

To everyone in Gloucester Diocese who is interested in the music sung in church services.

The Royal School of Church Music (RSCM) is running a number of workshops (in different areas) called 'Lift Up Your Voice' (LUYV). These are concerned with congregational and instrumental music in church. They will be of particular interest to churches with limited musical resources, but are intended also to inspire churches to involve congregations (as well as their choirs) more in contributing to uplifting worship.

Attractive and user-friendly music for the Eucharist, from Taize and Iona, worship songs and material aimed primarily at children will all be included.

NB (very valuable!) if your church is, or becomes, affiliated to the RSCM, you will be able to download these musical resources from the LUYV section of the RSCM website, and use them **FREE** ; in some cases, your congregation can learn the music easily by rote from a leader.

Your local workshop is to be on Saturday, 18th May 2pm-5pm, led by Fiona Brown; registration from 1.30pm onwards in St Mary's Church, Charlton Kings, as advertised on the RSCM website <https://bit.ly/2FmAyRH>

You can read more about LUYV here <https://bit.ly/2H6fj9l>

We hope to see you there! If you are planning to attend, please return the form below **by May 1st**. Please bring an instrument if you play one!

Cost: £15, to include tea and cake.

RSCM Lift Up Your Voice workshop

**Saturday, 18th May 2-5pm (registration from 1.30pm)
at St Mary's Church, Charlton Kings, GL53 8JQ**

Name.....

I will be attending the above workshop.

Please indicate whether you will be bringing an instrument to play, and if so what instrument!

I will bring £15 on the day (cash, or cheque made out to RSCM Gloucestershire)

Signed.....

**Please return this form by MAY 1st to Fiona Brown at
fmb_soundmatters@gmail.com or**

12 Ash Close, Charlton Kings, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire, GL53 8PW

