

Christ Church Transitional Cathedral



CATHEDRAL CHOIR MUSIC LIST

2023

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THE CHOIR OF CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

The Christ Church 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, sixteen 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

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

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Term Three, 2023

JULY

TUESDAY 25

ST JAMES AND ST JOHN, APOSTLES

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)*
INTROIT I will sing with the Spirit *Goodenough*
RESPONSES *Sanders*
PSALM 119:89-96 (Howells)
CANTICLES *Sumsion in A*
ANTHEM Jesu, the very thought is sweet *Madden*

WEDNESDAY 26

ANNE, MOTHER OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)*
INTROIT Cantate Domino *Pitoni*
RESPONSES *Sanders*
PSALM 119:161-176 (Noble, Attwood)
CANTICLES Second Service *Byrd*
ANTHEM Turn thy face from my sins *Attwood*

THURSDAY 27

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (Girl Choristers)*
INTROIT Prevent us, O Lord *Holman [Girls]*
RESPONSES *Radcliffe*
PSALM 127 (Goss)
CANTICLES Wood No. 2 in E-flat
ANTHEM Rise up, my love, my fair one *Willan*

FRIDAY 28

MARY AND MARTHA OF BETHANY

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Boy Choristers*
RESPONSES *Childs*
PSALM 138 (Walmisley)
CANTICLES *Sumsion in G*
ANTHEM Bless, O Lord, us thy servants *How*

JULY

SUNDAY 30

THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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|---------|------------------------|---|
| 10 AM | EUCCHARIST | <i>Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)</i> |
| | SETTING | <i>Jackson in G</i> |
| | RESPONSORIAL PSALM 119 | (Croft) |
| | GRADUAL | <i>Sacerdotes Domini Byrd</i> |
| | COMMUNION | <i>Ave verum corpus Elgar</i> |
| 5.00 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)</i> |
| | INTROIT | <i>Cantate Domino Pitoni</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Sanders</i> |
| | PSALM 148 | (Stanford) |
| | CANTICLES | <i>Second Service Byrd</i> |
| | ANTHEM | <i>Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace Wesley</i> |

AUGUST

TUESDAY 1

There is no service of Evensong today.

WEDNESDAY 2

CHAD, BISHOP OF LICHFIELD, MISSIONARY, 672

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|---------|----------------|--|
| 5.30 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)</i> |
| | INTROIT | <i>Bow down thine ear Wood</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Shepherd</i> |
| | PSALMS 11 & 12 | (Arnold, Hopkins) |
| | CANTICLES | <i>Ely Service Filsell</i> |
| | ANTHEM | <i>Laetatus sum Scarlatti</i> |

THURSDAY 3

ST STEPHEN, THE FIRST CHRISTIAN MARTYR

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|---------|-----------------|---------------------------------------|
| 5.30 PM | EVENSONG IN THE | CATHEDRAL, CATHEDRAL SQUARE |
| | | <i>Lay Clerks / Choral Scholars</i> |
| | INTROIT | <i>Otche nash Kedrov</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Cleobury</i> |
| | PSALM 18:1-12 | (Nicholas O'Niell) |
| | CANTICLES | <i>Wood in E</i> |
| | ANTHEM | <i>Hear my prayer, O Lord Tomkins</i> |

FRIDAY 4

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

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|---------|-----------|---------------------------------------|
| 5.30 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Boy Choristers</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Linker</i> |
| | PSALM 23B | (Goss) |
| | CANTICLES | <i>Sumsion in D</i> |
| | ANTHEM | <i>My song is love unknown Archer</i> |

AUGUST

SUNDAY 6

THE TRANSFIGURATION /

ANNIVERSARY OF TRANSITIONAL CATHEDRAL DEDICATION

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|---------|-----------------------|---|
| 10 AM | EUCCHARIST | <i>Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)</i> |
| | SETTING | Collegium Regale <i>Howells</i> |
| | RESPONSORIAL PSALM 97 | (Champneys) |
| | GRADUAL | The Transfiguration <i>Woodside</i> |
| | COMMUNION | Behold, the tabernacle of God <i>Harris</i> |
| 5.00 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)</i> |
| | INTROIT | Laetatus sum <i>A Scarlatti</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Ives</i> |
| | PSALM 34 | ("Trent") |
| | CANTICLES | First Service <i>Weelkes</i> |
| | ANTHEM | Christ whose glory fills the skies <i>Candlyn</i> |

TUESDAY 8

DOMINIC, PRIEST, 1221

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|---------|-----------|--|
| 5.30 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)</i> |
| | INTROIT | God be in my head <i>Briggs</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Clucas</i> |
| | PSALM 41 | (Stainer) |
| | CANTICLES | <i>Stanford</i> in B-flat |
| | ANTHEM | Sicus cervus <i>Palestrina</i> |

WEDNESDAY 9

MARY SUMNER, FOUNDER OF THE MOTHERS' UNION, 1921

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|---------|-----------|---|
| 5.30 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Lay Clerks & Choral Scholars</i> |
| | INTROIT | Deal with me, O Lord <i>Tomkins</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Rose</i> |
| | PSALM 47 | (Lloyd) |
| | CANTICLES | Magdalen Service <i>Ives</i> |
| | ANTHEM | I will lift up mine eyes <i>Walker</i> |

THURSDAY 10

LAURENCE, DEACON AND MARTYR AT ROVE, 258

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|---------|-----------|--|
| 5.30 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Cathedral Choristers (+ Yr 4s) with CGS Chapel Choir and St Mark's Wellington</i> |
| | INTROIT | Gloria Festiva <i>Crocker</i> [St Mark's] |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Brown</i> [Combined] |
| | PSALM 53 | (Flintoft) [Cathedral Choristers] |
| | CANTICLES | <i>Dyson</i> in C minor [Combined] |
| | ANTHEM | My song is love unknown <i>Archer</i> [Combined] |

FRIDAY 11

CLARE OF ASSISI, ABBESS, 1253

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| 4.30 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Boy Choristers</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Law</i> |
| | PSALM 60 | (Norris) |
| | CANTICLES | <i>Harker</i> in D |
| | ANTHEM | Laudate Dominum <i>Mozart</i> |

AUGUST

SUNDAY 13

THE NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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|---------|--|---|
| 10 AM | EUCCHARIST | <i>Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)</i> |
| | SETTING | Communion Service in F <i>Sumsion</i> |
| | RESPONSORIAL PSALM | 85:8-13 (Lang) |
| | GRADUAL | Laudate Dominum <i>Mozart</i> |
| | COMMUNION | Ego sum panis vivus <i>Victoria</i> |
| 5.00 PM | CATHEDRAL GRAMMAR SCHOOL TERM III SCHOOL SERVICE | |
| | PSALM 70 (Barnby) | <i>(Choristers)</i> |
| | ANTHEM | The Father's Love <i>Lole</i> |
| | HYMNS | All creature of our (Lass uns erfreuen) Love divine (Blaenwern) Whakaaria Mai |

TUESDAY 15

ST MARY, MOTHER OF JESUS

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|---------|-----------------|--|
| 5.30 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)</i> |
| | INTROIT | Prevent us, O Lord <i>Byrd</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Smith</i> |
| | PSALM 78 (Goss) | |
| | CANTICLES | <i>Sumsion</i> in G |
| | ANTHEM | Ave Maria <i>Parsons</i> |

WEDNESDAY 16

HOLY WOMEN OF THE OLD TESTAMENT

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|---------|-------------------|--|
| 5.30 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)</i> |
| | INTROIT | Hail, gladdening Light <i>Wood</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Smith</i> |
| | PSALM 83 (Atkins) | |
| | CANTICLES | <i>Dyson</i> in F |
| | ANTHEM | O most merciful <i>Woodside</i> |

THURSDAY 17

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|---------|-----------------------|---|
| 5.30 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Lay Clerks & Choral Scholars</i> |
| | INTROIT | Christe qui lux <i>Caukwell</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Caukwell</i> |
| | PSALM 89:1-8 (Linker) | |
| | CANTICLES | Westminster Service <i>Clucas</i> |
| | ANTHEM | Holy is the true light <i>Harris</i> |

FRIDAY 18

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| 4.30 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Boy Choristers</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Childs</i> |
| | PSALM 93 (Harrison) | |
| | CANTICLES | <i>Aston</i> in G |
| | ANTHEM | Teach us, good Lord <i>Nicholson</i> |

AUGUST

SUNDAY 20

THE TWENTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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| 10 AM | EUCCHARIST | <i>Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)</i> |
| | SETTING | Truro Eucharist <i>Briggs</i> |
| | RESPONSORIAL PSALM 67 (Rimbault) | |
| | GRADUAL | O Saviour of the world <i>Goss</i> |
| | COMMUNION | Ave verum <i>Judith Bingham</i> |
| 5.00 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)</i> |
| | INTROIT | O most merciful <i>Woodside</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Smith</i> |
| | PSALM 102 (Wesley, Rimbault) | |
| | CANTICLES | <i>Howells</i> in B minor |
| | ANTHEM | Jesu, the very thought of thee <i>Slater arr. Halley</i> |

TUESDAY 22

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| 5.30 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)</i> |
| | INTROIT | God be in my head <i>John Rutter</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Smith</i> |
| | PSALM 109 (Garrett, Archer) | |
| | CANTICLES | <i>Dyson</i> in F |
| | ANTHEM | In manus tuas <i>Tallis</i> |

WEDNESDAY 23

ROSE OF LIMA, MYSTIC, 1617

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|---------|-------------------|--|
| 5.30 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)</i> |
| | INTROIT | Civitas sancti tui <i>Byrd</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Smith</i> |
| | PSALM 115 (Lloyd) | |
| | CANTICLES | <i>Stanford</i> in C |
| | ANTHEM | Into thy hands <i>Jonathan Dove</i> |

THURSDAY 24

ST BARTHOLOMEW

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|---------|-----------------------|--|
| 5.30 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Cathedral Choir (with Girl Choristers)</i> |
| | INTROIT | Litany to the Holy Spirit <i>Hurford</i> [Girls] |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Clucas</i> |
| | PSALM 119:1-8 (Noble) | |
| | CANTICLES | <i>Watson</i> in E |
| | ANTHEM | O for a closer walk with God <i>Stanford</i> |

FRIDAY 25

There is no service of Evensong today.

AUGUST

SUNDAY 27

THE TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10 AM EUCHARIST *Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers + Yr 4)*
 SETTING Emmanuel Eucharist *Bryan Kelly*
 RESPONSORIAL PSALM 138 (Childs)
 GRADUAL Tu es Petrus *Duruflé*
 COMMUNION Civitas tui sancti *Byrd*

5.00 PM EVENSONG *Lay Clerks & Choral Scholars*
 INTROIT I will call upon God *Wood*
 RESPONSES *Clucas*
 PSALMS 130 & 131 (Purcell, Rimbault, Wesley)
 CANTICLES First Service *Sheppard*
 ANTHEM Tout puissant *Poulenc*

TUESDAY 29

THE BEHEADING OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)*
 INTROIT O Lord, increase my faith *Loosemoore*
 RESPONSES *Tomkins*
 PSALM 143 (Madden)
 CANTICLES *Wood* in D
 ANTHEM O almighty God *Barcrofte*

WEDNESDAY 30

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)*
 INTROIT I sat down under his shadow *Bairstow*
 RESPONSES *Tomkins*
 PSALM 149 (Stanford)
 CANTICLES Gloucester Service *Howells*
 ANTHEM O pray for the peace of Jerusalem *Howells*

THURSDAY 31

AIDAN, BISHOP OF LINDISFARNE, MISSIONARY, 651

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Lay Clerks & Choral Scholars*
 INTROIT God be in my head *Lloyd*
 RESPONSES *Bertalot*
 PSALM 149 (John Turner)
 CANTICLES St Paul's Service *Walsh*
 ANTHEM Great Lord of lords *Wood*

SEPTEMBER

FRIDAY 1

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

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Boy Choristers*
 RESPONSES *Law*
 PSALM 7:1-7 (Wesley)
 CANTICLES *Sunsion* in D
 ANTHEM Examine me *Boyce*

SEPTEMBER

SUNDAY 3

THE TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10 AM EUCHARIST *Lay Clerks & Choral Scholars*
SETTING Mass for Four Voices *Byrd*
RESPONSORIAL PSALM 26 (Rimbault)
GRADUAL View me, Lord *Wood*
COMMUNION Tantum ergo *Fauré*

5.00 PM EVENSONG & MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR GAVIN ROYFEE
Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)
INTROIT I sat down under his shadow *Bairstow*
RESPONSES *Tomkins*
PSALM 18 (Turle)
CANTICLES Sixth Service *Weelkes*
ANTHEM Give ear, O Lord *Weelkes*

TUESDAY 5

MOTHER TERESA OF CALCUTTA, MISSIONARY OF CHARITY, 1997

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)*
INTROIT Adoramus te, Christe *Lassus*
RESPONSES *Nardone*
PSALM 28 (Madden)
CANTICLES *Howells* in B minor
ANTHEM Like as the hart *Howells*

WEDNESDAY 6

CHARLES FOX, SCHOLAR, MISSIONARY, 1977

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)*
INTROIT Bow down thine ear *Wood*
RESPONSES *Nardone*
PSALM 32 (Jones)
CANTICLES *Sumsion* in G
ANTHEM The Lord is my Shepherd *Berkeley*

THURSDAY 7

THE SAINTS AND MARTYRS OF THE PACIFIC

There is no service of Evensong today.

FRIDAY 8

THE BIRTH OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY, MOTHER OF OUR LORD

There is no service of Evensong today.

SEPTEMBER

SUNDAY 10

THE TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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| 10 AM | EUCCHARIST | <i>Lay Clerks & Choral Scholars</i> |
| | SETTING | Mass for Three Voices <i>Byrd</i> |
| | RESPONSORIAL PSALM | 119:33-40 (<i>Rimbault</i>) |
| | GRADUAL | I give you a new commandment <i>Sheppard</i> |
| | COMMUNION | O salutaris hostia <i>Liszt</i> |
| 5.00 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Lay Clerks & Choral Scholars</i> |
| | INTROIT | Honestium fecit <i>Handl / Gallus</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Bertalot</i> |
| | PSALM 53 | (<i>Flintoft</i>) |
| | CANTICLES | St Paul's Service <i>Walsb</i> |
| | ANTHEM | O Lord God of hosts <i>Tomkins</i> |

TUESDAY 12

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|---------|-----------|--|
| 5.30 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)</i> |
| | INTROIT | Thou knowest, Lord <i>Purcell</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Sumsion</i> |
| | PSALM 65 | (<i>Garrett</i>) |
| | CANTICLES | <i>Sumsion</i> in A |
| | ANTHEM | The Lord hath been mindful <i>Wesley</i> |

WEDNESDAY 13

CYPRIAN, BISHOP OF CHARTHAVE, MARTYR, 258

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|---------|-----------|--|
| 5.30 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)</i> |
| | INTROIT | Adoramus te, Christe <i>Lassus</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Sumsion</i> |
| | PSALM 70 | (<i>Barnby</i>) |
| | CANTICLES | Fourth Service <i>Batten</i> |
| | ANTHEM | Crux fidelis <i>King John IV of Portugal</i> |

THURSDAY 14

HOLY CROSS DAY

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|---------|---------------|---|
| 5.30 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Cathedral Choir (with Girl Choristers)</i> |
| | INTROIT | The Father's Love <i>Lole</i> [Girls] |
| | RESPONSES | Clucas |
| | PSALM 37:1-11 | (<i>Goss</i>) |
| | CANTICLES | <i>Harwood</i> in A-flat |
| | ANTHEM | Ye that do your Master's will <i>Dyson</i> |

FRIDAY 15

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|---------|-----------|----------------------------------|
| 5.30 PM | EVENSONG | <i>Boy Choristers</i> |
| | RESPONSES | <i>Linker</i> |
| | PSALM 78 | (<i>Goss</i>) |
| | CANTICLES | <i>Aston</i> in G |
| | ANTHEM | Give ear unto me <i>Marcello</i> |

SEPTEMBER

SUNDAY 17

THE TWENTY-FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10 AM EUCHARIST *Cathedral Choir (with Girl Choristers)*
SETTING *Stanford* in F & C
RESPONSORIAL PSALM 103 (Harrison)
GRADUAL O most merciful *Watson*
COMMUNION I am the Living Bread *Harwood*

5.00 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (with Girl Choristers)*
INTROIT *Locus iste Bruckner*
RESPONSES *Nardone*
PSALM 89:1-12 (Hopkins)
CANTICLES *Murrill* in E
ANTHEM Thou wilt keep him in perfect peace *Wesley*

TUESDAY 19

THEODORE OF TARSUS, ARCHBISHOP OF CANTERBURY, 690

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)*
INTROIT A prayer of King Henry VI *Ley*
RESPONSES *Leighton*
PSALM 99 (Attwood)
CANTICLES First Service *Weelkes*
ANTHEM Cantique de Jean Racine *Fauré*

WEDNESDAY 20

JOHN COLERIDGE PATTESON, FIRST BISHOP OF MELANESIA, MARTYR, 1871

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)*
INTROIT *Cantate Domino Pitoni*
RESPONSES *Leighton*
PSALM 104 (Norris)
CANTICLES Purcell in G minor
ANTHEM Like as the hart *Ramsthorne*

THURSDAY 21

ST MATTHEW, APOSTLE, EVANGELIST

5.30 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (with Girl Choristers)*
INTROIT Lead me, Lord *Wesley*
RESPONSES *Sanders*
PSALM 106:1-12 (Goss)
CANTICLES *Aston* in F
ANTHEM I will sing with the Spirit *Goodenough*

FRIDAY 22

4.30 PM EVENSONG *Boy Choristers*
RESPONSES *Archer*
PSALM 108 (Cruickshank)
CANTICLES *Harker* in D
ANTHEM Who can express *Wesley*

SEPTEMBER

SUNDAY 24

THE TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

10 AM EUCHARIST *Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)*
SETTING Missa Simile est regnum tuum *Victoria*
RESPONSORIAL PSALM 145:1-8
GRADUAL Simile est regnum tuum *Guerrero*
COMMUNION Come down, O Love divine *Harris*

5.00 PM EVENSONG *Cathedral Choir (with Boy Choristers)*
INTROIT O Lord, increase my faith *Loosemoore*
RESPONSES *Leighton*
PSALM 119:17-32 (Heathcote, Jones)
CANTICLES *Sumsion in G*
ANTHEM Give unto the Lord *Elgar*

Following Sunday 24 September the Cathedral Choir is in recess, returning Sunday 15 October, and weekday services resume Tuesday 17 October. During the school holiday period, sung weekday services are suspended and the Sunday services are sung by the Cathedral Singers.