



## Cathedral & Parish Services & Events and Cathedral Music List April 2026

| Day                                                                                                                                                                               | Cathedral                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      | Parish Church                                                                      |
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| <b>1<sup>st</sup> Wednesday<br/>of Holy Week</b>                                                                                                                                  |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | <b>10.30am Holy Eucharist</b>                                                      |
| <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday<br/>MAUNDY<br/>THURSDAY</b><br><i>Cathedral Choir<br/>&amp; the Choir of<br/>His Majesty's<br/>Chapel Royal</i><br><br><i>Cathedral Lay<br/>Clerks</i> | <b>11am The Royal Maundy<br/>Service</b><br><i>See Special Order of<br/>Service</i><br><br><b>7pm Choral Eucharist of<br/>the Last Supper followed<br/>by the Watch</b><br><i>Mass: 3 voices, William<br/>Byrd</i><br><i>Psalm: 116. 12-19</i><br><i>Handwash: I give you a<br/>new commandment, Peter<br/>Nardone</i><br><i>Trans. Pange lingua,<br/>Gregorian Mode II</i><br><i>Hymns: Service Booklet</i><br><i>Preacher: The Dean</i><br><br>10pm Compline |                                                                                    |
| <b>3<sup>rd</sup> Friday<br/>GOOD FRIDAY</b><br><i>Cathedral Choir</i>                                                                                                            | 9am Morning Prayer<br><b>1.30pm Solemn Good<br/>Friday Liturgy</b><br><i>Psalm: 22. 1-11</i><br><i>Passion Acclamation:</i><br>Christus Factus est, Felice<br>Anerio<br><i>Ven of X: Miserere mei,<br/>Gregorio Allegri; Populae<br/>meus, Tomas Luis Vittoria</i><br><i>Motet: Solus ad victimam,<br/>Kenneth Leighton</i>                                                                                                                                    | <b>10am All-Age Good Friday<br/>Liturgy</b><br><i>Preacher: Canon Rex Matthias</i> |

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| <p><b>4<sup>th</sup> Saturday<br/>HOLY<br/>SATURDAY</b><br/> <i>Cathedral Choir</i></p> | <p>9am Morning Prayer</p> <p><b>7pm Solemn Vigil,<br/>Renewal of Baptismal<br/>Promises &amp; 1<sup>st</sup> Eucharist<br/>of Easter</b></p> <p><i>Vigil Readings:</i><br/> Genesis 1.1-2.2 &amp; Resp Ps 104<br/> Genesis 22.1-18 &amp; Resp Ps 16<br/> Exodus 15.1-6, 17-18 &amp; Resp. Canticle<br/> <i>Exultet:</i> Dom Gregory Murray<br/> <i>Gloria:</i> Alma Pater, Andrew Millington<br/> <i>Mass Setting:</i> Plainsong<br/> <i>Psalm:</i> Easter Anthems<br/> <i>Litany</i><br/> <i>Baptismal Lit:</i> We shall draw water joyfully, Inwood<br/> <i>Motet:</i> Christ is now risen again, Alan Wilson<br/> <i>Hymns:</i> See Service Booklet<br/> <i>Preacher:</i> The Bishop</p> |                                                                                                                |
| <p><b>5<sup>th</sup> Sunday<br/>EASTER DAY</b><br/> <i>Cathedral Choir</i></p>          | <p><b>11am The Cathedral Eucharist</b><br/> <i>Introit:</i> This joyful Eastertide, trad. arr. Charles Wood<br/> <i>Mass:</i> Mass in G, Franz Schubert<br/> <i>Psalm:</i> Easter Anthems<br/> <i>Baptismal Lit:</i> We shall draw water joyfully, Paul Inwood</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | <p><b>9.30am The Parish Eucharist</b><br/> <i>Preacher:</i> Canon Neil Burgess</p> <p>4pm Community Fridge</p> |

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|                                                    | <p><i>Hymns:</i> 104(t.110); 124;<br/>120</p> <p><i>Preacher:</i> Canon Neil<br/>Burgess</p> <p><b>3.30pm Solemn Choral<br/>Evensong</b></p> <p><i>Responses:</i> John Sanders<br/><i>Office Hymn:</i> 117<br/><i>Psalm:</i> 114<br/><i>Setting:</i> Evening Service in<br/>C, Charles Villiers Stanford<br/><i>Anthem:</i> Blessed be the<br/>God and Father, S.S.<br/>Wesley<br/><i>Hymn:</i> 110</p> |                                                                                                                  |
| <b>6<sup>th</sup> Monday<br/>in Easter Week</b>    | <p>9am Morning Prayer<br/>9.30am Eucharist<br/>5pm Evening Prayer</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                                  |
| <b>7<sup>th</sup> Tuesday<br/>in Easter Week</b>   | <p>9am Morning Prayer<br/>5pm Evening Prayer<br/>6pm Holy Eucharist</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                 | 10am Messy Church Holiday<br>Club                                                                                |
| <b>8<sup>th</sup> Wednesday<br/>in Easter Week</b> | <p>9am Morning Prayer<br/>10.30am Holy Eucharist<br/>5pm Evening Prayer</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                             | 10am Messy Church Holiday<br>Club                                                                                |
| <b>9<sup>th</sup> Thursday<br/>in Easter Week</b>  | <p>9am Morning Prayer<br/>5pm Evening Prayer</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        | <p>10am Holy Eucharist<br/>10am Messy Church Holiday<br/>Club<br/>10.45am Prayer Group<br/>2pm Afternoon Tea</p> |
| <b>10<sup>th</sup> Friday<br/>in Easter Week</b>   | <p>9am Morning Prayer<br/>9.30am Offeren<br/>5pm Evening Prayer</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     | 10am Messy Church Holiday<br>Club                                                                                |
| <b>11<sup>th</sup> Saturday<br/>in Easter Week</b> | <p>9am Morning Prayer<br/>5pm Evening Prayer</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                        |                                                                                                                  |

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| <b>12<sup>th</sup> Sunday</b><br><b>Easter 2</b><br><i>Organ &amp; Cantor</i>      | <b>11am The Cathedral Eucharist</b><br><i>Mass:</i> In pace, Christopher Walker<br><i>Psalm:</i> 16<br><i>Hymns:</i> 103, 105(t.ii); 107<br><i>Preacher:</i> Canon Josh Askwith<br><br>3.30pm Evening Prayer                                                        | <b>9.30am The Parish Eucharist</b><br><i>Preacher:</i> Canon Josh Askwith<br><br>4pm Community Fridge |
| <b>13<sup>th</sup> Monday</b><br>Easter Weekday                                    | 9am Morning Prayer<br>9.30am Holy Eucharist<br>5pm Evening Prayer                                                                                                                                                                                                   |                                                                                                       |
| <b>14<sup>th</sup> Tuesday</b><br>Easter Weekday                                   | 9am Morning Prayer<br>5pm Evening Prayer<br>6pm Holy Eucharist                                                                                                                                                                                                      | 9.30am Toddler Group                                                                                  |
| <b>15<sup>th</sup> Wednesday</b><br>Padarn, Bishop                                 | 9am Morning Prayer<br>10.30am Holy Eucharist<br>5pm Evening Prayer                                                                                                                                                                                                  | 12noon SCP Mass & Lunch<br>2pm Mothers Union                                                          |
| <b>16<sup>th</sup> Thursday</b><br>Easter Weekday                                  | 9am Morning Prayer<br>5pm Evening Prayer                                                                                                                                                                                                                            | 10am Holy Eucharist<br>10.45am Prayer Group                                                           |
| <b>17<sup>th</sup> Friday</b><br>Easter Weekday<br><br><i>Cathedral Lay Clerks</i> | 9am Morning Prayer<br>9.30am Offeren<br><br><b>6pm Choral Evensong</b><br><i>Responses:</i> Denis Mason<br><i>Psalm:</i> 118. 1-10<br><i>Setting:</i> Evening Service in G, Charles Wood<br><i>Anthem:</i> Submit yourselves, John Shepherd<br><br><i>Hymn:</i> 112 |                                                                                                       |
| <b>18<sup>th</sup> Saturday</b><br>Easter Weekday                                  | 9am Morning Prayer<br>5pm Evening Prayer                                                                                                                                                                                                                            |                                                                                                       |

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| <b>19<sup>th</sup> Sunday</b><br><b>Easter 3</b><br><i>Cathedral Choir</i>                                                     | <b>The Cathedral Eucharist</b><br><i>Mass: Communion Service</i><br>in F, Herbert Sumsion<br><i>Psalm: 116. 1-8</i><br><i>Hymns: 119; 106; 296(t.i)</i><br><i>Motet: Now the green</i><br>blade riseth, trad. arr.<br>Simon Lindley<br><i>Preacher: The Dean</i><br><br><b>3.30pm Choral Evensong</b><br><i>Responses: John Reading</i><br><i>Office Hymn: 113</i><br><i>Psalm: 48</i><br><i>Setting: Evening Service in</i><br>A, Herbert Sumsion<br><i>Anthem: Christ the Lord is</i><br>risen again, John Rutter<br><i>Hymn: 486</i> | <b>9.30am All-Age Eucharist</b><br><i>Preacher: Canon Rex Matthias</i><br><br>4pm Community Fridge |
| <b>20<sup>th</sup> Monday</b><br>Beuno, Abbot                                                                                  | 9am Morning Prayer<br>9.30am Holy Eucharist<br>5pm Evening Prayer                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                                                                    |
| <b>21<sup>st</sup> Tuesday</b><br>Anselm, Bishop                                                                               | 9am Morning Prayer<br>5pm Evening Prayer<br>6pm Holy Eucharist                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          | 9.30am Toddler Group                                                                               |
| <b>22<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday</b><br>Easter Weekday                                                                             | 9am Morning Prayer<br>10.30am Holy Eucharist<br>5pm Evening Prayer                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                                                                    |
| <b>23<sup>rd</sup> Thursday</b><br>George, Martyr                                                                              | 8am Morning Prayer<br>5pm Evening Prayer                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | 10am Holy Eucharist<br>10.45am Prayer Group                                                        |
| <b>24<sup>th</sup> Friday</b><br>Easter Weekday<br><br>Eve of Mark,<br>Evangelist<br><br><i>Cathedral Lay</i><br><i>Clerks</i> | 9am Morning Prayer<br>9.30am Offeren<br><br><b>6pm Choral Evensong</b><br><i>Responses: Bernard Rose</i><br>(ATB)<br><i>Psalm: 19</i><br><i>Setting: Evening Service in</i><br>C, Vaughan Williams<br><i>Anthem: Honestum fecit,</i><br>Jacob Handl<br><i>Hymn: 213 (t.12)</i>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |                                                                                                    |

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| <b>25<sup>th</sup> Saturday</b> | 9am Morning Prayer<br>5pm Evening Prayer                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |                                                    |
| <b>Mark, Evangelist</b>         |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                    |
| <b>26<sup>th</sup> Sunday</b>   | <b>11am The Cathedral Eucharist</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                   | <b>9.30am The Parish Eucharist followed by AGM</b> |
| <b>Easter 4</b>                 | <i>Mass:</i> Mass of St Thomas,<br>David Thorne                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       | <i>Preacher:</i> Canon Rex Matthias                |
| <i>Organ &amp; Cantor</i>       | <i>Psalms:</i> 23<br><i>Hymns:</i> 112; 390(t.493);<br>117<br><i>Preacher:</i> Canon Mike Haslam                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                    |
|                                 | <b>1.30pm A Royal Sing Association of British Choral Directors</b><br>An Afternoon of singing for all with Paul Mealor to mark the centenary of the birth of Queen Elizabeth II                                                                                                       |                                                    |
| <i>Cathedral Choir</i>          | <b>3.30pm Choral Evensong</b><br><i>Responses:</i> Martin Neary<br><i>Office Hymn:</i> 115<br><i>Psalms:</i> 29. 1-10<br><i>Setting:</i> Evening Service in B flat, Charles Villiers Stanford<br><i>Anthem:</i> Zadok the Priest (sung with delegates) G F Handel<br><i>Hymn:</i> 119 |                                                    |
| <i>Delegates from ABCD</i>      | <b>6pm – 6.30pm</b><br><b>A concert of music from the course</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                      |                                                    |
| <i>Cathedral Choir</i>          | <b>7pm Cathedral Choir Concert</b><br><br>Music for the upcoming tour to Italy<br>Retiring Collection in aid of tour funds                                                                                                                                                            |                                                    |
| <b>27<sup>th</sup> Monday</b>   | 9am Morning Prayer<br>9.30am Holy Eucharist<br>5pm Evening Prayer                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |                                                    |
| <b>Easter Weekday</b>           |                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |                                                    |

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| <b>28<sup>th</sup> Tuesday</b><br>Easter Weekday           | 9am Morning Prayer<br>5pm Evening Prayer<br>6pm Holy Eucharist     | 9.30am Toddler Group                        |
| <b>29<sup>th</sup> Wednesday</b><br>Catherine of<br>Sienna | 9am Morning Prayer<br>10.30am Holy Eucharist<br>5pm Evening Prayer |                                             |
| <b>30<sup>th</sup> Thursday</b><br>Easter Weekday          | 9am Morning Prayer<br>5pm Evening Prayer                           | 10am Holy Eucharist<br>10.45am Prayer Group |

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