

Abbeystead 3rd 137th MS.



Concert

in aid of

Bowland Pennine Mountain Rescue Team

Gladly Solemn Sound Choir

URC Church

Croston Road, Garstang

8.00 pm

Friday 18 May 2018

£5 ticket at the door including refreshments



Gladly Solemn Sound sing the music sung in village churches in the eighteenth and early nineteenth centuries. They usually sing unaccompanied, but are also supported by a band as in many village churches. They have discovered and brought back to life, music found in village choir vestries, especially in Lancashire and Cumbria. Among these, village music-making based round the church was especially strong in Abbeystead and the choir have revived much music preserved in manuscript by local families there.

Concert proceeds to the Bowland Pennine Mountain Rescue Team which provides such outstanding support and assistance in open country, especially in the fells where much of the choir's music was first sung.

