THE MIDLAND SINFONIA
Professional Orchestra
reaching out to the Heart of England

Unless otherwise stated all concerts are held at:
St. Laurence Church, Alvechurch B48 7SB

Saturday 3 October 2026 @ 7.30pm
'Musical Families'
including Gershwin, Suk, Dvořák and Schumann

A programme exploring musical talents within families.

Celebrating the musical collaboration between brothers George and Ira Gershwin; the deep respect between in-laws Antonín Dvořák and Josef Suk; and the inspiring and supportive roles of husband and wife duo Clara and Robert Schumann.

Saturday 5 December '26 @ 7.30pm
'A Christmas Greeting'
featuring strings and female choir

TMS welcomes in the Christmas Season with an eclectic selection of traditional and modern music.

We are pleased to include a medley from *Frozen,* music from *The Messiah,* Corelli's *Christmas Concerto*, the Ukrainian *Carol of the Bells* and Elgar's part songs *A Christmas Greeting* and *The Snow.*

Saturday 12 December '26 @ 3pm
Christmas Family Concert
St George's Church, Worcester WR1 1UG

featuring The Nutcracker

A magical and fun-filled seasonal afternoon of music for all the family. We will include the wonderful story of *The Nutcracker* set to music by Tchaikovsky.

Saturday 13 February 2027 @ 7.30pm
'In the Mood'
Alvechurch Village Hall B48 7JX

music from the stage & movies

A precursor for Valentine's Day – join us for a relaxed lounge-style concert on National Kiss Day!

Music to include: Glenn Miller's *In the Mood,* Elgar's *Salut d'amour, My Funny Valentine* by Rodgers & Hart and also there's an opportunity for audience requests.

Saturday 13 March '27 @ 7.30pm
Annual Quiz & Supper Evening
our annual fund-raiser in The Ark

A general knowledge quiz, and a fish & chip supper with bags of fun – what more could you want!

Teams of up to six with singles accommodated. There's also a full bar (corkage fee for own bottles).

Absolutely essential to book for this very popular event – please see website.

Sunday 21 March '27 @ 3pm
Young Musicians' Showcase

Preceded at 2pm by an informative and inspiring 'Masterclass' offering valuable advice on performance and technique.

A wonderful opportunity for young musician's aged up to 16-years-old to gain real experience of performing to an appreciative audience – now in its 17th year!

Schoolteachers and those interested in participating, please contact TMS.

A free concert – all welcome

Saturday 24 April '27 @ 7.30pm
'An English Idyll'
St Martin's in the Cornmarket, Worcs. WR1 2DJ

featuring Delius, Holst, Parry and Elgar

An evening of beautiful idyllic music celebrating the patron saint of England – St George.

The orchestra will perform works by a number of well-known English composers including Elgar, Holst, Delius, Purcell/Britten, Parry and Adelina de Lara.

Saturday 8 May '27 @ 3pm
Once Upon a Time Family Concert
featuring Cinderella by Prokofiev

Dress as your favourite fairy tale character and enjoy a fun-filled afternoon of music suitable for all the family.

The afternoon will include the story of *Cinderella* set to music by Prokofiev.

Saturday 26 June '27 @ 7.30pm
'Italian Serenade'
We are delighted to be part of the Bromsgrove Festival '27

Get your ice-creams ready and join us for our Italian extravaganza. Leading the charge is Hugo Wolf's effervescent *Italian Serenade* with music by Puccini, Respighi, Ennio Morricone and Rossini completing the programme. Ah, but no ice-cream is complete without a very special flake in the form of *O Sole Mio*!