

# CHORAL SERVICES

April 2025

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**Sunday 6th April**

**FIFTH SUNDAY IN LENT**

**10.30am Choral Eucharist**

*Gregorian Choir*

Setting	Maurice Durufle (1902-1962) <i>Messe cum Jubilo</i>
Psalm	126
Motet	Anthony Hunt (b.1981) <i>Drop, drop, slow tears</i>
Hymns	595, 14ii, 139, 156
Voluntary	Margery Moore (1907-?) <i>Chorale Prelude on Herzliebster Jesu</i>

**6.00pm Choral Evensong**

*Seymour College Chamber Choir*

Responses	Owain Park (b.1993)
Psalm	130
Canticles	Wayne Marshall (b.1961) <i>in C</i>
Anthem	Howard Goodall (b.1958) <i>The Lord is my Shepherd</i>
Hymns	15, 730, 181
Voluntary	Peter Hurford (1930-2019) <i>Laudate Dominum Suite</i>

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**Sunday 13th April**

**PALM SUNDAY**

**10.15am Blessing of Palms in Gardens**

**10.30am Choral Eucharist**

*St Peter's Cathedral Choir*

Introit	Arthur Hutchings (1906-1989) <i>Hosanna to the Son of David</i>
Setting	G. P. Palestrina (1525-1594) <i>Missa Aeterna Christi Munera</i>
Psalm	31.9-18
Reflection	James Whitbourn (1963-2024) <i>Were you there?</i>
Motet	Tomás Luis de Victoria (1548-1611) <i>Pueri Hebraeorum</i>
Hymns	159, 161, 118, CP122, TIS357
Voluntary	J.S. Bach (1685-1750) <i>Valet will Ich dir geben BWV 736</i>

**6.00pm Choral Evensong**

*St Peter's Cathedral Choir*

Introit	John Stainer (1840-1901) <i>God so loved the world</i>
Responses	David Swale (1928-2018) <i>A-flat</i>
Psalm	118.1-16
Canticles	William Byrd (c.1540-1623) <i>Fauxbourdons - Tonus Peregrinus</i>
Anthem	Edward Bairstow (1874-1946) <i>Lamentations</i>
Hymns	573, 145
Voluntary	*César Franck (1822-1890) <i>Fantasie in A</i>

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**Wednesday 16th April**

**TENEBRAE**

**7.00pm A Service of Shadows**

*Lumina Vocal Ensemble*

*with music from the Rachmaninov Vespers*

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**Thursday 17th April****MAUNDY THURSDAY****7.00pm Choral Eucharist with washing of feet***St Peter's Cathedral Choir*

Setting	T Tertius Noble (1867-1953) <i>in B Minor</i>
Psalm	116.1-2, 11-18
Motets	Richard Shephard (1949-2021) <i>A new commandment</i> Anton Bruckner (1824-1896) <i>Tantum ergo</i>
Hymns	436, 165, 460, 151

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**Friday 18th April****GOOD FRIDAY****10.00am Good Friday Liturgy***St Peter's Cathedral Choir*

Psalm	22
Motets	John IV of Portugal (1604-1656) <i>Crux fidelis</i> Bob Chilcott (b.1955) <i>Were you there?</i> Gregorio Allegri (1582-1652) <i>Miserere mei, Deus</i>
Hymns	181, 157

**3.00pm Good Friday Meditation Concert***St Peter's Cathedral Choir*Bob Chilcott (b.1947) *Requiem*

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**Sunday 20th April****EASTER SUNDAY****6.00am Dawn Choral Eucharist***St Peter's Cathedral Choir*

Setting	Katherine Dienes (b.1970) <i>Wellington Eucharist</i>
Gradual	Andrew Reid (b.1971) <i>Victimae paschali laudes</i>
Psalm	150
Voluntary	*Charles-Marie Widor (1844-1937) <i>Toccata from the 5th Symphony</i>

**10.00am Festal Choral Eucharist***St Peter's Cathedral Choir*

Setting	Jonathan Dove (b.1959) <i>Missa Brevis</i>
Psalm	Easter Anthems
Gradual	Andrew Reid (b.1971) <i>Victimae paschali laudes</i>
Motet	Patrick Hadley (1899-1973) <i>My beloved spake</i>
Voluntary	Eugène Gigout (1844-1925) <i>Grand Chœur Dialogué</i>

**6.00pm Festal Choral Evensong***Lay Clerks of St Peter's Cathedral Choir*

Responses	Bernard Rose (1916-1996)
Psalm	113
Canticles	Grayston Ives (b.1948) <i>Magdalen Service</i>
Anthem	Jean le Febure (1596-1612) <i>Haec dies</i>
Hymns	201, 204, 221
Voluntary	Naji Hakim (b.1955) <i>O filii et filiae: Variations on an Easter Hymn</i>

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**Sunday 27th April****SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER****10.30am Sung Eucharist***Choir Holiday*

Setting	Philip Matthias
Voluntary	Herbert Howells (1892-1983) <i>Saraband (For the morning of Easter)</i>

**6.00pm Evening Prayer***Choir Holiday*

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