssohn-Bartholdy, A. Bruckner, J. Brahms, J. Rheinberger

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Date: **Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> April 2008 - 9.00 pm**

Place : Basilica S. Eustachio, Piazza S. Eustachio - Rome

Choir: **Högalid Choir and Chamber Orchestra – Sweden**

Program: sacred choir music

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## **MAY**

Date: **Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2008 - 8.30 pm**

Place : Church St. Paul's within the Walls, Via Nazionale - Rome

Choir: **Högalid Choir and Chamber Orchestra – Sweden**

Program: sacred choir music

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Date: **Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> May 2008 - 9.00 pm**

Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome

Choir: **Högalid Choir and Chamber Orchestra – Sweden**

Program: sacred choir music

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Date: **Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2008 - 9.00 pm**

Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome

Choir: **Poppenbüttel Choir (Hamburg) – Germany**

Program: W. A. Mozart, F. Schubert, J. S. Bach, J. Rheinberger, B. Britten and other sacred music composers

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Date: **Friday 30<sup>th</sup> May 2008 - 9.00 pm**

Place : Basilica SS. Giovanni e Paolo, Campo SS. Giovanni e Paolo - Venice

Choir: **Neckarbischofsheim High School Youth Choir (170 singers) - Germany**

Program: sacred choir music

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Date: **Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> May 2008 - 9.00 pm**

Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome

Choir: **International Choir of Frankfurt – Germany**

Program: Gioachino Rossini, Petite Messe Solennelle

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## **JUN**

Date: **Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2008 - 7.00 pm**

Place : Church Saints Michele and Gaetano, Piazza Antinori - Florence

Choir: **Fort Worth Country Day Festival Chorus – USA**

Program: M. Hogan, B. Hurd, Spiritual and other sacred music composers

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Date: **Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2008 - 9.00 pm**

Place : Church S. Stefano al Ponte Vecchio, Piazza S. Stefano - Florence

Choir: **Georgetown Visitation Preparatory School Choir – USA**

Program: A. Vivaldi, J. S. Bach, E. Daley and other sacred music composers

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Date: **Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2008 - 7.00 pm**

Place : Place to be determined – Barcelona (Spain)

Choir: **Reykjavik Boys Choir– Iceland**

Program: choir music

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Date: **Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> June 2008 - 9.00 pm**

Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome

Choir: **Fort Worth Country Day Festival Chorus – USA**

Program: M. Hogan, B. Hurd, Spiritual and other sacred music composers

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Date: **Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> June 2008 - 7.30 pm**

Place : Church Santa Maria del Pi, Plaça del Pi – Barcelona (Spain)

Choir: **Reykjavik Boys Choir– Iceland**

Program: sacred choir music

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Date: **Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> June 2008 - 9.00 pm**

Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome

Choir: **Georgetown Visitation Preparatory School Choir – USA**

Program: A. Vivaldi, J. S. Bach, E. Daley and other sacred music composers

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Date: **Friday 27<sup>th</sup> June 2008 – 9.00pm**  
Place : Upper Basilica of St. Francis – Assisi  
Choir: **St. Rose of Lima Church Choir– USA**  
Program: sacred choir music

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## **JUL**

Date: **Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Eustachio, Piazza S. Eustachio - Rome  
Choir: **La Psallete de Genève Choir– Switzerland**  
Program: Gioachino Rossini, Petite Messe Solennelle

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Date: **Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Eustachio, Piazza S. Eustachio - Rome  
Choir: **The Choir of St. Philomena’s Catholic High School for Girls – Great Britain**  
Program: sacred choir music

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Date: **Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> July 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Upper Basilica of St. Francis – Assisi  
Choir: **The Choir of St. Philomena’s Catholic High School for Girls – Great Britain**  
Program: sacred choir music

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### **IV INTERNATIONAL SACRED MUSIC CHOIR FESTIVAL Rome and the Vatican City July 18<sup>TH</sup> - 20<sup>TH</sup>, 2008**

Choirs: **Austria:** Vokalissimo Chamber Choir  
**Cyprus:** PASYDY Mixed Choir  
**Greece:** Armonia of Preveza Children’s Choir  
**Greece:** Choir of the Hellenic Ministry of Culture  
**Italy:** Charlie’s Gospel Angels  
**Czech Republic:** Fons Chamber Choir  
**Romania:** Appassionato Choir  
**Spain:** Tomás Luis de Victoria Chamber Choir

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Date: **Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2008 - 8.30 pm**

Place: Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **All the Choir**  
Program: Sacred music from all over the world

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Date: **Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2008 - 10.00 am**  
**Parade**  
Route: Largo Argentina, Minerva, Pantheon, S. Ignazio  
Choir: **All the Choir**  
Program: Popular and folkloric music

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Date: **Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2008 - 6.30 pm**  
Place: Open air concert, Piazza De Umberto I – Nemi (Rome)  
Choir: **PASYDY Mixed Choir - Cyprus**  
**Choir of the Hellenic Ministry of Culture – Greece**  
**Armonia of Preveza Children's Choir - Greece**  
Program: Popular and folkloric music

*Under the patronage of the City of Nemi*



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Date: **Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2008 – 11.30 am**  
Place: Santa Susanna Church, Largo S. Susanna - Rome  
Choir: **Charlie's Gospel Angels - Italy**  
Program: Sacred music

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Date: **Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2008 – 6.45 pm**  
Place: Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **Armonia of Preveza Children's Choir - Greece**  
Program: Sacred music

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Date: **Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2008 – 7.30 pm**  
Place: Open air concert, Piazza Martiri della Libertà – Poggio Mirteto

Choir: **Vocalissimo Chamber Choir – Austria**  
**Appassionato Choir - Romania**

Program: Popular and folkloric music

*Under the patronage of the City of Poggio Mirteto*  
*In cooperation with the Pro Loco*



PRO-LOCO POGGIO MIRTETO

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Date: **Sunday 20th July 2008 – 9.00 pm**

Place: Basilica S. Eustachio, Piazza S. Eustachio - Rome

Choir: **Tomás Luis de Victoria Chamber Choir – Spain**  
**Fons Chamber Choir - Czech Republic**

Program: Sacred music

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Date: **Saturday 26th July 2008 - 9.00 pm**

Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome

Choir: **Germania 1897 Neckarhausen Choral Association – Germany**

Program: Schubert, Beethoven, Cherubini and other sacred music composers

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Date: **Wednesday 30th July 2008 - 9.00 pm**

Place : Basilica S. Eustachio, Piazza S. Eustachio - Rome

Choir: **Canisius College Contemporary Music Ensemble – USA**

Program: Haas, Schutte, Hillebrand and other sacred music composers

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## SEP

Date: **Wednesday 3rd September 2008 - 9.00 pm**



Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **1981 Wolfgang Tropf Choral Association – Germany**  
Program: Schubert, Gluck, Maierhofer, Tropf and other sacred music composers

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Date: **Saturday 13th September 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **Mission Basilica San Diego de Alcala Pilgrimage Choir – USA**  
Program: Mozart, Sibelius, Rutter and other sacred music composers

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**X INTERNATIONAL FOLKSONG CHOIR FESTIVAL**  
**"EUROPE AND ITS SONGS" Barcelona, Spain**  
**September 24TH - 28TH, 2008**  
**President: Dr. Hans Urrigshardt**

Choirs: SPD Jedinstvo Mixed Choir, **Bosnia and Herzegovina**  
Gusla Choir, **Bulgaria**  
Klapa Dišpet, **Croatia**  
Klapa Braciera, **Croatia**  
Pärnu Chamber Choir, **Estonia**  
Türnpu Male Choir, **Estonia**  
Vanalinna Segakoor, **Estonia**  
Vene Koorikapell, **Estonia**  
Sommelo Choir, **Finland**  
Belcanto Linsengericht Choir, **Germany**  
Altre Note Choir, **Italy**  
Armonia Choir, **Italy**  
Il Coretto dei Pinguini, **Italy**  
Officium Schola Cantorum, **Italy**  
Polifonico Farnesiano Choir, **Italy**  
Sant'Alene de Tula Choir, **Italy**  
Voches' e Ammentos de Garteddi Choir, **Italy**  
Saldava Choir, **Latvia**  
Accademical Choir of Lublin Environment University, **Poland**  
Amicii della Musica Choir, **Romania**  
Lel Choir, **Russia**  
Choir of Srpsko Zanatlijsko Pevacko Društo "Neven", **Serbia**

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**Opening Concert**

Date: **Wednesday September 24th, 2008 – 8.30 pm**  
Place: Church S. Maria del Pi – Barcelona  
Choir: **All choirs**

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**Performance-FESTIVAL category**

Date: **Thursday September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2008 – 11.00 am**  
Place: Church S. Maria del Pi – Barcelona  
Choir: **Choirs in FESTIVAL category**

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**Open air Concerts**

Date: **Thursday September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2008 – 5.00 pm**  
Place: Plaça del Rey – Barcelona  
Choir: **All choirs**

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**I Part of the Competition**

Date: **Thursday September 25<sup>th</sup>, 2008 – 5.00 pm**  
Place: Church S. Maria del Pi – Barcelona  
Choir: **All choirs**

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**Open air Concerts**

Date: **Friday September 26<sup>th</sup>, 2008 – 5.30 pm**  
Place: Plaça del Rey – Barcelona  
Choir: **All choirs**

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**II Part of the Competition**

Date: **Friday September 26<sup>th</sup>, 2008 – 8.00 pm**  
Place: Church S. Maria del Pi – Barcelona  
Choir: **All choirs**

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**Parade**

Date: **Saturday September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2008 – 10.00 am**  
Place: Plaça Catalunya- Church S. Maria del Pi – Barcelona  
Choir: **All choirs**

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**Announcement of the winners, prize awarding ceremony, final concert**

Date: **Saturday September 27th, 2008 – 11.30 am**  
Place: Church S. Maria del Pi – Barcelona  
Choir: **All choirs**

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Date: **Monday 29th September 2008 – 8.30 pm**  
Place : Gries Parish Church, Piazza Gries - Bolzano  
Choir: **Hösel Children Choir– Germany**  
**Leonhard Lechner Choir - Italy**  
Program: Franck, Mozart, Kodaly, Chilcott and other sacred music composers

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Date: **Wednesday 1st October 2008 - 8.30 pm**  
Place : Church S. Antonio Abate e S. Nicolò, Via Pietralba, 58 – Laives (BZ)  
Choir: **Hösel Children Choir– Germany**  
Program: Elgar, Mozart, Franck and other sacred music composers

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Date: **Saturday 11th October 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **Motettenchor Königstein – Germany**  
Program: Bach, Haydn, Mendelssohn-Bartholdy and other sacred music composers

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Date: **Wednesday 22nd October 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Eustachio, Piazza S. Eustachio - Rome  
Choir: **Bach Choir – Germany**  
Program: Ein Deutsches Requiem, Johannes Brahms

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Date: **Sunday 26th October 2008 – 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **Coro del Vicariato Vaticano and Orchestra Pessoa**  
Program: Raimondi, Bartolucci, Palestrina, Mozart and other sacred music composers

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## NOV

Date: **Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **St. Andrew Apostle Church Choir – USA**  
Program: Mozart, Händel, da Victoria and other sacred music composers

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Date: **Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **St. Robert of Newminster Parish Choir – USA**  
Program: Rutter, Webber, Palestrina and other sacred music composers

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## **DEC**

Date: **Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> December 2008 - 9.00 pm**  
Place : Basilica S. Ignazio, Piazza S. Ignazio - Rome  
Choir: **St. James Church Choir - Stati Uniti**  
Program: Palestrina, Viadana, Thomson and other sacred music composers

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