

Loreto College Hallelujah Chorus - Massed Choir Information

Thank you so much for expressing interest in joining this choir. The school has received such an amazing response from past pupils regarding this virtual choir opportunity. Your participation will bolster our current students and inspire them to re-connect with their music during Term Four.

Here is the link to the materials needed for steps 1-4: https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1Br9OcWvxWxtvBogG4rXnmmN9koqcLdKY?usp=sharing

Steps 1-4

- **1. Learn your music:** Direction for Singers PDF which includes links to YouTube videos to help you learn you part (select the part you are most comfortable singing).
- 2. Optional: Sheet music for anyone wishing to use it (it is in the YouTube video too).
- **3. Film your performance:** Filming tutorial video We are going try filming differently than suggested in the Direction for Singers so follow the tutorial video (it will end up a bit darker than it looks when you are filming it so please keep this in mind).
- **4. Upload Performance:** Use the folders to upload your finished video. Whilst you should be able to access the folder by clicking on it, I believe you need a google account to be able to upload your video (please save the video as your name and part)

Other important details:

- When singing please follow the lead voice in the YouTube video as closely as possible, paying particular attention to articulation, dynamics and cut-offs.
- Please don't be too critical of your singing. It never sounds that great with just the voice and no
 accompaniment. Remember your sound will be blended with lots and lots of voices, it won't stand out.
- VIDEO SUBMISSIONS MUST BE SUBMITTED BY 10PM ON WEDNESDAY NOVEMBER 3. If you don't manage a submission, that is ok too. Sometimes things don't go as planned.
- Help is always available. Send an e-mail to Simone Jans (sjans@loreto.vic.edu.au) if you required assistance
- Always think of the final product. It will be worth it! To be premiered on YouTube and the College's social media pages on the evening of Tuesday November 30.

Please note: There is always the potential for technical issues to arise when editing a virtual choir. Previously we have had a small number of videos which were impossible to sync. If this occurs we will not be able to include this video, however, we will ensure all participants are recognised in the credits.