

Prom Praise, 2011



Edward Betham Church of England Primary School will be participating in the 2011 Prom Praise for schools at the Royal Albert Hall on Tuesday 15th March, from 6pm to 8pm.

The theme for the 2011 project is 'Amazing Grace'. Inspired by the 200th anniversary of the National Schools, the programme will reflect 200 years of educating London school children, through word and music. The evening will see key characters in its history, such as John Newton and Joshua Watson, brought to life to tell their part in the story and how, motivated by that Amazing Grace, they built schools, sheltered the outcasts and served the life of London.

The music will reflect many of the diverse communities involved in that story right up to the present day and will include guest appearances from Psalm Drummers and Twyford School Gospel Choir (winners of the 2009 BBC Songs of Praise Choir of the Year).

The school has already been allocated seats for pupils and staff but parents, friends and anyone at all may attend this fantastic event by purchasing tickets in the normal manner.

Tickets are available by post, in person and online from:
Royal Albert Hall Box Office, Kensington Gore, London SW7 2AP.
Open 9.00am to 9.00pm 7 days a week.

Tel: 020 7589 8212 Online: www.royalalberthall.com

Church of England schools are a vital part of the work and ministry of the Church in London. There are currently 147 Church of England schools - 131 primary schools and 16 secondary schools - in the Diocese. Together these schools educate nearly 50,000 pupils from nursery to sixth form. There are nearly twice as many primary school places than secondary school places so plans are being developed to build two more brand-new secondary schools and to expand at least three other Church of England secondary schools.

Hopefully, one of the new schools will be in Greenford!

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