

Audience, Robert Chamberlain as Rudolf Steiner, Julia Smith as Ita Wegman, Tom Boydell as the Grand Master and John Cooper, musician, in the Northern Ensemble of Sheffield, England, reading of *Fire in the Temple* on Sunday, February 4, 2024.

Standing ovation . . . I think it has spoken to people very deeply. . . my handkerchief's dripping . . . a total and absolute success. Mind blowing is just not a word for it.

— Dr. James Dyson

 \dots deeply moving \dots felt as if I have been transported in time on a journey. – Aonghus Gordon

Huge thanks to you for a wonderful, uplifting and deeply moving reading. It was a historical and spiritual treat. The feeling in the hall was electric.

- 80-year- old management consultant

Others came up to me afterwards and said how moved they were. So, you see what effects your dramatic skills have had, aided in some measure by the cast who really rose to the occasion. The whole place was abuzz with conversation. We have been invited to Stourbridge to do it again.

- Robert Chamberlain, actor and director

Northern Ensemble

presents a dramatic reading of

FIRE IN THE TEMPLE by Glen Williamson

Cast in order of appearance

Narrator	Judith Chamberlain
Dr. Steiner/Aristotle/Thomas/Cratylus	Robert Chamberlain
Grand Master	Tom Boydell
Secret Brother	Jimmy Elderflower
The Archangel Michael	Michael Harter
Miss Edith Maryon	Celia Lock
Ita Wegman/Alexander/Reginald/Mysa	Julia Smith
Gunther Wachsmuth	John Pickin
Fraulein Samwaller ('Sam')	Lesley Beckett
Ehrenfried Pfeiffer	Stephen Young
Elisabeth Vreede	Susan McHale
Marie Steiner/Theophrastus/Albertus	Nerissa Kisdon
Sounds by John Cooper Directed by Robert Chamberlain ************************************	