

NEW COLLEGE
OXFORD



Chapel Music List
Hilary Term 2023

Welcome to New College Chapel, where worship has been offered since the late fourteenth century. We hope you will find peace and space for reflection in this beautiful building, built to the glory of God and designed to resound with music and words of praise.

The choristers and clerks sing together on Sundays, Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, except in half term; the Clerks sing Evensong on Mondays, and the Choristers a form of Vespers (the Benedictine evening office) most Thursdays. On alternate Tuesdays there is a short service of Compline at 9.00 pm. There are Eucharists on alternate Saturdays.

Our customary termly 'Cantata Vespers' takes place on Sunday of Second Week, 22 January, during the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. This term we present Bach's *Herr, wie du willst*, composed in his first year as Cantor in Leipzig for performance on 23 January 1724—so we are a year and a day early for its 300th anniversary. On Sunday of Ninth Week the choir gives a liturgical performance of another 1724 piece, the *St John Passion*.

2023 marks the quatercentenary of the deaths of William Byrd and his younger contemporary Thomas Weelkes (who matriculated at New College in 1602, between stints as Organist of Winchester College and Chichester Cathedral). We will be celebrating the anniversary of these two estimable Englishmen throughout the year; their music forms the bulk of our live BBC broadcast of Choral Evensong on Wednesday 8 February, and on Ash Wednesday the choir sings Byrd's monumental setting of Savonarola, *Infelix ego*.

Music by living composers appears throughout the term, including the recently commissioned New College Service by Deborah Pritchard.

The Organist is always happy to hear from anyone considering a choristership for their son (auditions take place in January of the candidate's school Year 2), or an Academical Clerkship (undergraduate choral scholarship) at any time. Information about all aspects of the choir's work may be found on its website: www.newcollegechoir.com.

The Revd Dr Erica Longfellow
Chaplain and Dean of Divinity

Robert Quinney
Organist

Chapel musicians

Robert Quinney, *Organist*

Dónal McCann, *Assistant Organist*

Hamish Fraser & Jamie Andrews, *Organ Scholars*

15 Sunday Second Sunday of Epiphany

5.45 pm EPIPHANY CAROL SERVICE
 J. S. Bach, *Christ, unser Herr, zum Jordan kam*, BWV 684
 Harrison, *Christ, unser Herr, zum Jordan kam* DM
 Palestrina, *Tribus miraculis*
 Pritchard, *The Adoration of the Kings* NCH 37
 Victoria, *Vidi aquam* NCH 43
 Martin, *Novo profusi gaudio* NCH 42
 Buxtehude, *Wie schön leuchtet der Morgenstern*, BuxWV 223 DM

16 Monday

6.15 pm EVENSONG *sung by the clerks*
 plainchant, Responses
 Psalms 84, 85 (plainchant)
 Marenzio, *Magnificat octavi toni*
 Quinney, *Nunc dimittis terii toni*
 Lassus, *Jubilate Deo*

17 Tuesday Antony of Egypt

6.15 pm EVENSONG
 Byrd, Responses
 Psalm 89: 1-19 (Buck)
 Tomkins, *Fifth Service*
 Weelkes, *O how amiable are thy dwellings*

9.00 pm COMPLINE
 Sheppard, *In pace*
 Andreas, *Nunc dimittis tertii toni*

18 Wednesday Amy Carmichael
 No choral service

22 Sunday **Second Sunday of Epiphany**
Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

5.45 pm CANTATA VESPERS
 J. S. Bach, Prelude & Fugue in F minor, BWV 534 JA
 Giovanelli, *Jubilate Deo*
 J. S. Bach, *Herr, wir du willst, so schicks mit mir*, BWV 73
 Palestrina, Magnificat quarti toni
 Buxtehude, Praeludium ex A, BuxWV 158 DM

Preacher The Revd Canon Jeremy Davies
 former Canon Precentor, Salisbury Cathedral

23 Monday *Week of Prayer for Christian Unity*

6.15 pm EVENSONG *sung by the clerks*
 plainchant, Responses
 Psalms 114, 115 (plainchant)
 Palestrina, Magnificat quarti toni
 Tye, Nunc dimittis
 Walker, *I will lift up mine eyes*

24 Tuesday Francis de Sales
Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

6.15 pm EVENSONG
 Martin, Responses
 Psalm 119: 1-24 (Soaper, Goss, Lee Williams)
 Weir, St John's Service
 Poulenc, *Salve Regina*

25 Wednesday **Conversion of Paul**
 No choral service *Week of Prayer for Christian Unity*

26 Thursday Timothy & Titus

1.15 pm ORGAN RECITAL
 Dónal McCann
 Assistant Organist

VESPERS *sung by the choristers*

Why, impious Herod

Psalm 119: 161-176

Robinson, Magnificat in C

Howells, *Holy Spirit, ever dwelling*

1 Ps. ant. O consider

2 Ps. ant. Blessed are those

Mag. ant. Respexit

27 Friday

6.15 pm EVENSONG
 Martin, Responses
 Psalms 126, 127, 128 (Battishill, Langdon)
 Tomkins, First Service
 Byrd, *Exsurge Domine*

28 Saturday

5.45 pm EVENSONG Thomas Aquinas
 Gibbons, *Almighty and everlasting God*
 Martin, Responses
 Psalm 136 (Lloyd)
 Coleridge-Taylor in F NCH 198
 Elgar, *Give unto the Lord*
 Coleridge-Taylor arr. Hull, *Processional, from Herod* DM

29 Sunday CANDLEMAS

5.45 pm EVENSONG with Procession
 Howells, Psalm Prelude, Set 1 no 3 JA
 Martin, Responses
 Psalm 24 (Barnby)
 Howells in B minor NCH 44
 Byrd, Nunc dimittis (*Gradualia*, 1605) NCH 32, vv 1-4, 6-7
 Eccard, *When to the temple Mary went*

Preacher The Revd Dr Hester Jones
 Dean of Chapel, Winchester College

30 Monday Charles, king and martyr

6.15 pm EVENSONG *sung by the clerks*
 plainchant, Responses
 Psalm 147 (plainchant)
 McCann, First Service
 Tomkins, *O give thanks*

31 Tuesday *John Bosco*

6.15 pm EVENSONG
 Byrd, Responses
 Psalms 53, 54 (Goss, Bexfield)
 Purcell in G minor
 Byrd, *Senex puerum portabat* à4

9.00 pm COMPLINE
 Tallis, *In pace*
 Quinney, Nunc dimittis tertii toni

8	Wednesday	
<u>4.00 pm</u>	EVENSONG <i>broadcast live on BBC Radio 3</i> Weelkes, <i>O how amiable are thy dwellings</i> Byrd, Responses Psalms 41, 42, 43 (Ashfield, Goss) Byrd, Great Service Byrd, <i>Exsurge Domine</i> Byrd, Fantasia [C final], BK20	DM
		<i>The congregation is asked to be seated no later than <u>3.50 pm</u></i>
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9	Thursday	
1.15 pm	ORGAN RECITAL Jamie Andrews Organ Scholar No choral service	
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10	Friday	<i>Scholastica</i>
6.15 pm	EVENSONG Byrd, Responses Psalm 51 (Wesley) Victoria, Magnificat primi toni Ivo de Vento, Nunc dimittis octavi toni Mundy, <i>O Lord, the maker of all things</i>	
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11	Saturday	
5.45 pm	EVENSONG <i>sung by the clerks</i> Tallis, <i>Purge me, O Lord</i> Egremont, Responses Psalms 59, 60 (plainchant) Lassus, Magnificat sexti toni 'Beau le cristal' Lassus, Nunc dimittis quarti toni Lassus, <i>Perfice gressus meos</i> Frescobaldi, Toccata quinta	NCH 199 JA

12 Sunday Second Sunday before Lent

5.45 pm EVENSONG
 Stanford, Intermezzo 'founded upon an Irish air' *HF*
 Egremont, Responses
 Psalm 136 (plainchant) NCH 200
 Ives, Magdalen College Service NCH 142
 Byrd, *Domine salva nos*
 Buxtehude, Passacaglia ex D, BuxWV 161 *HF*

13 Monday

6.15 pm EVENSONG *sung by the clerks*
 plainchant, Responses
 Psalm 69 (plainchant)
 Quinney, Third Service
 Ives, *In pace*

14 Tuesday

Cyril & Methodius
Valentine

6.15 pm EVENSONG *sung by the clerks*
 plainchant, Responses
 Psalm 73 (plainchant)
 Dunstable, Magnificat secundi toni
 Viadana, Nunc dimittis tertii toni
 Palestrina, *Vox dilecti mei*

9.00 pm COMPLINE
 Sheppard, *In manus tuas (I)*
 Reid, Nunc dimittis tertii toni

15 Wednesday

Sigfrid

No choral service

16 Thursday

1.15 pm ORGAN RECITAL
Peter King
Organist Emeritus, Bath Abbey

6.15 pm VESPERS *sung by the clerks*
O blest creator 1 Ps. ant. Blessed are they
Psalms 84, 85 2 Ps. ant. Lord, thou art
Soriano, Magnificat primi toni Mag. ant. Quia fecit
Victoria, *Ave regina caelorum*

17 Friday

Janani Luwum

6.15 pm EVENSONG *sung by the clerks*
plainchant, Responses
Psalm 89: 1-19 (plainchant)
Wood in G
Wood, *Great Lord of lords*

18 Saturday

5.45 pm EUCHARIST *sung by the choristers*
Introit *Domine in tua misericordia* NCH 138
Britten, Missa brevis NCH 162
Alleluia *Verba mea*
Mathias, *Allegro ma non troppo* (Partita) DM

22 ASH WEDNESDAY

6.15 pm EUCCHARIST
 Mass XVIII
 Byrd, *Infelix ego*
 Byrd, *Memento homo*

NCH 186

23 Thursday

Polycarp

1.15 pm ORGAN RECITAL
 Robert Quinney
 Organist

No choral service

24 Friday

6.15 pm EVENSONG
 Grier, Responses
 Psalm 119: 1-24 (Soaper, Goss, Lee Williams)
 Victoria, Magnificat quarti toni
 Victoria, Nunc dimittis tertii toni
 Byrd, *Miserere mihi Domine*

25 Saturday

5.45 pm EVENSONG
 Tallis, *In manus tuas*
 Grier, Responses
 Psalm 119: 73-96 (Turle, Pye, Turle)
 Howells, *Collegium Regale*
 Howells, *Take him, earth, for cherishing*
 Howells, *Rhapsody in D flat, Op. 17 no 1*

NCH 1

DM

26 Sunday **First Sunday of Lent**

5.45 pm EVENSONG
 Pärt, *Trivium* JA
 Grier, Responses
 Psalm 32 (Barnby) NCH 48
 Pritchard, New College Service NCH 221 (tune i)
 Byrd, *Circumdederunt me*
 Byrd, Fantasia [A final], BK 13 DM

Preacher The Revd Dr Mary Kells
 Chaplain, King's College, Cambridge

27 Monday **George Herbert**

6.15 pm EVENSONG *sung by the clerks*
 Egremont, Responses
 Psalms 126, 127, 128 (plainchant)
 Tallis, Short Service
 Moore, *The Call*

28 Tuesday

6.15 pm EVENSONG
 Rose, Responses
 Psalm 136 (Lloyd)
 Palestrina, Magnificat primi toni à8
 Tye, Nunc dimittis
 Wesley, *Wash me throughly*

9.00 pm COMPLINE
 Tye, *In pace*
 Viadana, Nunc dimittis tertii toni

5 Sunday **Second Sunday of Lent**

5.45 pm EVENSONG
 Parry, Chorale Prelude on *Eventide* JA
 Rose, Responses
 Psalm 121 (Walford Davies) NCH 207
 Walmisley in D minor NCH 53
 Byrd, *Ne irascaris Domine*
 J. S. Bach, *O Lamm Gottes, unschuldig*, BWV 656 DM

6 Monday

6.15 pm EVENSONG *sung by the clerks*
 plainchant, Responses
 Psalms 32, 33 (plainchant)
 Moore, First Service
 Byrd, *Tristitia et anxietas*

7 Tuesday **Perpetua, Felicity & Companions**

6.15 pm EVENSONG
 Smith, Responses
 Psalm 37 (Stainer)
 Weelkes, First Service
 Guerrero, *O Domine Jesu Christe*

8 Wednesday **Edward King**
 No choral service *Felix*
Geoffrey Studdert Kennedy

9 Thursday

1.15 pm ORGAN RECITAL
 Luke Mitchell
 Organ Scholar, The Queen's College

6.15 pm VESPERS *sung by the choristers*
O Christ, who art the light and day 1 Ps. ant. O sing praises
 Psalms 47, 48 2 Ps. ant. Great is the Lord
 Quinney, Magnificat septimi toni Mag. ant. Dives ille
 Tranchell, *O that our faith*

10 Friday

6.15 pm EVENSONG
 Smith, Responses
 Psalm 51 (Wesley)
 Bevan, Magnificat quinti toni
 Wood, Nunc dimittis in B flat
 Byrd, *Miserere mei Domine*

11 Saturday

5.45 pm EVENSONG
 Holst, *A Hymne to Christ*
 Smith, Responses
 Psalms 59, 60 (Goss after Clarke, Turle after Purcell)
 Gibbons, Second Service NCH 46
 Gibbons, *O Lord, in thy wrath*
 Gibbons, Fantasia for Double Organ DM

MARCH

Week 9

12 Sunday

Third Sunday after Lent

4.00 pm J. S. Bach, *Passion according to St John*, BWV 245
New College Choir
Instruments of Time & Truth

Preacher The Dean of Divinity

Choral services resume on Friday 21 April