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DUBLIN

# Lent Term 2026 Service & Music List

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

The Second Sunday of Lent			
Decani Week			
9.15am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
11.15am	<b>Choral Eucharist</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Kyrie	Ives: Missa Brevis	
	Gradual	<i>Beati quorum via</i> Stanford	
	Sanctus	Ives: Missa Brevis	
	Agnus Dei	Briggs: Messe pour Notre Dame	
	Motet	<i>O sacrum convivium</i> Tallis	
	Preacher	The Revd H Gilmore, B.A., B.D.	
		<i>Prebendary of Howth</i>	Hymns: 357, 296 <i>i</i> , CH105
3.15pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Introit	<i>Were you there</i> arr. Chilcott	Responses: Smith
	Canticles	Mathias: The Jesus Service	Psalm: 8
	Sermon in Music	<i>It is a thing most wonderful</i> Moore	Hymns: 63, 445

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

5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Canticles	Gibbons: The Second Service	Responses: Tomkins
	Anthem	<i>O Lord, in thy wrath</i> Gibbons	Psalm: 12

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

5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
	Canticles	Amner: Service in the Dorian mode	Responses: Tallis
	Anthem	<i>Let my complaint</i> Morley	Psalm: 18 vv 1-6

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

11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
	Canticles	Tallis: Short Service	Responses: Tallis
	Anthem	<i>Laboravi in gemitu meo</i> Caldara	Psalm: 23

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

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: Tallis
	Anthem	<i>O Lord, remember not</i> Purcell	Psalm: 29

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

5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
	Canticles	Johnstone: Fauxbourdons	Responses: Ashfield
	Anthem	<i>Crux fidelis</i> Cousins	Psalm: 34 vv 1-10

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

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

### The Third Sunday of Lent

Cantoris Week

9.15am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
11.15am	<b>Choral Matins</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
	Canticles	<i>Lamentations</i> Tallis (ii)	Responses: Tallis
		<i>Benedictus</i> Plainsong	Psalm: 39 vv 1-7
	Anthem	<i>Salvator mundi</i> Tallis (i)	
	Preacher	The Revd S. T. R. Gamble, B.A., M.Th., Ph.D.	
		<i>Prebendary of Maynooth</i>	Hymns: 374, 376
3.15pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Canticles	Howells: St Augustine Service	Responses: Leigh
	Sermon in Music	<i>Lord, is it I?</i> Ives	Psalm: 42
	Voluntary	<i>Master Tallis' Testament</i> Howells	Hymns: 76, 65 t.363

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

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>Lead me Lord</i> Wesley	Psalm: 46 vv 1-7
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Canticles	Howells: Winchester Service	Responses: Tallis
	Anthem	<i>A Litany</i> Walton	Psalm: 47

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

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>Wash me thoroughly</i> Wesley	Psalm: 53

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

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	Sheppard: The First Service	Responses: Tallis
	Anthem	<i>Libera nos, salva nos</i> Sheppard	Psalm: 61

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

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: 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	Willan in E <sup>b</sup>	Responses: Leigh
	Anthem	<i>A Prayer of St Patrick</i> Rutter	Psalm: 67

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

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	Noble in B minor	Responses: Radcliffe
	Anthem	<i>Give us the wings of faith</i> Bullock	Psalm: 70

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

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

### The Fourth Sunday of Lent Mothering Sunday Decani Week

9.15am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
11.15am	<b>Choral Eucharist</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Setting	Darke in A minor	
	Gradual	<i>A litany</i> Walton	
	Motet	<i>Here O my Lord</i> Whitlock	
	Preacher	The Revd P. R. Campion, B.A., B.Th., M.A., M.Phil. <i>Canon Precentor</i>	Hymns: 471, 184, 185
3.15pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Canticles	Weelkes: The Sixth Service	Responses: Tomkins
	Anthem	<i>Komm, Jesu, komm</i> Bach	Psalm: 78 vv 1-12
	Voluntary	<i>Fuga sopra il Magnificat</i> Bach	Hymns: 263, 353

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

5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
	Canticles	Wood in E	Responses: Rose
	Anthem	<i>Holy is the true light</i> Harris	Psalm: 84

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

### Saint Patrick

9.15am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in Irish in the Lady Chapel	
11.15pm	<b>Patronal Eucharist</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Introit	<i>Christ be with me</i> Stanford	
	Setting	Vierne: Messe Solennelle	
	Gradual	<i>Ave Maria</i> Rachmaninoff	
	Motets	<i>O sacrum convivium</i> Desmond	
		<i>Beati quorum via</i> Stanford	
	Preacher	The Revd J. R. Auchmuty <i>Rector, Knock, Diocese of Down</i>	Hymns: 197, 401, 159
6:00pm	<b>Dublin Council of Churches Service</b>		

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

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>Salvator mundi</i> Tallis (ii)	Psalm: 93

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

### Saint Joseph of Nazareth

9.00am	<b>Sung Matins</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choristers	
	Canticle	<i>Urbs fortitudinis</i> Goss in G	Responses: Noon
	Anthem	<i>Cherry Tree Carol</i> arr. Nicholson	Psalm: 96 vv 7-13
11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Canticles	Blair in B minor	Responses: Rose
	Anthem	<i>Cast me not away</i> Wesley	Psalm: 98

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

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>Agnus Dei</i> Bairstow	Psalm: 103 vv 1-5
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Canticles	Stanford in B <sup>b</sup>	Responses: Radcliffe
	Anthem	<i>O vos omnes</i> Casals	Psalm: 104 vv 24-36

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

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

### The Fifth Sunday in Lent PASSION SUNDAY

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>Lamentations of Jeremiah</i> Bairstow Responses: Radcliffe <i>Benedictus</i> Dyson in D Psalm: 107 vv 1-9
	Anthem	<i>It is a thing most wonderful</i> Moore
	Preacher	The Very Revd N. J. W. Sloane, B.A., M.Phil., M.A. <i>Canon Chancellor</i> Hymns: 79 <i>t.128ii</i> , 536 <i>t.408</i>
3.15pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir
	Introit	<i>Drop, drop slow tears</i> Gibbnos Responses: Radcliffe
	Canticles	Dyson in D Psalm: 108
	Sermon in Music	<i>Christus factus est</i> Bruckner Hymns: 383, 420 <i>ii</i>

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

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: 113
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir
	Canticles	Batten: The Fourth Service Responses: Tomkins
	Anthem	<i>Lord, let me know mine end</i> Greene Psalm: 114

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

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>Ave Maria</i> Lindley Psalm: 117
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir
	Canticles	Leighton: Magdalen Service Responses: Leighton
	Anthem	<i>A Hymn to the Virgin</i> Britten Psalm: 119 vv 1-8

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

### The Annunciation of our Lord

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	Byrd: Fauxbourdons Responses: Tallis
	Anthem	<i>Ne irascaris, Domine</i> Byrd Psalm: 119 vv 89-96

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

9.00am	<b>Sung Matins</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choristers
	Canticle	<i>Urbs fortitudinis</i> Goss in G Responses: Noon
	Anthem	<i>Drop, drop slow tears</i> Gibbons Ps: 119 vv 105-112
11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral
	Canticles	Byrd: The Short Service Responses: Tallis
	Anthem	<i>Civitas sanctions tui</i> Byrd Psalm: 119 vv 145-160

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

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. Nicholson Psalm: 121
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral
	Canticles	Morley: Fauxbourdons Responses: Tallis
	Anthem	<i>Out of the deep</i> Morley Psalm: 127

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

11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel
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## Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> March

9.15am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
11.15am	<b>Choral Eucharist</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
	Setting	Tallis: Mass for Four Voices	Psalm: 118 vv 1-2, 19-29
	Motet	<i>I call and crie</i> Tallis	
	Preacher	The Ven. D. A. Pierpoint, M.A.	
		<i>Canon Treasurer</i>	Hymns: 511, 270, 86
6.00pm	<b>The Pasion</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
		<i>The Passion of Our Lord according to Saint John</i> Bach	

## Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March

5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Canticles	Whitlock in G	Responses: Leigh
	Anthem	<i>O crux, ave</i> Morales	Psalm: 149

## Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> March

5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
	Canticles	Byrd: Fauxbourdons	Responses: Plainsong
	Anthem	<i>Salvator mundi</i> Tallis (ii)	Psalm: 150

## Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April

11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
5.30pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Lay Vicars Choral	
	Canticles	Da Monte: Fauxbourdons	Responses: Plainsong
	Anthem	<i>Jerusalem, convertere ad Dominum</i> Palestrina	Psalm: 8

## Palm Sunday Decani Week

## Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> April

11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
5.30pm	<b>Choral Eucharist</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Setting	Howells: Collegium Regale	
	Gradual	<i>Ubi caritas</i> Duruflé	Hymn: 98

## MAUNDY THURSDAY

## Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April

## GOOD FRIDAY

11.15am	<b>Choral Matins</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Canticles	<i>The Lamentations of Jeremiah</i> Bairstow	Resp: Radcliffe
		<i>Benedictus</i> Dyson in D	Psalm: 22
	Anthem	<i>It is a thing most wonderful</i> Moore	
	Preacher	The Revd. C.W. Mullen, B.Th.	
		<i>Resident Preacher</i>	Hymns: 92, 95
2.00pm	<b>Good Friday Liturgy</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Introit	<i>Were you there?</i> Chilcott	Psalm: 130
	Anthems	<i>Ex ore innocentium</i> Ireland	
		<i>Christus factus est</i> Bruckner	
		<i>Agnus Dei</i> Briggs (Messe pour Notre Dame)	
	Preacher	The Revd. C.W. Mullen, B.Th.	
		<i>Resident Preacher</i>	
	Dismissal	<i>O vos omnes</i> Casals	Hymns: 86, 94

## Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> April

## EASTER EVE

11.05am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel
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## Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> April

## EASTER SUNDAY

Cantoris Week

9.15am	<b>Eucharist</b>	said in the Lady Chapel	
11.15am	<b>Choral Eucharist</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Setting	Ives: Missa Brevis	
	Gradual	<i>Lord of the dance</i> arr. Nicholson	
	Motets	<i>Joy is come! Eastertide</i> arr. Rutter	
		<i>Ave Verum corpus</i> Mawby	
	Preacher	The Very Revd W. W. Morton, B.Th., M.A., Ph.D., M Mus., D.Litt. <i>Dean &amp; Ordinary</i>	Hymns: CH274, 362 (t.185), 120
3.15pm	<b>Choral Evensong</b>	sung by the Cathedral Choir	
	Canticles	Howells: St Augustine Service	Responses: Leigh
	Sermon in Music	<i>Te Deum</i> Howells (Redcliffe Service)	Psalm: 114
	Voluntary	<i>Epilogue</i> Howells	Hymns: 117, 271

## Monday 7<sup>th</sup> April

5.30pm	<b>Evening Prayer</b>	said in the Lady Chapel
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## Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> April

5.30pm	<b>Evening Prayer</b>	said in the Lady Chapel
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## Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> April

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

## Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> April

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

## Friday 11<sup>th</sup> April

5.30pm	<b>Evening Prayer</b>	said in the Lady Chapel
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## Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> April

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