

SAINT  
PATRICK'S  
CATHEDRAL



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# WORSHIP AT ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL

To worship is to give God the worth that is due to God alone. Through our Anglican liturgy and music we open our hearts and minds to God and we encounter the mystery and majesty of God. We are saying thank you to God for the good things we have received, saying sorry to God for the times when we have fallen short, asking God for help for ourselves and for other people. There are many forms of prayer, from the formal prayers such as those offered daily in the Cathedral to the individual's encounter with God that has no set form of words. There is also silent prayer and listening: after all a meaningful encounter will involve listening as well as talking.

We are glad to welcome over 300,000 visitors each year - their offerings are the major part of the Cathedral's income, but aside from the glory of the building and its many monuments, the main purpose of the Cathedral is worship, and we are unique in having two sung services every day except Saturday.

Above all, it is our prayer that the details of the services listed here might encourage you to come to worship at Saint Patrick's Cathedral and to play your part in an ancient tradition of prayer and music offered to glorify God.

Our regular services are as follows:

MONDAY TO FRIDAY	
9.00am	Sung Matins (school term only)
11.05am	Holy Eucharist <i>said in the Lady Chapel</i> (Wednesday and Thursday only)
5.30pm	Choral Evensong
SATURDAY	
11.05am	Holy Eucharist <i>said in the Lady Chapel</i>
SUNDAY	
8.30am	Holy Eucharist <i>said in the Lady Chapel</i>
11.15am	Sung Eucharist/Matins
3.15pm	Choral Evensong

## Sunday 1

### The Second Sunday of Christmas

#### The Circumcision of Christ

8.30

Holy Eucharist *said in the Lady Chapel*

11.15

Sung Eucharist

Plainsong: Missa de Angelis

Ps. 148 vv 7-13

Handel *He shall feed his flock*

Hymns: 75, 512, 399

Preacher: Very Revd P.J. Knowles, M.A., B.Th., Ph.D.

*Prebendary of Stagonil*

15.15

Choral Evensong (*Boys & Men's voices*)

*Cantoris  
week*

Responses: Leighton

Psalm: 7

Tomkins: *The Fifth Service*

Handel *Christmas Music from Messiah*

Hymns: 506, 359

## Monday 2

17.30

Evensong (*said*)

## Tuesday 3

17.30

Evensong (*Men's voices*)

Responses: Lees

Psalm: 18 vv 1-20

Lees in E minor

Holst *The Saviour of the World is Born*

## Wednesday 4

11.05

Holy Eucharist *said in the Lady Chapel*

17.30

Evensong (*Men's voices*)

Responses: Plainsong

Psalm: 22 vv 1-21

Lassus (i) & Plainsong

Byrd *O admirabile commercium*

## Thursday 5

11.05

Holy Eucharist *said in the Lady Chapel*

17.30

Evensong (*Men's voices*)

Responses: Tallis

Psalm: 28, 29

Tallis: *The Short Service*

Byrd *Reges Tharsis et Insulae*

## Friday 6

11.05

## The Epiphany

Holy Eucharist *said in the Lady Chapel*

17.30

Choral Eucharist (*Boys' & Men's voices*)

Berkeley: Missa Brevis

Psalm: 34

Howells *Here is the little door*

## Saturday 7

11.05

Holy Eucharist *said in the Lady Chapel*

## Sunday 8

8.30

## The First Sunday after the Epiphany

Holy Eucharist *said in the Lady Chapel*

11.15

Matins (*Men's voices*)

Responses: Rose (MV)

Psalm: 39

Te Deum: Harris in A flat

Jubilate: Macpherson

Elgar *Seek him that maketh the seven stars*

Hymns: 204 NCH, 81

Preacher: Ven. R.E.B. White, B.A., B.D.

*Prebendary Castleknock*

12.15

Holy Eucharist *said in the Lady Chapel*

15.15

Epiphany Carol Service (*Boys' & Men's voices*)

*Decani  
week*

A Service of Music & Readings

Music by Howells, Dove, Messiaen & Rütli.

## Monday 9

9.00

Matins (*Boys' voices*)

Responses: Plainsong

Psalm: 46

Hymn: 78

Urbs Fortitudinis

17.30

Evensong (*Men's voices*)

Responses: Millington

Psalm: 48

Macpherson in E

Mendelssohn *Say where is he born*



## Saturday 14

11.05

Holy Eucharist *said in the Lady Chapel*

## Sunday 15

8.30

The Second Sunday after the Epiphany

Holy Eucharist *said in the Lady Chapel*

11.15

Sung Eucharist (*Boys' & Men's voices*)

Vierne: Messe Solennelle

Psalm: 135

Laloux *Tantum ergo*

vv 1-5, 12-18

Hymns: 486 NCH, 233, 197 NCH (omit v. 4)

Preacher: Revd J.D.M. Clarke

*Prebendary of Tipper*

15.15

Evensong (*Girls' & Men's voices*)

*Cantoris  
week*

Responses: Ayleward

Psalm: 78 vv 41-73

Weelkes: Service for Five Voices

Handl *Omnes de Saba*

Hymns: 466, 80

Preacher: Revd J.D.M. Clarke

*Prebendary of Tipper*

16.30

Organ Recital by Mr David Leigh

Messiaen *La Nativité du Seigneur*

## Monday 16

9.00

Matins (*Boys' voices*)

Responses: Saint Patrick's Service

Psalm: 80 vv 1-7

Hymn: 387

Urbs Fortitudinis

17.30

Evensong (*Men's voices*)

Responses: Plainsong

Psalm: 83, 84

Monte (i) & Plainsong

Byrd *Praise our Lord*

## Tuesday 17

9.00

Matins (*Boys' voices*)

Responses: Saint Patrick's Service

Psalm: 87

Hymn: 684

Jubilate

17.30

Evensong (*Boys' voices*)

Responses: Saint Patrick's Service

Psalm: 89 vv 20-51

Noon: The Second Service

Britten *Corpus Christi Carol*



## Sunday 22

8.30

## The Third Sunday after the Epiphany

Holy Eucharist *said in the Lady Chapel*

11.15

Matins (*Boys' & Men's voices*)

Responses: Clucas

Psalm: 22 vv 1-22

Te Deum: Vaughan Williams in G

Jubilate: Howells (Collegium Regale)

Mathias *Let all the peoples praise thee*

Hymns: 342, 169 A&M (omit v. 3)

Preacher: Revd M.D. Gardner, M.A.

*Prebendary of Tipperkevin*

12.15

Holy Eucharist *said in the Lady Chapel*

15.15

Evensong (*Boys' & Men's voices*)

*Decani  
week*

Responses: Clucas

Psalm: 108

Howells: Collegium Regale

Bruckner *Locus iste*

Hymns: 445, 340

Preacher: Very Revd R.B. MacCarthy, M.A., Ph.D.

*Dean and Ordinary*

## Monday 23

9.00

Matins (*Boys' voices*)

Responses: Plainsong

Psalm: 113

Hymn: 479

Urbs Fortitudinis

17.30

Evensong (*Men's voices*)

Responses: Tallis

Psalm: 114

Byrd: The Third Service

Gibbons *Almighty and everlasting God*

## Tuesday 24

9.00

Matins (*Boys' voices*)

Responses: Plainsong

Psalm: 117

Hymn: 388 (omit vv 5, 6)

Jubilate

17.30

Evensong (*Boys' & Men's voices*)

Responses: Clucas

Psalm: 119 vv 1-16

Sumsion in G

Mendelssohn *How lovely are the messengers*

## Wednesday 25 The Conversion of Saint Paul

- 9.00 Matins (*Boys' voices*)  
Responses: Plainsong Psalm: 119 vv 33-40  
Handel *How beautiful are the feet* Benedictus
- 11.05 Holy Eucharist *said in the Lady Chapel*
- 17.30 Evensong (*Girls' & Men's voices*)  
Responses: Walsh Psalm: 119 vv 73-88  
Revell  
arr. Dexter *The man of sorrows*

## Thursday 26

- 9.00 Matins (*Boys' voices*)  
Responses: Plainsong Psalm: 119 vv 105-112  
Hymn: 482 Jubilate
- 11.05 Holy Eucharist *said in the Lady Chapel*
- 17.30 Evensong (*Schola Patricii*)  
Responses: Walsh Psalm: 119 vv 145-160  
Wood in D  
Elgar *We praise thee O God*

## Friday 27

- 9.00 Matins (*Boys' voices*)  
Responses: Plainsong Psalm: 121  
Wesley *Like as we do put our trust* Urbs Fortitudinis
- 17.30 Evensong (*Boys' & Men's voices*)  
Responses: Leighton Psalm: 126, 127  
Stanford in A  
Laloux *Tantum ergo*

## Saturday 28

- 11.05 Holy Eucharist *said in the Lady Chapel*

## Sunday 29

8.30

### The Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany

Holy Eucharist *said in the Lady Chapel*

11.15

Sung Eucharist (*Men's voices*)

Sheppard *Mass for a Meane*

Psalm: 111

Noon *O sacrum convivium*

Hymns: 102 ICP, 229, 415

Preacher: Ven. G.L. Hastings, B.Th., M.A.

*Prebendary of Kilmactalway*

15.15

A Ceremony of Carols

*Cantoris*

*Music by Benjamin Britten*

*week*

*Sung by the Cathedral Choristers*

## Monday 30

9.00

Matins (*Boys' voices*)

Responses: Saint Patrick's Service

Psalm: 144

Hymn: 190

Urbs Fortitudinis

17.30

Evensong (*Men's voices*)

Responses:

Psalm: 148

Mundy

Byrd *Memento salutis auctor*

## Tuesday 31

9.00

Matins (*Boys' voices*)

Responses: Saint Patrick's Service

Psalm: 145 vv 1-7

Hymn: 457

Jubilate

17.30

Evensong (*Boys' & Men's voices*)

Responses: Byrd

Psalm: 149, 150

Byrd: The Second Service

Purcell *Thy word is a lantern*