

ChristChurch Transitional Cathedral



CATHEDRAL CHOIR MUSIC LIST

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).

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

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

DEAN

The Very Rev'd Lawrence Kimberley

PRECENTRIX

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AUGUST

SUNDAY 1

THE EIGHTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10 AM	EUCCHARIST	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	SETTING	<i>Jackson</i> in G
	RESPONSORIAL PSALM	78:23-29 (Lang)
	GRADUAL	Laudate Dominum <i>Mozart</i>
	COMMUNION	Ave verum corpus <i>Elgar</i>
5.00 PM	CONFIRMATION SERVICE	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	SETTING	<i>Stanford</i> in C & F (with Childs Gloria)
	RESPONSORIAL PSALM	
	GRADUAL	Cantate Domino <i>Pitoni</i>
	COMMUNION	Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace <i>Wesley</i>

TUESDAY 3

ST STEPHEN, THE FIRST CHRISTIAN MARTYR

5.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	INTROIT	When the Lord turned again <i>Batten</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Ives</i>
	PSALM 18 (Turle)	
	CANTICLES	Fauxbourdon Service <i>Holmes</i>
	ANTHEM	My soul, there is a country <i>Parry</i>

WEDNESDAY 4

JOHN BAPTIST VIANNEY, CURE D'ARS, PRIEST, 1859

5.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	INTROIT	God be in my head <i>Briggs</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Ives</i>
	PSALM 23A (Grindle)	
	CANTICLES	<i>Purcell</i> in G minor
	ANTHEM	We wait for thy loving kindness, O God <i>McKie</i>

THURSDAY 5

OSWALD, KING OF NORTHUMBRIA, MARTYR, 642 / EVE OF THE TRANSFIGURATION

There is no service of Evensong today.

FRIDAY 6

THE TRANSFIGURATION

There is no service of Evensong today.

AUGUST

SUNDAY 8

THE NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME /
ANNIVERSARY OF TRANSITIONAL CATHEDRAL DEDICATION

10 AM	EUCCHARIST	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	SETTING	Missa Brevis in C, K 220 (Spazen-Messe) <i>Mozart</i>
	RESPONSORIAL PSALM 122 (Battishill)	
	GRADUAL	Coventry Antiphon <i>Howells</i>
	COMMUNION	Laetatus sum <i>A Scarlatti</i>
2.00 PM	MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR JEANIE MCWHANNELL	<i>Boy Choristers</i>
	PSALM 23 (GRINDLE)	
	ANTHEM	My song is love unknown <i>Archer</i>
5.00 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Lay Clerks and Choral Scholars</i>
	INTROIT	Haec dies <i>Morley</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Rose</i>
	PSALM 42 (Lloyd)	
	CANTICLES	St Paul's Service <i>Walsh</i>
	ANTHEM	O praise God in his holiness <i>Millington</i>

TUESDAY 10

LAURENCE, DEACON AND MARTYR AT ROVE, 258

5.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	INTROIT	O praise the Lord <i>Batten</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Clucas</i>
	PSALM 54 (Flintoft)	
	CANTICLES	Fourth Service <i>Batten</i>
	ANTHEM	In manus tuas <i>Tallis</i>

WEDNESDAY 11

CLARE OF ASSISI, ABBESS, 1253

5.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Lay Clerks and Choral Scholars</i>
	INTROIT	Be unto me, O Lord, a tower <i>Byrd</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Bertalot</i>
	PSALM 59 (Lloyd)	
	MAGNIFICAT	Tertii toni <i>Palestrina</i>
	NUNC DIMITTIS	<i>Plainsong</i>
	ANTHEM	Laboravi in gemitu meo <i>Caldara</i>

THURSDAY 12

5.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Sung by Boy and Girl Cathedral Choristers, CGS Chapel Choir, and the Choir of St Mark's School, Wellington</i>
	INTROIT	A Joyful Song (St Mark's)
	RESPONSES	<i>Sanders</i> (Combined choirs)
	PSALM 66 (Robinson)	(Combined choirs)
	CANTICLES	<i>John Wood</i> in G (Combined choirs)
	ANTHEM	A Prayer of St Richard of Chichester <i>White</i> (Cathedral Choristers)

FRIDAY 13

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE, NURSE, SOCIAL REFORMER, 1910

4.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Boy Choristers</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Law</i>
	PSALM 70 (Barnby)	
	CANTICLES	<i>Harker</i> in D
	ANTHEM	Prevent us, O Lord <i>Holman</i>

AUGUST

SUNDAY 15

ST MARY, THE MOTHER OF JESUS / TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10 AM	EUCCHARIST	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	SETTING	Truro Eucharist <i>Briggs</i>
	RESPONSORIAL PSALM	132:6-10, 13-14
	GRADUAL	As truly as God is our Father <i>Mathias</i>
	COMMUNION	Ave Maria <i>Parsons</i>
5.00 PM	CATHEDRAL GRAMMAR SCHOOL BAPTISM SERVICE	
	ANTHEM	Ev'ry time I feel the Spirit <i>Spiritual arr. Chilcott</i>

TUESDAY 17

5.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Byrd</i>
	PSALM 90	(Hopkins, Lawes)
	CANTICLES	<i>Dyson in F</i>
	ANTHEM	O most merciful <i>Woodside</i>

WEDNESDAY 18

5.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)</i>
	INTROIT	Adoramus te, Christe <i>Lassus</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Byrd</i>
	PSALM 93	(Harrison)
	CANTICLES	<i>Plainsong</i>
	ANTHEM	Beatus vir <i>Monteverdi</i>

THURSDAY 19

5.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Lay Clerks and Choral Scholars</i>
	INTROIT	I give you a new commandment <i>Sheppard</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Rose</i>
	PSALM 98	(Plainsong)
	CANTICLES	Second Service <i>Moore</i>
	ANTHEM	Ave maris stella <i>Byrd</i>

FRIDAY 20

BERNARD OF CLAIRVAUX, ABBOT, POET, 1153

4.30 PM	EVENSONG	<i>Boy Choristers</i>
	RESPONSES	<i>Archer</i>
	PSALM 104	(Norris)
	CANTICLES	<i>Aston in G</i>
	ANTHEM	Evening Hymn <i>Purcell</i>

AUGUST

SUNDAY 22

THE TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10 AM EUCHARIST *Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)*
SETTING Collegium Regale *Howells*
RESPONSORIAL PSALM 34:15-22
GRADUAL I am the living bread *Harwood*
COMMUNION Adoramus te, Christe *Monteverdi*

5.00 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)*
INTROIT O most merciful *Woodside*
RESPONSES *Sumsion*
PSALM 109 (Garrett)
CANTICLES Fauxbourdon Service *Holmes*
ANTHEM Beatus vir *Monteverdi*

TUESDAY 24

ST BARTHOLOMEW, APOSTLE

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)*
INTROIT Almighty God, who hast me brought *Ford*
RESPONSES *Sumsion*
PSALM 119:1-16 (Noble, Hopkins)
CANTICLES *Noble in B minor*
ANTHEM I saw down under his shadow *Bairstow*

WEDNESDAY 25

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)*
INTROIT O almighty God *Barcroft*
RESPONSES *Sumsion*
PSALM 119:73-88 (Heathcote, Davies)
CANTICLES Second Service *Gibbons*
ANTHEM Into thy hands *Dove*

THURSDAY 26

BERNARD OF CLAIRVAUX, ABBOT, POET, 1153

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Lay Clerks and Choral Scholars*
INTROIT I give you a new commandment *Sheppard*
RESPONSES *Rose*
PSALM 119:161-176
CANTICLES Second Service *Moore*
ANTHEM Ave maris stella *Byrd*

FRIDAY 27

MONICA, MOTHER OF AUGUSTINE OF HIPPO, 387

4.30 PM EVENSONG *Boy Choristers*
RESPONSES *Archer*
PSALM 127 (Goss)
CANTICLES *Sumsion in G*
ANTHEM Bless, O Lord, us thy servants *How*

AUGUST

SUNDAY 29

THE TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10 AM EUCHARIST *Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)*
SETTING Missa Brevis *Ives*
RESPONSORIAL PSALM 15
GRADUAL I saw down under his shadow
COMMUNION O sacrum convivium *Byrd*

5.00 PM CHORAL NIGHT PRAYER *Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)*
INTROIT Eternal Spirit *Walsb*
PROCESSION Fast sinks the sun to rest
PSALM 142 (Flintoft)
ANTHEM In manus tuas *Tallis*
ANTHEM Into thy hands *Dove*
NUNC DIMITTIS Tone 8 *Vento*

TUESDAY 31

AIDAN, BISHOP OF LINDISFARNE, MISSIONARY, 651

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)*
INTROIT Let thy merciful ears *Weelkes*
RESPONSES *Tomkins*
PSALM 150 (Stanford)
CANTICLES *Wood in D*
ANTHEM Cantique de Jean Racine *Fauré*

SEPTEMBER

WEDNESDAY 1

THE BUILDERS OF THE ANGLICAN CHURCH IN AOTEAROA, NEW ZEALAND AND POLYNESIA

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (Boy Choristers)*
INTROIT Prevent us, O Lord *Byrd*
RESPONSES *Tomkins*
PSALM 8 (Lawes)
CANTICLES *Stanford in C*
ANTHEM Come, my Way, my Truth, my Life *Harker*

THURSDAY 2

THE MARTYRS OF PAPUA NEW GUINEA, 1942

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Lay Clerks and Choral Scholars*
INTROIT Holy is the true Light *Harris*
RESPONSES *Tallis*
PSALM 12
MAGNIFICAT Secundi toni *Gombert*
NUNC DIMITTIS *Plainsong*
ANTHEM Deal with me, O Lord *Tomkins*

FRIDAY 3

4.30 PM EVENSONG *Boy Choristers*
RESPONSES *Childs*
PSALM 18:31-51 (Walmisley)
CANTICLES *Sumsion in G*
ANTHEM Pie Jesu (from *Requiem*) *Duruflé*
