

## The St Mungo Festival 7-14 January 2012

### 2 Ecumenical Evening Service: 8th January 2012 Glasgow Cathedral at 6.30pm

This ecumenical evening service, on the Sunday before St Mungo's Day, is the brain-child of Dr Whitley and Archbishop Conti, and is organised jointly by the Cathedral and Glasgow Churches Together with the support of Glasgow City Council. It will begin with 'Let Glasgow Flourish.' Representatives of the City and the Churches of Glasgow will be joined by the Bishop of St Asaph (a St Mungo foundation in Wales), Rt Rev Gregory Cameron, who will speak about the link with Wales and the 1400 anniversary of the death of St Mungo and the birth of the City.

The service provides an opportunity to thank God in word, song, dance and music, for St Mungo's life and influence on Glasgow, and to pray for the city's people and leaders.

Music will be provided and led by the St Mungo Singers, Russkaya Capella, the Rutherglen Salvation Army Band, with Piper and Harpist. The Ballet scene: Sixteen dancers from 'Visual Statement' aged between 10 and 16 years, will depict the spirit of the city and highlight St Mungo's coat of arms and his return to Glasgow from Hoddum after exile. Choreographed by Danny Dobbie and accompanied by Handel's "For Unto Us A Child Is Born" this symphonic dance is both energetic and moving, while paying reverence to the venue and the celebration service. A wreath will be laid at the Tomb of St Mungo on behalf of the City.



*Left: Some of the St Mungo Singers and  
Right: Visual Statement during a  
previous St Mungo  
Service in the  
Cathedral*

