

Polyhymnia Repertoire, Fall-Winter 2026

A Cornish Wassail Song	Imogen Holst 1907-1984
This Have I Done for My True Love, Op. 34, No. 1	Gustav Holst 1874-1934
My Sweetheart's Like Venus	Imogen Holst
The Cobbler	
Heart Not So Heavy as Mine	Elliott Carter 1908-2012
Set Me as a Seal Upon Thine Heart	William Walton 1902-1983
The Lamb	John Tavener 1944-2013
Musicians Wrestle Everywhere	Elliott Carter
Nachyevala tuchka zalataya (The Golden Cloud Did Sleep)	Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky 1840-1893
Legenda (The Crown of Roses)	
Dostojno est' (It is Truly Meet)	
Tis Not the Cuckoo in the Damp Pinewood	
Four Songs of Mary	Bohuslav Martinů 1890-1959
The Annunciation	
A Dream	
Our Lady's Breakfast	
The Virgin Mary's Picture	
Swansea Town, Op. 36b, No. 6	Gustav Holst

Scores

Five of these pieces have been done by Polyhymnia before, two of them before my time and probably most of yours as well. The scores for Holst's This Have I Done for My True Love (done June 2014) and Carter's Heart Not So Heavy as Mine (June 2017) are the same as used before, so you are welcome to use your old copies if you sang them then (and if you can find where you put them).

Wendy has set up a place on the Polyhymnia website to use for this season's PDF's. Here's how to use it:

1. Go to <https://sites.google.com/view/polyhymniamidis> (the same site where the audio files are stored).
2. Click on "Copies of online music".
3. Download all five files.
4. As always, print them two-sided.

Note that three of the files are temporary copies and should be destroyed when the permanent ones arrive.

And here's the complete list of repertoire, including links to the three pieces on the CPDL website:

Imogen Holst	A Cornish Wassail Song – <i>on Polyhymnia website</i>
Gustav Holst	This Have I Done for My True Love https://www.cpd.org/wiki/images/3/3b/Ws-hols-thi.pdf
Gustav Holst	My Sweetheart's Like Venus – <i>on order</i>
Imogen Holst	The Cobbler – <i>on Polyhymnia website</i>
Elliott Carter	Heart Not So Heavy as Mine – <i>on order</i>
William Walton	Set Me as a Seal Upon Thine Heart – <i>on order</i>
John Tavener	The Lamb – <i>on order</i>
Elliott Carter	Musicians Wrestle Everywhere – <i>on Polyhymnia website</i>

Tchaikovsky

Legenda (The Crown of Roses)

https://www.cpd.org/wiki/images/b/b9/Roses_mrm.pdf

Dostojno est' (It is Proper) 9SP #5 – *on Polyhymnia website*

Nachyevala tuchka zalataya (The Golden Cloud Did Sleep)

https://www.cpd.org/wiki/images/3/32/Utyes_%28Tchaikovsky%29.pdf

Tis Not the Cuckoo in the Damp Pinewood – *coming soon*

Bohuslav Martinů Four Songs of Mary – *on order*

Gustav Holst Swansea Town – *on Polyhymnia website*