

Services & Music List

Canterbury Cathedral
June 2023

WELCOME

Welcome

Canterbury Cathedral is the seat of the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Cathedral Church of the Diocese of Canterbury, the Mother Church of the Anglican Communion, and a place of pilgrimage welcoming visitors from across the world.

For over fourteen hundred years God has been worshipped here. With its roots in the Benedictine tradition, the ongoing daily pattern of morning and evening prayer and Eucharist continues the prayers and praises of countless generations in this Cathedral.

Alongside this we host a large number of special services, some regular, some occasional. These mark the feasts of the Church's year and significant events in the life of our local community, or offer opportunities for exploring faith and spirituality in creative and diverse ways.

Whether you are a regular worshipper with us, someone who has come to the Cathedral for a special event, or a visitor making a once in a lifetime journey to Canterbury, you are most welcome and an equal part of this community whose story reaches back to Augustine's mission to England in 597 AD.

Visiting Choirs

The choir of **St Paul's, Canterbury** takes a leading role in the weekly Sunday morning worship, as well as the popular monthly Evensong and Supper services, and other seasonal events. The choir has featured as a visiting choir at several Cathedrals, primarily around South East England, and at Ypres as part of the daily service held under the Menin Gate.

The choir of **St Stephen's, Canterbury** draws singers from across Canterbury who enjoy singing a wide range of sacred music to a high standard. The choir sings two choral services each Sunday and also enjoys the opportunity to sing regularly in Canterbury Cathedral and elsewhere, including cathedrals in Rochester, Chelmsford, Salisbury, Chester, and Rheims in recent years.

Cantiago chamber choir, founded in 2008, is a young and enthusiastic choir affiliated with the 'Jacobi Church' in Utrecht (NL). The choir, which is directed by Herman Mussche, sings classical, religious and liturgical music from the 16th to the 21st century.

The Crypt Choir of The King's School Canterbury is the School's senior choir; its primary purpose is to provide music for weekly School services in Canterbury Cathedral, where The King's School is part of the Foundation. The choir also performs in concerts and services at outside venues, most recently at The Royal Naval College, Greenwich; St Giles' and St Mary's Cathedrals in Edinburgh, and in the chapel of King's College Cambridge, whilst recent tours have taken the group to China, Australia, Prague and Rome.

MUSIC

Informal Organ Recital – Allan Wicks Centenary

On Tuesday 6 June we will be holding an informal organ recital to mark what would have been the 100th birthday of Allan Wicks CBE, one of Canterbury Cathedral's former Organists and Master of the Choristers. The recital will be given by three of his former pupils, Peter King, Bryan Gipps and Stephen Pinnock, and will be held in the Quire, after Evensong at 6.15pm. The recital is open to all, free of charge and un-ticketed.

Organ Festival – Recitals

We are also holding a summer Organ Festival, with three Organ Recitals given by renowned Cathedral organists.

Friday 9 June – Peter Stevens, Assistant Master of Music at Westminster Cathedral

Friday 16 June – William Fox, Acting Organist and Assistant Director of Music at St Paul's Cathedral

Friday 23 June – Peter Holder, Sub-Organist of Westminster Abbey

Each Organ Recital will start at 7.30pm in the Cathedral Quire. Tickets for the Organ Recitals are available via the Canterbury Festival website and cost £15 per recital or £30 for all three recitals, plus booking fees of £1.50 per recital. Tickets for under 18s are free of charge and can be obtained by emailing Canterbury Festival Box Office: boxoffice@canterburyfestival.co.uk

<https://www.canterbury-cathedral.org/what-s-on/events/may-june2023-organ-festival/>

Join the choir

If you know a boy in school year 2, 3 or 4, or a girl in school year 6 or 7, who enjoys singing, please email music@canterbury-cathedral.org to learn more about becoming a chorister here.

Enquiries are warmly welcomed at any time, and it is possible to meet children and their parents for a conversation, and for informal pre-auditions.

More information about the Cathedral's musicians can be found at <https://www.canterbury-cathedral.org/worship/music/>

David Newsholme
Director of Music

WORSHIP

At the heart of Cathedral life is the regular rhythm of daily prayer. The day begins each morning with the quiet, said services of Morning Prayer (Matins) and the 8.00am Eucharist, and ends with the service of Choral Evensong with music from the Cathedral Choir or one of the many excellent visiting choirs who come to sing during the Cathedral Choir's holidays. The Cathedral's principal act of worship every week is the 11.00am Sunday Choral Eucharist.

Regular Worship

Daily Morning Prayer	7.30am	(Monday-Friday)
	9.15am	(Saturday, Sunday, Bank Holidays)
Daily Eucharist	8.00am	(On Sundays this is BCP Holy Communion)
Lunchtime Eucharist	12.30pm	(Wednesdays and Feast Days only)
Daily Choral Evensong*	5.30pm	

Sunday Choral Eucharist* 11.00am

Daily Morning Prayer is in the chapel of **Our Lady Martyrdom** for Mondays to Fridays, and in the **Jesus Chapel** at weekends and bank holidays.

The daily 8.00am Eucharist is in the Chapel of **Our Lady Undercroft, Crypt** on a Sunday, and in the chapels listed overleaf on the weekdays of the month.

The Lunchtime Eucharist is in the Chapel of **Our Lady Undercroft, Crypt**.

All Choral Services, unless otherwise indicated on the list below, are held in the **Quire**.

Full details of additional special services that are open to members of the public are provided in the pages that follow.

Sunday Choral Eucharist Preachers for June

Sunday 4 June:	The Dean
Sunday 11 June:	The Reverend Dr E L Pennington, Vice Dean
Sunday 18 June:	The Reverend T G E Pote, Assistant Chaplain, The King's School, Honorary Minor Canon
Sunday 25 June:	The Reverend K Reid, Associate Priest, Dover Town

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Live-streamed worship

The starred services above will be live-streamed and available on our website and via YouTube. If you attend these services you may be seen on camera, and by attending these services you give your permission to appear in this way. If you have any queries or concerns about this please contact the Precentor in advance (precentor@canterbury-cathedral.org). To watch these services online visit www.canterbury-cathedral.org

The Julian Silent Prayer Meeting

If you are drawn to silent prayer, do come and join our monthly Julian Meeting, which is held from 6.30pm to 7.00pm in the Chapel of Our Lady Undercroft. The dates for the first half of this year are

Thursday 1 June

Thursday 6 July

Meetings gather at the south door of the Cathedral after Evensong, and then we go down into the Crypt. A sentence or meditation is read followed by half an hour's silent prayer. For further information please contact Canon Emma: emma.pennington@canterbury-cathedral.org

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Chapels for the daily 8.00am Eucharist – June 2023

1	Thursday	St John the Evangelist, South-East Transept
2	Friday	Saints and Martyrs of Our Own Time, Corona (<i>obit of Archbishop Oda</i>)
3	Saturday	St Nicholas, Crypt
4	Sunday	Our Lady Undercroft, Crypt
5	Monday	Our Lady Martyrdom
6	Tuesday	St Gabriel, Crypt
7	Wednesday	St Stephen, North-East Transept
8	Thursday	St Mary Magdalene, Crypt
9	Friday	St Anselm, South Quire Aisle
10	Saturday	Holy Innocents, Crypt
11	Sunday	Our Lady Undercroft, Crypt
12	Monday	St Martin, North-East Transept (<i>obit of Archbishop Lyfing</i>)
13	Tuesday	Jesus Chapel, Crypt
14	Wednesday	High Altar (<i>obit of Archbishop Simon of Sudbury</i>)
15	Thursday	St Nicholas, Crypt
16	Friday	St Gregory, South-East Transept
17	Saturday	St Gabriel, Crypt
18	Sunday	Our Lady Undercroft, Crypt
19	Monday	Saints and Martyrs of Our Own Time, Corona
20	Tuesday	St John the Evangelist, South-East Transept
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23	Friday	Our Lady Undercroft, Crypt
24	Saturday	Our Lady Undercroft, Crypt
25	Sunday	Our Lady Undercroft, Crypt
26	Monday	Our Lady Undercroft, Crypt
27	Tuesday	Our Lady Undercroft, Crypt
28	Wednesday	Our Lady Undercroft, Crypt
29	Thursday	Jesus Chapel, Crypt
30	Friday	St Martin, North-East Transept

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In addition to the Cathedral's regular worship as described above, the Cathedral hosts a number of special services which all are very welcome to attend.

June Special Services

8	Thursday	12.30pm	Said Eucharist for Corpus Christi
		4.30pm	Said Evening Prayer
		5.30pm	Sung Eucharist for Corpus Christi
11	Sunday	9.15am	King's School Matins
18	Sunday	7.30pm	King's School Evensong
24	Saturday	12.30pm	Said Eucharist for St John the Baptist
29	Thursday	12.30pm	Said Eucharist for St Peter and St Paul

We very much hope that in the range of worship we offer you find yourself drawn nearer to the love of the living God.

Archbishops of Canterbury commemorated in June

- 2nd Oda, 22nd Archbishop, 958
Buried in the Chapel of Saints and Martyrs of Our Own Time, Corona
- 4th William Juxon, 77th Archbishop, 1663
- 6th William Wittlesey, 57th Archbishop, 1374
Buried at the South East end of the Nave
- 12th Lyfing, 30th Archbishop, 1020
Buried in St Martin's Chapel
- 14th Simon de Sudbury, 58th Archbishop, 1381
Buried south of the High Altar
- 30th Aethelred, 18th Archbishop, 888
Buried in the Cathedral, exact location unknown

- 1 **Thursday** Justin, Martyr at Rome, c.165
5.30 **Evensong** *sung by St Paul's, Canterbury*
Byrd, Responses
Psalm 8
Noble in b
Grayston Ives, Listen, sweet dove
Hymn 676 Immortal, invisible, God only wise (St Denio)
- 2 **Friday** Oda, 22nd Archbishop of Canterbury, 958
5.30 **Evensong** *sung by St Stephen's, Canterbury*
Ayleward, Responses
Psalm 13
Grayston Ives in D
McKinley, The Spirit's gift
Hymn 609 Christ is the world's light, he and none other
(Christe Sanctorum)
- 3 **Saturday** The Martyrs of Uganda, 1886 and 1978
5.30 **Evensong** *sung by Cantiago Chamber Choir, Utrecht*
Shephard, Responses
Psalm 18.1-16
Brewer in D
Sweelinck, Diligam te Domine
Hymn 272 Father, Lord of earth and heaven (Stuttgart)

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- 4 **Sunday** **TRINITY SUNDAY**
11.00 **Eucharist** *sung by Cantiago Chamber Choir, Utrecht*
 Rihards Dubra, Missa Simplex
 Psalm 8
 James MacMillan, Benedicimus Deum caeli
 Hymns NEH146 Holy, Holy Holy! Lord God Almighty!
 (Nicaea); NEH159 I bind unto myself today (St Patrick's
 Breastplate); NEH343 Bright the vision that delighted
 (Redhead No. 46)
- 5.30** **Evensong** *sung by Cantiago Chamber Choir, Utrecht*
 Geerten Liefing, We praise thee, O God
 Shephard, Responses
 Psalm 93
 Hayo Boerema, Evening Canticles
 Kim André Arnesen, Even when he is silent
 Hymn 634i Firmly I believe and truly (Halton Holgate)
- 5 **Monday** Boniface (Wynfrith) of Crediton, Bishop, Apostle of Germany,
 Martyr, 754
- 5.30** **Evensong** *sung by the boy choristers and Lay Clerks*
 Rose, Responses
 Psalms 27-29
 Berkeley, Chichester service
 Wood, Expectans expectavi
 Hymn 754 O worship the King, all glorious above (Hannover)

6 Tuesday

5.30 Evensong *sung by the boy choristers and Lay Clerks*
Rose, Responses
Psalms 32-34
Ayleward, Short service
Purcell, Thy word is a lantern
Hymn 810 Thou, whose almighty word (Moscow)

6.15 Informal Organ Recital – Allan Wicks Centenary
Peter King, Bryan Gipps and Stephen Pinnock
Mendelssohn, Sonata No 3 in A, first movement,
Con moto maestoso
Rameau, Entrée de Polymnie (from Les Boréades)
Louis Lefébure-Wély, Andante “Choer de voix humaines”
Vierne, Scherzetto (from 24 Pièces en style libre)
J.S. Bach, Prelude in c, BWV 546
Vierne, Berceuse
Messiaen, Dieu Parmi Nous

7 Wednesday

5.30 Evensong *sung by the girl choristers*
plainchant, Responses
Psalm 37.1-11
Rose, Magdalen College service
Couperin, Lauda Sion
Hymn 823 Who would true valour see (Monk’s Gate)

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- 8 **Thursday** **Day of Thanksgiving for Holy Communion
(Corpus Christi)**
Thomas Ken, Bishop of Bath and Wells, Nonjuror,
Hymn Writer, 1711
- 5.30 **Eucharist** *sung by the boy choristers*
plainchant, Missa viii 'de angelis'
Psalm 116.10-16
Lallouette, O misterium ineffabile
Hymns NEH271 Alleluya, sing to Jesus (Hyfrydol); NEH280
Deck thyself, my soul, with gladness (Schmücke Dich);
NEH302 O thou, who at thy Eucharist didst pray (Song I)
- 9 **Friday** Columba, Abbot of Iona, Missionary, 597
- 5.30 **Evensong** *sung by the Lay Clerks*
John Rutter, Responses
Psalm 49
Michael Walsh, Carlisle service
Tye, Salve Regina
Hymn 790 Teach me, my God and King (Sandys)
- 7.30 **Organ Festival Recital**
Peter Stevens, Assistant Master of Music at Westminster
Cathedral
Tournemire, Triptyque (L'Orgue Mystique No. 26)
J.S. Bach, Passacaglia BWV 582
Byrd, Fantasia in d
Franck, Choral No. 1 in E
Tippett, Preludio al Vespro di Monteverdi
Duruflé, Prélude, Adagio et Choral varié sur le Veni Creator

10 Saturday**5.30**

Evensong *sung by the boy choristers and Lay Clerks*
Tomkins, Responses
Psalms 53-55
Stanford in A
Stanford, Fo lo, I raise up
Hymn 299i Give us the wings of faith to rise (Song 67)

11 Sunday**11.00****Barnabus the Apostle**

Eucharist *sung by the boy choristers and Lay Clerks*
Byrd, Mass for five voices
Psalm 112
Byrd, Ave verum
Hymns NEH397 Let us, with a gladsome mind (Monkland);
NEH452 Stand up, and bless the Lord (Carlisle); NEH440
Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King of creation (Lobe
den Herren);
Organ voluntary: Andriessen, Theme and variations

5.30

Evensong *sung by the girl choristers and Lay Clerks*
Radcliffe, God be in my head
Byrd, Responses
Psalms 59-61
Turner in A
Purcell, O God, Thou art my God
Hymn 300 Glory to you, O God (Harewood)
Organ voluntary: Bach, Fugue in D, BWV 532

12 Monday**5.30**

Evensong *sung by the Lay Clerks*
John Rutter, Responses
Psalm 66
Wood in E
Byrd, Gloria tibi, Domine
Hymn 763iii Praise to the Holiest in the height (Billing)

13 Tuesday**5.30****Evensong** *sung by the boy choristers and Lay Clerks*

Tomkins, Responses

Psalms 69; 70

Stanford in A

Bairstow, I sat down under his shadow

Hymn 622 Dear Lord, we long to see your face (Surrey)

14 Wednesday**5.30****Evensong** *sung by the girl choristers*

plainchant, Responses

Psalm 74.1-12

Becky-Ellice Creighton, Canterbury service

Jeffreys, Erit gloria Domini

Hymn 591 As pants the hart for cooling streams (Martyrdom)

15 Thursday**5.30****Evensong** *sung jointly by the boy choristers of Canterbury Cathedral Choir, and the boy choristers of Ramsgate Holy Trinity Church of England Primary School*

plainchant, Responses

Psalm 78.1-17

Sumsion in G

Hurford, Litany to the Holy Spirit

Hymn 646 God is working his purpose out (Benson)

- 16 Friday**
5.30 Richard, Bishop of Chichester, 1253
Evensong *sung by the Lay Clerks*
Anthony Piccolo, Responses
Psalm 83
Wood in E
Wills, Their sound is gone out
Hymn 816i Thy kingdom come, O God (St Cecilia)
- 7.30** **Organ Festival Recital**
William Fox, Acting Organist and Assistant Director of Music
at St Paul's Cathedral
Couperin, Offertoire sur les grands jeux from Messe pour
les Paroisses
Byrd, Ut, re, mi, fa, sol, la
J.S. Bach, Dies sind die heil'gen zehn Gebot (BWV 678)
J.S. Bach, Wir glauben all' an einen Gott (BWV 680)
J.S. Bach, Vater unser im Himmelreich (BWV 682)
Parry, Fantasia and Fugue in G
N. Boulanger, Trois Improvisations
Francis Pott, Introduction, Toccata and Fugue
- 17 Saturday**
5.30 **Evensong** *sung by the boy choristers and Lay Clerks*
Tomkins, Responses
Psalm 89
Howells, Worcester service
Mendelssohn, Richte mich, Gott
Hymn 812 Through all the changing scenes of life (Wiltshire)

- 18 Sunday**
11.00 **The Second Sunday after Trinity**
Eucharist *sung by the boy choristers and Lay Clerks*
Martin, Mass for double choir
Psalm 116. 9-16
Duruflé, Tantum ergo
Hymns NEH357 Father, hear the prayer we offer (Sussex);
NEH351 Come, ye faithful, raise the anthem (Neander);
NEH336 Angel-voices ever singing (Angel Voices)
Organ voluntary: Bach, Prelude in C, BWV 547
- 5.30** **Evensong** *sung by the girl choristers and Lay Clerks*
Byrd, Responses
Psalms 93; 94
Arvo Pärt, Magnificat and Nunc dimittis
Howells, Like as the hart
Hymn 818 To God be the glory, great things he has done!
(To God be the glory)
Organ voluntary: Bach, Fugue in E flat 'St Anne', BWV 552
- 19 Monday**
5.30 **Evensong** *sung by the boy choristers and Lay Clerks*
Tomkins, Responses
Psalms 98-101
Howells, Worcester service
Gibbons, Almighty and everlasting God
Hymn 537i For the beauty of the earth (Englands Lane)
- 20 Tuesday**
5.30 **Evensong** *sung by the boy choristers and Lay Clerks*
Tomkins, Responses
Psalm 104
Cheryl Frances-Hoad, The Merton service
Michael Berkeley, Listen, listen, O my child
Hymn 781 Son of God, eternal Saviour (Everton)

21 Wednesday

5.30 Evensong *sung by the girl choristers*
 plainchant, Responses
 Psalm 106.1-12
 plainchant, Magnificat
 Holly Smith, Nunc dimittis
 Leighton, The Lord is my shepherd
 Hymn 772 Rock of ages, cleft for me (Petra)

22 Thursday

5.30 Evensong *sung by The Crypt Choir of The King's School, Canterbury*
 Rose, Responses
 Psalm 108
 Murrill in E
 James Whitbourn, Give us the wings of faith
 Hymn 629i Father, hear the prayer we offer (Sussex)

23 Friday

5.30 Evensong *sung by the Lay Clerks*
 Anthony Piccolo, Responses
 Psalm 115
 Philip Moore in G
 Gibbons, This is the record of John
 Hymn 46 On Jordan's bank the Baptist's cry (Winchester New)

7.30**Organ Festival Recital**

Peter Holder, Sub-Organist of Westminster Abbey
 Handel arr. Best, Overture to The Occasional Oratorio
 Byrd, Fancy in d
 Parry, Chorale Fantasia on the Old Hundredth
 Vaughan Williams, Rhosymedre
 Elgar arr. Iain Farrington, The Severn Suite
 Judith Weir, The Tree of Peace
 Walton arr. Murrill, Crown Imperial

- 24 **Saturday** **The Birth of John the Baptist**
5.30 **Evensong** *sung by the boy choristers and Lay Clerks*
Ayleward, Responses
Psalm 119.1-32
Purcell in B flat
Charpentier, Beatus vir, H. 221
Hymn 312 Ye watchers and ye holy ones (Lasst Uns Erfreuen)
- 25 **Sunday** **The Third Sunday after Trinity**
11.00 **Eucharist** *sung jointly by the boy choristers and Lay Clerks of
Canterbury Cathedral Choir, and the choir of Bodo
Cathedral, Norway*
Mozart, Missa brevis in B flat
Psalm 86.1-10
John Rutter, The Lord bless you and keep you
Hymns NEH205 Christ is made the sure foundation
(Westminster Abbey); NEH485 Thy hand, O God, has guided
(Thornbury); NEH295 Let all mortal flesh keep silence
(Picardy)
Organ voluntary: Reger, Introduction and Passacaglia
- 5.30** **Evensong** *sung by the girl choristers and Lay Clerks*
Byrd, Responses
Psalm 119.73-104
Gray in f
Elgar, Blessed be the Lord God of Israel
Hymn 809 Thou art the Way: by thee alone (St James)
Organ voluntary: Elgar, 'Allegro', Organ Sonata in G, op. 28
- 26 **Monday**
5.30 **Evensong** *sung by the boy choristers and Lay Clerks*
Ayleward, Responses
Psalm 119.145-176
Purcell in B flat
Palestrina, Sicut cervus
Hymn 810 Thou, whose almighty word (Moscow)

- 27 **Tuesday**
5.30 **Evensong** *sung by the boy choristers and Lay Clerks*
 Ayleward, Responses
 Psalms 126-131
 Byrd, Short service
 Aldolphus Hailstork, The Song of Deborah
 Hymn 796i The Lord is King! lift up thy voice (Church Triumphant)
- 28 **Wednesday** Irenaeus, Bishop of Lyons, Teacher of the Faith, c.200
 Ember Day
5.30 **Evensong** *sung by the girl choristers*
 plainchant, Responses
 Psalm 137
 Hurford in A
 Purcell, Now that the sun hath veil'd his light
 Hymn 506 The church's one foundation (Aurelia)
- 29 **Thursday** **Peter and Paul, Apostles**
5.30 **Evensong** *sung by the boy choristers, together with the choir of St Edmund's School, Canterbury, as part of the St Edmund's Festival*
 Duruflé, Tu es Petrus
 Smith, Responses
 Psalm 142
 Stanford in B flat
 Parry, Hear my words, ye people
 Hymn 321, t.278 Thou art the Christ, O Lord (Croft's 136th)
- 30 **Friday**
5.30 **Evensong** *sung by the Lay Clerks*
 Philip Moore, Responses i
 Psalm 147
 Grayston Ives, Magdalen service
 S. Wesley, Behold, how good and joyful
 Hymn 24 The day thou gavest, Lord, is ended (St Clement)