

Virtual AGM



INVITATION

Join St Peter's Cathedral Music Foundation Inc.

Attend the Virtual AGM with a Musical Surprise - via zoom – 6.00pm June 21 2020

Nominate for one of the positions on the Executive Committee

**Online AGM (via zoom)
6pm Sunday 21 June 2020**

Agenda

- Welcome from the Chair
- Activities Report from the Deputy Chair
- Financial Report from the Treasurer
- Appointment of Auditor
- Nominations for the Executive Committee (Including Results of eVote if required)
- Appointment of a member to the Public Fund Committee
- Musical Interlude

Membership of the Music Foundation

Membership fees (\$10.00 per person) for the Music Foundation are due for payment before the AGM.

Relevant papers, election details (if necessary) and Zoom link will be emailed to all members whose subscription is paid up by Sunday 14 June 2020.

Please use the following link to join up and pay your membership fee:

<https://www.trybooking.com/BJTMN>

The AGM elects up to five members of the Executive Committee annually for a one year term. Paid-up members wishing to stand for election are invited to email events@stpeters-cathedral.org.au no later than 5pm Sunday 14 June.

Current Music Foundation Executive Committee

Patrons (five year appointment – renewable)
Pauline Brooks (2020), Michael Burden (2015)
Stephen Watkins (2014)

Chair
The Dean, Frank Nelson

Elected at the 2019 Music Foundation AGM (up to five annually)
Penny Bowen (Deputy Chair), Marijke Mellor, Tim Neill, Richard Sawers, Ross Sweet

Cathedral Council Appointees (up to seven annually)
Kevin Stracey (Treasurer), Jenny Wilson

Non-voting Attendees
Director of Music – Anthony Hunt, Cathedral Organist – David Heah

St Peter's Cathedral Music Foundation Inc. - Background

Since its foundation in 1994 the Music Foundation has supported excellence, beauty and innovation in the sacred music of St Peter's Cathedral and beyond.

The Music Foundation is a Tax-Deductible Gift Recipient, and raises funds largely via donations to:

- support the ongoing provision of sacred music, ancient and modern, in St Peter's Cathedral.
- provide choral and organ scholarships
- purchase new choral and organ music
- contribute to the costs of long term provision and care for musical instruments (especially the organ)

In recent years the Music Foundation has made a generous annual grant of \$30,000 to the Cathedral's overall music budget. In addition the Music Foundation continues to offer scholarships, and makes grants for special music events in the life of the Cathedral (such as those on Good Friday).

The Music Foundation played a major role in the successful fund-raising for the restoration of the Cathedral Organ, completed in 2018. In 2019 the Music Foundation made possible two very special Festival 150 events: Benjamin Britten's St Nicolas, and the visit and concerts by international organist Thomas Trotter.

You can help ensure music at St Peter's Cathedral continues to be excellent, beautiful and innovative by joining St Peter's Cathedral Music Foundation. Meanwhile, if you wish to make a Tax-Deductible donation via electronic banking, please use the following bank details:

BSB	305-122
Account number	0256077
Account Name	St Peter's Cathedral Music Foundation Inc.
Reference	Your name

God bless and thank you. See you soon on Zoom.

The Very Reverend Frank Nelson

28 May 2020