

# Christopher Diffey – TENOR

## Repertoire List

### Leonard Bernstein

- Candide** **Role: Candide**  
Volkstheater Rostock: Director Johanna Schall, Conductor Manfred Lehner 2016
- A Quiet Place** **Role: François**  
Theater Lübeck: Director Effi Méndez, Conductor Manfred Lehner 2019

### Ludwig van Beethoven

- Fidelio** **Role: Jaquino**  
Nationaltheater Mannheim 2017: Director Roger Vontoble, Conductor Alexander Soddy

### Georges Bizet

- Carmen** **Role: Don José** (*English*)  
Garden Opera: Director Saffron van Zwanenberg 2013/2014  
OperaUpClose: Director Rodula Gaitanou, April-May 2012
- El Remendado**  
Scottish Opera: Conductor David Parry, 2015 (cover)  
Melbourne City Opera: Director Blair Edgar, Conductor Erich Fackert May 2004
- Dancaïro**  
Nationaltheater Mannheim: Director Jonah Kim, Conductor Mark Rohde, 2019/20
- Le Docteur Miracle** **Role: Sylvio/Pasquin/Dr Miracle**  
Pop-Up Opera: March/April 2014

### Benjamin Britten

- Peter Grimes** **Role: Peter Grimes** (cover)  
Nationaltheater Mannheim: Conductor Alexander Soddy, Director Markus Dietz 2019/20
- A Midsummer Night's Dream** **Role: Lysander** (cover)  
Garsington Opera: Conductor Steuart Bedford, Director Daniel Slater June-July 2010

### Francesco Cavalli

- La Calisto** **Role: Pane**  
Royal Academy Opera: Dir. John Ramster, Cond. Anthony Legge, May 2008

### Gaetano Donizetti

- Don Pasquale** **Role: Ernesto** (*English*)  
English Touring Opera: Director William Oldroyd, Conductor Dominic Wheeler 2010
- Lucia di Lammermoor** **Role: Normanno**  
Nationaltheater Mannheim 2016

### Jonathan Dove

- Swanhunter** **Role: Sippy Hat/Death's Son**  
Opera North: Director Hannah Mulder, Conductor Justin Doyle April 2015

### G F Handel

- Alcina** **Role: Oronte**  
Longborough Festival Opera: Director Jenny Miller, Conductor Jeremy Silver, August 2016
- Ariodante** **Role: Odoardo**  
Dutch National Opera: Director Richard Jones, Conductor Andrea Marcon, Jan/Feb 2016  
Festival d'Aix-en-Provence: Director Richard Jones, Conductor Andrea Marcon, July 2014

## **James MacMillan**

### **Clemency**

**Role: Triplet 1**

Scottish Opera: Director Katie Mitchell, Conductor Derek Clark August/September 2012

Royal Opera Covent Garden, ROH2: Director Katie Mitchell, Conductor Clark Rundell, May 2011 (cover)

## **Claudio Monteverdi**

### **Il ritorno d'Ulisse in Patria**

**Role: Eumete**

Nationaltheater Mannheim 2017: Director Markus Bothe, Conductor Jörg Halubek

### **L'incoronazione di Poppea**

**Role: Valletto / Soldato II**

Nationaltheater Mannheim 2018: Director Lorenzo Fiorini, Conductor Jörg Halubek

## **W.A. Mozart**

### **The Abduction from the Seraglio**

**Role: Pedrillo** (*English*)

Iford Arts Opera: Director Bill Bankes-Jones, Conductor Andrew Griffiths June 2012

### **Bastien und Bastienne**

**Role: Bastien**

International Guitar Festival, Bolivar Hall London 2006

### **Idomeneo**

**Role: Gran Sacerdote**

Nationaltheater Mannheim 2016

### **Die Zauberflöte**

**Role: Tamino**

Nationaltheater Mannheim: Director Joachim Schlömer, Conductor Benjamin Reiners 2018

Theater und Orchester Heidelberg: Director Maximilian von Mayenburg, Conductor Dietger Holm 2019

### **The Magic Flute**

**Role: Second Priest/First Armed Man** (*English*)

Opera Project: Director Richard Studer, Conductor Jonathan Lyness, October 2013

Opera Holland Park: Director Simon Callow, Conductor Jane Glover, June/July 2008

### **Le Nozze di Figaro**

**Role: Don Curzio**

Royal Academy Opera: Director John Copley, Conductor Sir Colin Davis, November 2007

### **L'Oca del Cairo**

**Role: Calandrino**

London Mozart Players: Conductor David Parry, April 2016

## **Jacques Offenbach**

### **La Belle Hélène: Troy Boy**

**Role: Paris** (*English*)

Merry Opera Company: Director Kit Hesketh-Harvey, February – June 2011

### **Orpheus in the Underworld**

**Role: Orpheus** (*Deutsch*)

Nationaltheater Mannheim: Director Markus Bothe, Conductor Matthew Togood, 2019/20

**Role: Mercury** (*English*)

Scottish Opera: Director Oliver Mears, Musical Director Derek Clark, September-December 2011

### **Un Marie à la Porte**

**Role: Florestan** (cover)

European Opera Center: Dir. Bernard Rozet, Cond. Vasily Petrenko, November 2008

## **Giacomo Puccini**

### **Gianni Schicchi**

**Role: Gherardo**

Royal Academy Opera: Director Orpha Phelan, Conductor Stuart Bedford, March 2007

### **La Bohème**

**Role: Rodolfo**

Cambridge Graduate Orchestra, Conductor Mark Austin November 2013

OperaUpClose, Director Robin Norton-Hale December 2009-March 2010 \*Olivier Award winning Best New Opera

### **La Rondine**

**Role: Prunier**

Opera di Peroni: Director James Hurley, Conductor Charlie Forrest, March 2013

### **Madama Butterfly**

**Role: Goro**

Bury Court Opera: Director Julia Burbach, Conductor Simon Over March 2016

Grimeborn Festival: Director Julia Burbach, Conductor Paul Wingfield August 2015

### **Tosca**

**Role: Cavaradossi**

Opera Novella: Director Adam Miller, Conductor Bernie Lafontaine, July 2013

### Jean Philippe Rameau

#### **Dardanus**

**Role: Dardanus**

Royal Academy Opera: Director Robert Chevara, Conductor Laurence Cummings, November 2006

### Gioacchino Rossini

#### **The Barber of Seville**

**Role: Count Almaviva**

Opera Brava: Director Broniek Pomorski, Conductor Jeremy Silver, May-July 2011/2013

Garden Opera: June-September 2009

Dartington International Summer School: Director Alexander Oliver, Conductor Diego Masson, August 2007

#### **La Cenerentola**

**Role: Don Ramiro**

Landestheater Coburg February 2018

Nationaltheater Mannheim: Director Cordula Däuper, Conductor Attilio Cremonesi 2017/18

OperaUpClose: Director Emma Rivlin, December 2010 – January 2011

#### **Count Ory**

**Role: Count Ory (*English*)**

Opera South: Director Lynn Binstock, Conductor Mark Austin February 2013

#### **Maometto Secondo**

**Role: Erisso**

Volkstheater Rostock: Conductor David Parry January 18<sup>th</sup> 2015

Garsington Opera: Conductor David Parry, Director Edward Dick June-July 2013 **Condulmiero (*Erisso* – cover)**

### Dmitri Shostakovich

#### **Paradise Moscow**

**Role: Sergei (*English*)**

Royal Academy Opera: Director John Full-James, Conductor Dominic Wheeler, March 2008

### Johann Strauss II

#### **Die Fledermaus**

**Role: Dr. Blind**

Nationaltheater Mannheim 2016

Staatstheater Darmstadt March 2018

### Richard Strauss

#### **Elektra**

**Role: Junger Diener**

Nationaltheater Mannheim 2017

#### **Der Rosenkavalier**

**Role: Valzacchi**

Nationaltheater Mannheim 2017/18

### W. Gilbert & A. Sullivan

#### **HMS Pinafore**

**Role: Ralph Rackstraw**

Gilbert & Sullivan Society of Victoria 2005

#### **The Mikado**

**Role: Nanki Poo**

Opera Della Luna: Director Jeff Clarke, September 2013, Feb/Mar/Apr/Aug 2014

Gilbert & Sullivan Society of Victoria 2004

#### **Princess Ida**

**Role: Cyril**

Buxton International Gilbert & Sullivan Festival 2008

#### **Trial by jury**

**Role: Defendant**

London Operetta 2011

#### **Yeoman of the guard**

**Role: Fairfax**

Buxton International Gilbert & Sullivan Festival 2009

### Pyotr Ilyich Tchaikovsky

#### **Eugene Onegin**

**Role: Lensky (*English*)**

Opera by Definition: Director Francesca Gilpin, Conductor David McDonald, March 2006

#### **Iolanta**

**Role: Alméric**

Royal Academy Opera: Director Orpha Phelan, Conductor Stuart Bedford, March 2007

### Ambroise Thomas

#### **Mignon**

**Role: Laerte**

New Sussex Opera: Director Harry Fehr, Conductor Nicholas Jenkins, Nov 2015

## **Giuseppe Verdi**

### **Aida**

**Role: Messaggiero**

Nationaltheater Mannheim 2016

### **Falstaff**

**Role: Fenton** (*English*)

Opera Project: Director Richard Studer, Conductor Jonathan Lyness, July 2011

### **La Traviata**

**Role: Alfredo** (*English*)

Garden Opera: Director Saffron van Zwanenberg 2010-2012-2015

Opera South: Director Lynn Binstock, Conductor Mark Austin October/November 2014

Opera UK: Director Jane McCulloch November 2012

**Role: Gastone** (*English*)

Opera Project: Director Richard Studer, Conductor Jonathan Lyness, October 2010

### **Rigoletto**

**Role: Borsa (& cover Il Duca)** (*English*)

Longborough Festival Opera: Director Caroline Clegg, Conductor Gad Kadosh, July 2015

Bury Court Opera: Director Emma Rivlin, Conductor Simon Over, March 2011

Iford Arts Opera: Director John Ramster July-August 2010 (Il Duca cover)

## **Richard Wagner**

### **Die Meistersinger von Nürnberg** **Role: David**

Nationaltheater Mannheim: Director Nigel Lowery, Conductor Alexander Soddy 2018/19

Staatstheater Wiesbaden: Director Bernd Mottl, Conductor Patrick Lange 2019

### **Parsifal**

**Role: Dritte Knappe**

Nationaltheater Mannheim: Director Hans Schüler, Conductor Alexander Soddy 2018/19/20

## **Kurt Weil**

### **Aufstieg und Fall der Stadt Mahagonny** **Role: Toby Higgins**

Nationaltheater Mannheim 2017/18: Director Markus Dietz, Conductor Benjamin Reiners

# **KONZERT**

## **J.S. Bach**

**Cantata BWV146** – *Wir müssen durch viel trübsal*

**Cantata BWV182** – *Himmelskönig, sei willkommen*

**Cantata BWV198** – *Laß, Fürstin, laß noch einen Strahl*

**Christmas Oratorio** (*English*)

**Mass in A Major**

**St John Passion** (*English*)

**St Matthews Passion** - tenor arias (*English*)

## **Ludwig van Beethoven**

**Mass in C**

**9<sup>th</sup> Symphony**

## **Benjamin Britten**

**Rejoice in the lamb**

**Saint Nicholas**

**Serenade (for Tenor, Horn & Strings)**

## **Anton Bruckner**

**Mass in F Minor**

**Antonín Dvořák**

Mass in D  
Stabat Mater

**Charles Gounod**

Messe-Solennelle

**G F Handel**

Israel in Egypt  
Messiah

**Joseph Haydn**

Maria Theresa Mass  
Stabat Mater

**Gustav Mahler**

Das Lied von der Erde

**W.A. Mozart**

C Minor Mass  
Coronation Mass  
Litaniae Lauretanae in D Major (K195)  
Requiem  
Davide Penitente

**Giacomo Puccini**

Messa di Gloria

**Ariel Ramírez**

Misa Criolla

**Gioacchino Rossini**

Petite Messe-Solennelle

**Franz Schubert**

Mass in C  
Mass in G

**John Stainer**

Crucifixion

**Charles Wood**

St Mark Passion

# **LIEDER & SONG**

**Ludwig van Beethoven**

An die ferne geliebte

**Benjamin Britten**

Canticle No. 1 – *My beloved is mine and I am his*

On this island

Seven Sonnets of Michelangelo

Who are these children?

**Franz Schubert**

Gesänge des Harfners (op. 12 - 1,2,3)

**Robert Schumann**

Dichterliebe

Lieder und gesänge aus Wilhelm Meister (op. 98a)