



**SAINT  
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DUBLIN

# Lent Term 2026 Service & Music List

## Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> February

### The Fourth Sunday after the Epiphany Saint Brigid

Decani Week

9.15am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
11.15am	<b>Choral Eucharist</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
	Setting	Hosking: Missa Sancti Kentigerni	Psalm: 15
	Motet	<i>Iustorum animae</i> Martin	
	Preacher	The Revd J. E. T. Yendall, B.A.	
		<i>Prebendary of Mulhuddart</i>	Hymns: 157, 265, 401
3.15pm	<b>Candlemas Procession</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
		<i>music by Byrd, Elgar, Owain Park &amp; Grayston Ives</i>	

## Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> February

### The Presentation of Christ in the Temple

11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel
5.30pm	<b>Evening Prayer</b>	said in the Lady Chapel

## Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> February

9.00am	<b>Sung Matins</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choristers	
	Canticle	<i>Jubilate</i> Monk in B	Responses: St Patrick's
	Anthem	<i>A prayer of St Brigid</i> arr. Nicholson	Psalm: 15
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Canticles	Leighton: The Second Service	Responses: Smith
	Anthem	<i>Beati quorum via</i> Stanford	Psalm: 18 vv 1-6

## Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> February

9.00am	<b>Morning Prayer</b>		
11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
	Canticles	Tallis: The Short Service	Responses: Tallis
	Anthem	<i>Senex puerum poratabat</i> Byrd	Psalm: 23

## Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> February

9.00am	<b>Sung Matins</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choristers	
	Canticle	<i>Jubilate deo</i> Dines in G	Responses: Noon
	Anthem	<i>O for a closer walk with God</i> Cæsar	Psalm: 24 vv 1-6
11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
	Canticles	Sweeney	Responses: Mackriell
	Anthem	<i>Tilykke med fødselsdagen</i> arr. Svig	Psalm: 29

## Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February

9.00am	<b>Sung Matins</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choristers	
	Canticle	<i>Laudate dominum</i> Ley in D <sup>b</sup>	Responses: St Patrick's
	Anthem	<i>Light of the world</i> Dankworth	Psalm: 31 vv 1-9
5.30pm	<b>Chorister Concert</b>	Part of our Chorister Singalong Series	
		<i>Part of our Sing along series for children in 1<sup>st</sup> – 3<sup>rd</sup> class</i>	
		<i>for details visit <a href="http://www.stpatrickscathedral.ie/singalong">www.stpatrickscathedral.ie/singalong</a></i>	

## Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> February

11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel
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### Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> February

### The Second Sunday before Lent

Cantoris Week

9.15am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
11.15am	<b>Choral Matins</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Canticles	<i>Te Deum</i> Stanford in C	Responses: Sumsion
		<i>Jubilate</i> Monk in B	Psalm: 39 vv 1-7
	Anthem	<i>Jesu the very thought of thee</i> Bairstow	
	Preacher	The Ven. P. Thompson, B.A.	
		<i>Prebendary of Donaghmore</i>	Hymns: 472, 351
3.15pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Canticles	Dyson in F	Responses: Smith
	Anthem	<i>Expectans expectavi</i> Wood	Psalm: 42
	Preacher	The Ven. P. Thompson, B.A.	
		<i>Prebendary of Donaghmore</i>	Hymns: 467, 250

### Monday 9<sup>th</sup> February

9.00am	<b>Sung Matins</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choristers	
	Canticle	<i>Venite</i> Turle in A <sup>b</sup>	Responses: St Patrick's
	Anthem	<i>Shout for joy</i> arr. Holst	Psalm: 46 vv 1-7
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Canticles	Stanford in A	Responses: Moore
	Anthem	<i>The Christ Child rests</i> Leighton	Psalm: 47

### Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> February

9.00am	<b>Sung Matins</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choristers	
	Canticle	<i>Jubilate</i> Monk in B	Responses: St Patrick's
	Anthem	<i>A litany to the Holy Spirit</i> Hurford	Psalm: 50 vv 1-6
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Canticles	Sumsion in G	Responses: Sumsion
	Anthem	<i>Set me as a seal</i> Walton	Psalm: 53

### Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> February

9.00am	<b>Morning Prayer</b>		
11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
	Canticles	Wood in G	Responses: Tallis
	Anthem	<i>Te lucis ante terminum</i> Dines	Psalm: 61

### Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> February

9.00am	<b>Sung Matins</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choristers	
	Canticle	<i>Urbs fortitudinis</i> Goss in G	Responses: Noon
	Anthem	<i>Sing unto the Lord</i> Oades	Psalm: 63 vv 1-5
11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Canticles	Gibbons: The Second Service	Responses: Ayleward
	Anthem	<i>Almighty and everlasting God</i> Gibbons	Psalm: 67

### Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February

9.00am	<b>Sung Matins</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choristers	
	Canticle	<i>Laudate dominum</i> Ley in D <sup>b</sup>	Responses: St Patrick's
	Anthem	<i>God is love, His the care</i> arr. Holst	Psalm: 68 vv 1-6
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Canticles	Wood in E <sup>b</sup> (no.2)	Responses: Smith
	Anthem	<i>Ubi caritas et amor</i> Duruflé	Psalm: 70

### Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> February

11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel
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### Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> February

### The Sunday before Lent Transfiguration

Decani Week

9.15am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
11.15am	<b>Choral Eucharist</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Setting	Vierne: Messe Solennelle	
	Gradual	<i>Ubi caritas et amor</i> Duruflé	
	Motet	<i>O sacrum convivium</i> Tallis	
	Preacher	The Revd C. W. Mullen, B.Th.	
		<i>Prebendary of Rathmichael</i>	Hymns: 178, 305, 433
3.15pm	Choral Evensong	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Canticles	Stanford in B <sup>b</sup>	Responses: Radcliffe
	Anthem	<i>For lo I raise up</i> Stanford	Psalm: 78 vv 1-12
	Preacher	The Revd C. W. Mullen, B.Th.	
		<i>Prebendary of Rathmichael</i>	Hymns: 103, 373

### Monday 16<sup>th</sup> February

9.00am	<b>Sung Matins</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choristers	
	Canticle	<i>Venite</i> Turle in A <sup>b</sup>	Responses: St Patrick's
	Anthem	<i>Blessed are the pure in heart</i> Davies	Psalm: 80 vv 1-7
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
	Canticles	Sumsion in G	Responses: Rose
	Anthem	<i>I will lift up mine eyes</i> Walker	Psalm: 84

### Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> February

9.00am	<b>Sung Matins</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choristers	
	Canticle	<i>Jubilate</i> Monk in B	Responses: St Patrick's
	Anthem	<i>And didst thou travel light</i> Shepherd	Psalm: 87
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
	Canticles	Wood in E	Responses: Rose
	Anthem	<i>Oculi omnium</i> Parnell	Psalm: 89 vv 1-19

### Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> February

### Ash Wednesday

9.00am	<b>Sung Eucharist</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choristers	
	Setting	Bairstow in E <sup>b</sup>	
	Gradual	<i>Peace, perfect peace</i> Gibbons	
11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
	Canticles	Morley: Fauxbourdons	Responses: Plainsong
	Anthem	<i>O Lord, remember not</i> Purcell	Psalm: 93

### Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> February

11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
	Canticles	Byrd: Fauxbourdons	Responses: Tallis
	Anthem	<i>Salvator mundi</i> Tallis	Psalm: 96 vv 7-13

### Friday 20<sup>th</sup> February

5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
	Canticles	Da Monte: Fauxbourdons	Responses: ??
	Anthem	<i>Jerusalem, convertere</i> Palestrina	Ps: 104 vv 24-36

### Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> February

11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
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### Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> February

### The First Sunday in Lent

Cantoris Week

9.15am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel		
11.15am	<b>Choral Matins</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars		
	Canticles	<i>Lamentations of Jeremiah</i> Tallis	Responses: Takkus	
		<i>Benedictus</i> Plainsong	Psalm: 107 vv 1-9	
	Anthem	<i>Salvator mundi</i> Tallis		
	Preacher	The Very Revd S. A. Farrell, M.A. (Oxon.), LL.M., B.Th., F.C.L.R.		
		<i>Prebendary of Monmohenock</i>	Hymns: 67, 449	
3.15pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars		
	Canticles	Tallis: The Short Service	Responses: Tallis	
	Sermon in Music	<i>Media vita</i> Gombert	Psalm: 108	
	Voluntary	<i>Prelude in E minor</i> Bach (548)	Hymns: 472, 392	

### Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February

9.00am	<b>Morning Prayer</b>			
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir		
	Canticles	Byrd: The Second Service	Responses: Tomkins	
	Anthem	<i>Emendemus in medius</i> Byrd	Psalm: 114	

### Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> February

9.00am	<b>Sung Matins</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choristers		
	Canticle	<i>Urbs fortitudinis</i> Goss in G	Responses: St Patrick's	
	Anthem	<i>The Lord's my shepherd</i> arr. Oades	Psalm: 117	
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir		
	Canticles	Noble in B minor	Responses: Leighton	
	Anthem	<i>I sat down under his shadow</i> Bairstow	Psalm: 119 vv 1-8	

### Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> February

9.00am	<b>Morning Prayer</b>			
11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel		
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral		
	Canticles	<i>Magnificat</i> Lassus (vii)	Responses: Tallis	
		<i>Nunc Dimittis</i> Plainsong	Psalm: 119 vv 89-96	
	Anthem	<i>Salva nos, Domine</i> Mouton		

### Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> February

9.00am	<b>Sung Matins</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choristers		
	Canticle	<i>Urbs fortitudinis</i> Goss in G	Responses: Noon	
	Anthem	<i>Ex ore innocentium</i> Ireland	Psalm: 119 vv 105-112	
11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel		
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir		
	Canticles	Howells: St Augustine's Service	Responses: Rose	
	Anthem	<i>A litany</i> Walton	Psalm: 119 vv 145-160	

### Friday 27<sup>th</sup> February

9.00am	<b>Sung Matins</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choristers		
	Canticle	<i>Laudate dominum</i> Ley in D <sup>b</sup>	Responses: St Patrick's	
	Anthem	<i>Faithful cross above all other</i> arr. SN	Psalm: 121	
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral		
	Canticles	Desmond: Fauxbourdons	Responses: Crowley	
	Anthem	<i>Almighty and everlasting God</i> Desmond	Psalm: 127	

### Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> February

11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel
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