

# ChristChurch Transitional Cathedral



## CATHEDRAL CHOIR MUSIC LIST

*9 May – 4 June 2021*

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## WELCOME FROM THE DEAN

Welcome to the Christchurch Transitional Cathedral. This is an exquisitely beautiful place in the heart of the recovering City of Christchurch. This building exists for the glory of God in Jesus Christ and for the good of all people. It is the newest Cathedral in New Zealand and stands as a sign of hope and as a place of prayer for everyone.

Cathedrals are places of spiritual exuberance, and yet there is a simplicity in this building that calls us to the peace that God longs to give. This is a place where worship takes place in countless forms and music pours forth in daily offerings of resonant beauty. As the psalmist says:

*Through all the changing scenes of life,*

*In trouble and in joy,*

*The praises of my God shall still*

*My heart and tongue employ.* (From Psalm 34, Nahum Tate and Nicolas Brady, 1696)

You are invited to come and be part of this daily offering of worship and prayer which is offered in this Cathedral. St Augustine said, "Whoever sings [to God in worship], prays twice." Our prayer is that everyone who joins in worship in this place will not only experience the love of God in the worship itself, but also hear the Good News that this love is available for you. Love is our origin, love is our constant calling, love is our fulfilment in heaven. We pray that this love will be your experience as you join in with the worship and singing in this Cathedral.

May God bless you here at this Transitional Cathedral, as you join us to sing and to pray, and to offer our thanks and our praises to God.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Lawrence Kimberley". The signature is written in dark ink on a light-colored background.

The Very Rev'd Lawrence Kimberley  
Dean of the Transitional Cathedral, Christchurch.

# THE CHOIR OF CHRISTCHURCH CATHEDRAL

The ChristChurch Cathedral Choir has sung choral services since the Cathedral opened in 1881. The Cathedral Grammar School was established some months before the Cathedral was opened to train choristers to sing at the Cathedral services. This choral tradition has been maintained through the subsequent 130 years, maintaining this unique English choral tradition in the Southern Hemisphere.

The full choir consists of up to twenty boys, twenty girls (established in 2020), and ten professional singers who sing the alto, tenor, and bass parts. The boys receive scholarships to attend The Cathedral Grammar School. The back row of the choir are either Lay Clerks (professional singers, highly skilled in the art of Anglican choral tradition) or Godley Wakefield Scholars (college or tertiary students - talented young singers, many training for careers as professional singers).

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CHORAL SERVICES ARE SUNG AT THE FOLLOWING TIMES:

## CHORAL EVENSONG

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday at 5.30pm; Friday at 4.30pm;  
Sunday at 5.00pm

## CHORAL EUCHARIST OR SPECIAL SERVICE

Sunday at 10.00am

For more information visit [www.christchurchcathedral.co.nz](http://www.christchurchcathedral.co.nz)

*This music list is correct at time of printing but may be subject to change.*

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## DEAN

The Very Rev'd Lawrence Kimberley

## PRECENTRIX

Miss Jill Kerr

## DIRECTOR OF MUSIC

Dr John Linker

## ASSISTANT ORGANIST / DIRECTOR OF THE CATHEDRAL GIRL CHORISTERS

Mr Alex Goodwin

## DIRECTOR OF THE CATHEDRAL SINGERS

Miss Jill Kerr

## CATHEDRAL ADMINISTRATOR

Mr Chris Oldham

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SUNDAY 9

**THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

10 AM EUCHARIST *Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)*  
SETTING. *Ireland in C*  
RESPONSORIAL PSALM 98 (Childs)  
GRADUAL *Ubi caritas Duruflé*  
COMMUNION *I give to you a new commandment Nardone*

5.00 PM EVENSONG IN MEMORY OF HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS  
THE PRINCE PHILIP, DUKE OF EDINBURGH  
*Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)*  
INTROIT *The Evening Hymn of King Charles I Ley*  
RESPONSES *Ayleward*  
PSALM 121 (Davies)  
CANTICLES *Stanford in G*  
RESPONSE TO THE PRAYERS *Russian Contakion of the Dead*  
ANTHEM *Jubilate Deo in C Britten*

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TUESDAY 11

**RUATARA, TE ARA MŌ TE RONGOPAI**

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)*  
INTROIT *Let thy merciful ears Weelkes*  
RESPONSES *Radcliffe*  
PSALM 59 (Flintoft)  
CANTICLES *Stanford in C*  
ANTHEM *Viri Galilaei Isaac*

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WEDNESDAY 12

**SAMUEL MARSDEN, PRIEST, 1838 / FIRST EVENSONG OF ASCENSION**

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)*  
INTROIT *Let thy merciful ears Weelkes*  
RESPONSES *Radcliffe*  
PSALM 65 (Garrett)  
CANTICLES *Plainsong [TB]*  
ANTHEM *O Lord, increase my faith Loosemoore*

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THURSDAY 13

**ASCENSION DAY**

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Lay Clerks & Choral Scholars*  
INTROIT *Gloria tibi, Domine Byrd*  
RESPONSES *Rose*  
PSALM 47 (Lloyd)  
CANTICLES *Sumsion in G*  
ANTHEM *Viri Galilaei Byrd*

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FRIDAY 14

**ST MATTHIAS THE APOSTLE**

4.30 PM EVENSONG *Boy Choristers*  
RESPONSES *Childs*  
PSALM 73:1-12 (Hopkins)  
CANTICLES *Harker in D*  
ANTHEM *Christo resurgenti Couperin*

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SUNDAY 16

THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER / SUNDAY AFTER ASCENSION

10 AM	EUCCHARIST	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	SETTING	Collegium Regale <i>Howells</i>
	RESPONSORIAL PSALM 47 (Childs)	
	GRADUAL	God is gone up <i>Finzi</i>
	COMMUNION	Viri Galilaei <i>Isaac</i>
4.30 PM	CATHEDRAL GRAMMAR SCHOOL FOUNDERS' DAY SERVICE	
	Sung by the Cathedral Choir and CGS Chapel Choirs	
	PSALM 150 (Stanford)	<i>Cathedral Choir (with Girl and Boy Choristers)</i>
	MAGNIFICAT	Wood No. 2 in E-flat <i>Cathedral Choir (Girl Choristers)</i>
	NUNC DIMITTIS	Wood No. 2 in E-flat <i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>

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TUESDAY 18

TAMIHANA TE RAUPARAHA, MISSIONARY TO TE WAI POUNAMU, 1876

5.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	INTROIT	If ye love me <i>Aston</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Shephard</i>
	PSALM 93 (Harrison)	
	CANTICLES	<i>Wood in D</i>
	ANTHEM	Come down, O Love Divine <i>Harris</i>

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WEDNESDAY 19

DUNSTAN, ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY AND REFORMER, 988

5.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	INTROIT	O Lord, give thy Holy Spirit <i>Tallis</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Shephard</i>
	PSALMS 99, 100 (Attwood, Battishill)	
	CANTICLES	Second Service <i>Gibbons</i>
	ANTHEM	A sound came from heaven <i>Mews</i>

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THURSDAY 20

5.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Cathedral Choir (Girl Choristers)</i>
	INTROIT	Litany to the Holy Spirit <i>Hurford [Girls]</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Radcliffe</i>
	PSALM 104 (Norris)	
	CANTICLES	<i>Harwood in A-flat</i>
	ANTHEM	Lead me, Lord <i>Wesley</i>

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FRIDAY 21

4.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Boy Choristers</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Archer</i>
	PSALM 106:1-11 (Goss)	
	CANTICLES	<i>Sumsion in D</i>
	ANTHEM	Litany to the Holy Spirit <i>Hurford</i>

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SUNDAY 23

**THE DAY OF PENTECOST (WHITSUNDAY)**

10 AM	EUCCHARIST	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	SETTING	Messe Solennelle <i>Vierne</i>
	RESPONSORIAL PSALM 104	
	GRADUAL	A sound came from heaven <i>Mews</i>
	COMMUNION	If ye love me <i>Aston</i>
5.00 PM	READINGS AND ANTHEMS FOR PENTECOST	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	ANTHEMS	O God, the King of glory <i>Gibbons</i> Come down, O Love Divine <i>Harris</i> Litany to the Holy Spirit <i>Hurford [Boys]</i> O Lord, give thy Holy Spirit <i>Tallis</i> If ye love me <i>Aston</i> A sound came from heaven <i>Mews</i>

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TUESDAY 25

**THE VENERABLE BEDE OF JARROW, 735**

5.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	INTROIT	Almighty God, who hast me brought <i>Ford</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Clucas</i>
	PSALM 119:89-96 (Howells)	
	CANTICLES	Fourth Service <i>Batten</i>
	ANTHEM	O Lorde, the maker of al thine <i>Joubert</i>

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WEDNESDAY 26

**AUGUSTINE, FIRST ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY, MISSIONARY, 605**

5.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	INTROIT	If ye love me <i>Tallis</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Clucas</i>
	PSALM 119:161-176 (Noble, Attwood)	
	CANTICLES	<i>Noble in B minor</i>
	ANTHEM	Hymn to the Holy Trinity <i>Leighton</i>

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THURSDAY 27

5.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Lay Clerks &amp; Choral Scholars</i>
	INTROIT	Christe qui lux <i>Caukwell</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Tallis</i>
	PSALM 128	
	CANTICLES	Westminster Service <i>Clucas</i>
	ANTHEM	By the waters of Babylon <i>Wills</i>

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FRIDAY 28

4.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Boy Choristers</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Law</i>
	PSALM 138 (Walmisley)	
	CANTICLES	<i>Bairstow in E-flat</i>
	ANTHEM	Duo Seraphim <i>Dering</i>

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SUNDAY 30

TRINITY SUNDAY

10 AM	EUCCHARIST	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	SETTING	Missa Brevis in D, K 194 <i>Mozart</i>
	RESPONSORIAL PSALM	29
	GRADUAL	I saw the Lord <i>Stainer</i>
	COMMUNION	Ave verum corpus <i>Byrd</i>
5.00 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	INTROIT	If ye love me <i>Tallis</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Clucas</i>
	PSALM 147	(Stanford)
	CANTICLES	<i>Noble in B minor</i>
	ANTHEM	Hymn to the Trinity <i>Leighton</i>

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TUESDAY 1

JUSTIN, MARTYR AT ROME, C.165

5.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	INTROIT	Prevent us, O Lord <i>Byrd</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Nardone</i>
	PSALM 6	
	CANTICLES	<i>Sumsion in G</i>
	ANTHEM	If we believe <i>Goss</i>

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WEDNESDAY 2

5.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	INTROIT	O Lord, support us <i>Holman</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Nardone</i>
	PSALM 11	(Arnold)
	CANTICLES	<i>Stanford in G</i>
	ANTHEM	O Saviour of the world <i>Goss</i>

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THURSDAY 3

DAY OF THANKSGIVING FOR HOLY COMMUNION

THURSDAY AFTER TRINITY SUNDAY (CORPUS CHRISTI)

5.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Cathedral Choir (Girl Choristers)</i>
	INTROIT	Tantum ergo <i>Paul Brough</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Byrd</i>
	PSALM	
	CANTICLES	<i>Watson in E</i>
	ANTHEM	Ave verum <i>Mozart</i>

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FRIDAY 4

THE MARTYRS OF UGANDA, 1886

4.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Boy Choristers</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Linker</i>
	PSALM 22:22-32	(Norris)
	CANTICLES	<i>Aston in G</i>
	ANTHEM	The sun shall be no more <i>Greene</i>

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