

COMPOSER IN RESIDENCE: STEPHEN GLASS THURSDAY 17 - SUNDAY 20 NOVEMBER



We are delighted to welcome Stephen Glass for an extended weekend of learning and singing together. Stephen is an internationally renowned composer and director of choirs. The weekend will include: a **presentation and discussion on Thursday evening**, exploring the history, diversity, and importance of Jewish liturgical music; a **special Shabbat morning service**, as we celebrate our choral musical tradition; and a **Sunday afternoon masterclass-in-concert** celebrating the diversity of musical traditions that has defined Alyth's prayer life over the last 90 years and will do so into the future.

Amazing Jewish Liturgical Music Thursday 17 November, 19:30-21:00

As part of our new series on Jewish music, join us for a very special presentation and discussion exploring the history, diversity, and importance of Jewish liturgical music. Stephen Glass will teach us as we explore our rich musical inheritance. The evening will include recordings, demonstrations at the piano and some sung pieces.

Refreshments will be served. Please [click here](#) to let us know that you will be coming.

Shabbat Morning Service Saturday 19 November, 10:30

Alyth is rightly proud of our choral tradition, brought to our Shabbat morning service by our dedicated volunteer choir. On this Shabbat morning, we will celebrate this music and repertoire, together with Stephen Glass and the Alyth Synagogue Choir. This morning will include a new composition, being sung at Alyth for the first time.

Masterclass-in-Concert Sunday 20 November, programme begins at 14:30

As Alyth approaches its 90th anniversary, a masterclass-in-concert showcasing the diversity of musical traditions that has defined our communal prayer life over the last 90 years and will do so into the future. Come prepared to join your voice with ours.

Afternoon tea will be served. Please [click here](#) to let us know that you will be coming.

This event is the first in a series of Alyth Composers and Songwriters in Residence, a programme made possible in memory of Raymond and Joy Goldman.