

# Services & Music for April 2019

THE CATHEDRAL AND ABBEY CHURCH OF SAINT ALBAN



In Residence: 1<sup>st</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> (The Canon Chancellor), 16<sup>th</sup> – 28<sup>th</sup> (The Dean), 29<sup>th</sup> – 30<sup>th</sup> (The Sub Dean)

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## 1 Monday

- 7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**8.45 St Albans School Service** Nave  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**5.00 Evening Prayer** Quire  
 Psalms 25, 28  
**8.00 Quiet Abbey** Cathedral  
 The Cathedral will be open for prayer and reflection, ending with Compline by candlelight at 8.45pm.

## 2 Tuesday

- 7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**5.00 Evensong** Quire (boys)  
 Psalm 80: 1-7 Responses plainsong  
 Hymn 118  
 Canticles plainsong tonus peregrinus & vi  
 Anthem Break in grief JS Bach

## 3 Wednesday

- 7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** St Michael's Chapel  
**10.00 Free Church Service** Lady Chapel  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**5.00 Evensong** Quire (girls)  
 Psalm 91: 1-9  
 Hymn The St Albans Service Ridout  
 Canticles 472 (i)  
 Anthem O rest in the Lord Mendelssohn  
**7.30 Eucharist** Chapel of Transfiguration  
 Entrance via the external door in the Rose Garden

## 4 Thursday

- 7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** St Michael's Chapel  
**9.15 Abbey Primary School Service** Lady Chapel  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**5.00 Evensong** Quire (boys)  
 Psalm 94: 1-9  
 Hymn 379  
 Canticles The Second Service Byrd  
 Anthem My spirit longs for thee Dowland

## 5 Friday

- 7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**11.15 Stations of the Cross** North Ambulatory  
**12.00 Roman Catholic Mass** Lady Chapel  
**5.00 Evening Prayer** Quire  
 Psalms 13, 16

## 6 Saturday

- 8.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**9.00 Eucharist** Lady Chapel  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**5.00 Evensong** Quire (girls and men)  
 Introit Ye that pasen by Britten Responses Morley  
 Psalm 111  
 Hymn 101  
 Canticles The Short Service Farrant  
 Anthem Crux fidelis attr John of Portugal  
**5.45 Confessions** Ramryge Chapel  
 A priest is available until 6.15pm  
**7.30 Concert : St Albans Bach Choir**  
 Magnificat Rutter Chichester Psalms Bernstein,  
 Requiem Rutter  
 Andrew Lucas & John Rutter Conductors  
 Sinfonia Verdi

## 7 SUNDAY

## FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

Passiontide begins

- 8.00 Eucharist** High Altar  
**9.30 Parish Eucharist** Nave (Parish Singers)  
 Setting New English Folk Mass  
 Hymns 127, 598 (i)  
 How deep the Father's love, 123  
 Gradual The Lent Prose  
 Motet God so loved the world Stainer  
 Preacher The Sub Dean  
 Voluntary Jesus Christus, unser Heiland BWV 665 JS Bach  
**11.15 Choral Eucharist** High Altar (girls and men)  
 Setting Mass in A minor I Holst  
 Gradual The Lent Prose  
 Hymns 122 (ii), 121  
 Motet The Crown of Roses Tchaikovsky  
 Preacher Canon Tim Lomax, Diocesan Director of Mission  
 Voluntary Kyrie, Gott heiliger Geist BWV 671 JS Bach  
**6.30 Passiontide Service** Crossing (girls and men)  
 Music by Grier, Victoria, Mozart, Howells, Britten & Philips

## 8 Monday

- 7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**5.00 Evening Prayer** Quire  
 Psalms 26, 27  
**8.00 Quiet Abbey** Cathedral  
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## 9 Tuesday

Dietrich Bonhoeffer, Lutheran Pastor, Martyr, 1945

- 7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**5.00 Evensong** Quire (Dover Community Youth Choir)  
 Psalm 61  
 Responses Rose  
 Hymn 109  
 Canticles Brewer in D  
 Anthem Were you there? arr. Whitbourn

## 10 Wednesday

William Law, Priest, Spiritual Writer, 1761

- 7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** St Michael's Chapel  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**5.00 Evening Prayer** Quire  
 Psalms 56, 62  
**7.30 Eucharist** Chapel of Transfiguration  
 Entrance via the external door in the Rose Garden

## 11 Thursday

- 7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** St Michael's Chapel  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**5.00 Evening Prayer** Quire  
 Psalms 42, 43

## 12 Friday

- 7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**11.15 Stations of the Cross** North Ambulatory  
**12.00 Roman Catholic Mass** Lady Chapel  
**5.00 Evening Prayer** Quire  
 Psalm 31

## 13 Saturday

- 8.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**9.00 Eucharist** Lady Chapel  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**4.00 Evensong** Quire (men)  
 Introit In manus tuas Sheppard Responses Tallis  
 Psalm 61, 62  
 Hymn 125  
 Canticles plainsong with fauxbourdons Byrd  
 Anthem O vos omnes Victoria  
**4.45 Confessions** Ramryge Chapel  
 A priest is available until 5.15pm

## 14 SUNDAY

## PALM SUNDAY

- 8.00 Eucharist and blessing of palms** High Altar  
**9.30 Parish Eucharist and blessing of palms with procession from the City Clock Tower to the Cathedral Nave** (Parish Singers)  
 Processional hymns 128, 380 (i), 129 (i)  
 Setting New English Folk Mass  
 Hymns 112, 122 (ii), 322  
 Motet Ingrediente Domino Malcolm  
 Voluntary Fantasia in G minor BWV 542 Bach  
**11.15 Choral Eucharist and blessing of palms** High Altar  
**(the service begins in the Nave)** (boys and men)  
 Introit Hosanna to the Son of David Weelkes  
 Setting Missa brevis Walton  
 Gradual Psalm 31: 9-16  
 Gospel The Passion according to Mark Sanders  
 Hymns 129, 128 (omit \*)  
 Motet God so loved the world Stainer  
 Voluntary Fantasia super Valet will ich dir geben BWV 735 JS Bach  
**3.00 Organ Recital : Christus – Francis Pott** Nave  
 Tom Winpenny, Assistant Master of the Music  
**6.30 Solemn Evensong** Quire (boys and men)  
 Introit O Saviour of the world Howells  
 Responses Ebdon  
 Psalm 69: 1-8  
 Hymns 108, 582  
 Canticles The Second Service Byrd  
 Anthem Christus factus est pro nobis Bruckner  
 Preacher The Rt Revd Jack Nicholls, former Bishop of Sheffield  
 Voluntary Dominica in Palmis Langlais  
**15 Monday in Holy Week**  
**7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**5.00 Evensong** Quire (Abbey Singers)  
 Psalm 25: 1-8 Responses plainsong  
 Hymn 110  
 Canticles The Third Service Moore  
 Anthem Christus factus est pro nobis Anerio  
**8.00 Address & Compline** Lady Chapel  
 Hymns 2, 533  
 Preacher The Rt Revd Jack Nicholls, former Bishop of Sheffield

## 16 Tuesday in Holy Week

- 7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**5.00 Evening Prayer** Quire  
 Psalm 55: 13-24  
**8.00 Address & Compline** Lady Chapel  
 Hymns 475, 457  
 Preacher The Rt Revd Jack Nicholls, former Bishop of Sheffield

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## 17 Wednesday in Holy Week

- 7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** St Michael's Chapel  
**10.00 Teddy Bear Service** Lady Chapel  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**12.30 Organ Recital : Symphonie-Passion – Dupré** Crossing  
 Marko Sever, Organ Scholar  
**5.00 Evensong** Quire (girls)  
 Psalm 88: 1-10  
 Hymn 118  
 Canticles plainsong tones iii & v  
 Anthem Stabat mater dolorosa Pergolesi  
**8.00 Address & Compline** Lady Chapel  
 Hymns 532, 557  
 Preacher The Rt Revd Jack Nicholls, former Bishop of Sheffield

## 18 Thursday

### MAUNDY THURSDAY

- 7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** Lady Chapel  
**11.00 Chrism Eucharist** Nave (boys and men)  
 Setting Missa brevis Dove  
 Motets Ave verum corpus Byrd  
 Very bread, good shepherd Marchant  
 Hymns 606, You're the word of God the Father  
 (Townend), 89, 469, 324, Eat this bread (Taizé),  
 Hope of our calling (Woodlands)  
 Preacher The Bishop of Bedford  
**5.00 Evening Prayer** Quire  
 Psalm 39  
**8.00 Maundy Eucharist with washing of feet and stripping  
 of the altars** High Altar (girls and men)  
 Gloria Murray  
 Setting Missa Simile est regnum Victoria  
 Motets Ubi caritas Duruflé  
 O sacrum convivium Tallis  
 Hymns 322, 326 (t 122ii), 279  
 Preacher The Rt Revd Jack Nicholls, former Bishop of Sheffield  
 Followed by a vigil of prayer until midnight at the Altar of Repose  
 in the Lady Chapel (entry via the Pilgrim Door)

## 19 Friday

### GOOD FRIDAY

- 8.00 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**10.00 Pre-school Children's Service** Lady Chapel  
**12.00 Three Hours Devotion** Nave  
**12.00-1.30 Preaching of the Passion**  
 Hymns 112, 308 (i), 108, 442 (t278)  
 Preacher The Rt Revd Jack Nicholls, former Bishop of Sheffield  
**1.30-3.00 The Liturgy of Good Friday** (boys and men)  
 Hymns 121, 127 (i), 322  
 The Passion according to Mark Sanders  
 Ecce lignum crucis Chapple  
 The Reproaches Sanders  
 Agnus Dei Morley  
 Crucifixus pro nobis Lotti  
**5.00 Evening Prayer** Quire  
 Psalms 130, 143  
**7.20 Walk of Witness** from SS Alban & Stephen,  
 Beaconsfield Road, to the Cathedral for:  
**8.00 Unity at the Cross** Nave (Churches Together in St Albans)

## 20 Saturday

### HOLY SATURDAY

- 8.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**4.00 Evensong** Quire (boys and men)  
 Introit Drop, drop, slow tears Gibbons  
 Psalm 116 Responses plainsong  
 Hymn 110  
 Canticles plainsong with fauxbourdons Gibbons  
 Anthem I waited for the Lord Mendelssohn  
**4.45 Confessions** Ramryge Chapel  
 A priest is available until 5.15pm  
**8.00 Easter Vigil with Holy Baptism and Confirmation** Nave  
 Hymns 140, 150, 149, Veni Sancte Spiritus (Taizé), 160  
 Preacher The Bishop of Hertford

## 21 SUNDAY

### EASTER DAY

- 8.00 Eucharist with hymns** High Altar  
 Hymns 150, 157, 160  
**9.30 Parish Eucharist** Nave (boys and men with the Parish Singers)  
 Gloria Thorne  
 Setting Messe solennelle Vierne  
 Gradual Hallelujah Handel  
 Hymns 137, 311, 150, 153, 160  
 Motet Dum transisset sabbatum Taverner  
 Preacher The Dean  
 Voluntary Prelude & Fugue in B op. 7 no. 1 Dupré  
**10.30 Prayers for Healing** Shrine Chapel  
**11.15 Matins with Procession** Nave (boys and men)  
 Responses Smith  
 The Easter Anthems  
 Psalm 118: 14-24  
 Hymns 137, 147, 148  
 Canticles Britten in C  
 Anthem Dum transisset sabbatum Taverner  
 Preacher The Bishop of St Albans  
 Voluntary Toccata on 'O filii et filiae' Farnam  
**12.30 Eucharist** Lady Chapel  
**3.30 Solemn Evensong with Procession** Nave (girls and men)  
 Responses Moore  
 Psalm 66: 1-11  
 Hymns Hail thee, Festival Day, 151, 157  
 Canticles Dyson in D  
 Anthem Ye choirs of New Jerusalem Stanford  
 Voluntary Toccata (Symphonie improvisée) CocherEAU

## 22 Monday in Easter Week

### Bank Holiday

- 8.30 Morning Prayer** Lady Chapel  
**9.00 Eucharist** High Altar  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine  
**3.00 Easter Monday Pilgrimage** Nave  
**5.00 Evening Prayer** Quire  
 Psalm 135

## 23 Tuesday in Easter Week

- 8.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**9.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**5.00 Evensong** Quire (Christ Church of the Ascension Choir, Arizona)  
 Psalm 136: 1-9  
 Responses Byrd  
 Hymn 152  
 Canticles Short Service Weelkes  
 Anthem Ubi caritas Gjeilo

## 24 Wednesday in Easter Week

- 8.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**9.00 Eucharist** St Michael's Chapel  
**10.00 Mothers' Union Eucharist** Lady Chapel  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**5.00 Evensong** Quire (Christ Church of the Ascension Choir, Arizona)  
 Psalm 105: 1-9  
 Responses Byrd  
 Hymn 154 (omit \*)  
 Canticles The Short Service Weelkes  
 Anthem Sing, my soul, his wondrous love Rorem  
**7.30 Eucharist** Chapel of Transfiguration  
 Entrance via the external door in the Rose Garden

## 25 Thursday in Easter Week

- 7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** St Michael's Chapel  
**9.15 Abbey Primary School Service** Lady Chapel  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**5.00 Evensong** Quire (Christ Church of the Ascension Choir, Arizona)  
 Psalm 106: 1-8  
 Responses Fawcett  
 Hymn 156 (t362)  
 Canticles Vaughan Williams in C  
 Anthem O Lord that seest Wood

## 26 Friday in Easter Week

- 7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**8.45 St Albans School Service** Nave  
**12.00 Roman Catholic Mass** Lady Chapel  
**5.00 Evensong** Quire (Christ Church of the Ascension Choir, Arizona)  
 Psalm 107: 1-9  
 Responses Fawcett  
 Hymn 153  
 Canticles Vaughan Williams in C  
 Anthem Rise heart, thy Lord is risen Vaughan Williams

## 27 Saturday in Easter Week

- 8.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**9.00 Eucharist** Lady Chapel  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**1.30 Holy Matrimony** Lady Chapel  
**4.00 Evensong** Quire (St David's Singers, Exeter)  
 Psalm 145  
 Responses Walsh  
 Hymn 151  
 Canticles Howells in G  
 Anthem O sing unto the Lord a new song MacMillan  
**4.45 Confessions** Ramryge Chapel A priest is available until  
 5.15pm

## 28 SUNDAY

### SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

- 8.00 Eucharist** High Altar  
**9.30 Parish Eucharist** Nave (Parish Singers)  
 Setting Thorne  
 Gradual Psalm 118: 13-18  
 Hymns 140, 162, 153, 149  
 Motet Angelus autem Domini descendit Anerio  
 Preacher Margaret Stratton, Reader  
 Voluntary An Easter Alleluia Slater  
**11.15 Choral Eucharist** High Altar (St David's Singers, Exeter)  
 Setting Schubert in G  
 Gradual Psalm 118: 14-17  
 Hymns 140, 150  
 Motet Breathe on me, breath of God Wilby  
 Preacher The Dean  
**6.30 Evensong** Quire (St David's Singers, Exeter)  
 Psalm 16: 1-10  
 Responses Lucas  
 Hymns 145, 146 (omit \*)  
 Canticles Naylor in A  
 Anthem Evening Hymn Gardiner  
 Preacher The Archdeacon

## 29 Monday

### George, Martyr, Patron of England, c.304

- 7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**8.45 St Albans School Service** Nave  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**5.00 Evensong** Quire (Haileybury College Chapel Choir)  
 Psalm 3  
 Hymn 228

## 30 Tuesday

### Mark the Evangelist

- 7.30 Morning Prayer** Quire  
**8.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**10.30 Orthodox Liturgy** Lady Chapel  
**12.00 Eucharist** Shrine Chapel  
**5.00 Evening Prayer** Quire  
 Psalm 45  
**7.00 Lutheran Service** (in German) Lady Chapel