

2 Sunday ADVENT SUNDAY (Year A)

10.00am SUNG MASS

Sprinkling Rite: Give us Lord a new heart - *Bernadette Farrell*
 Responsorial Psalm 122 - *Joseph Gelineau*
 Gospel Acclamation: *Laurence Bevenot A*
 Offertory: Advent Prose - *Plainsong mode i (v 1)*
 Setting: Missa de angelis - *Plainsong*
 Communion: Remember, O thou man - *Thomas Ravenscroft*
 Hymns: NEH 9 16(omit v 3) 8(128ii) 499
 Organ: Chorale Prelude on "St Thomas" - *Hubert Parry (SD)*

6.30pm SEQUENCE OF MUSIC AND READINGS FOR ADVENT

Creator of the stars of night - *Plainsong mode iv*
 People look east - *Malcolm Archer*
 A tender shoot - *Otto Goldschmidt*
 Ave maris stella - *Richard Shephard*
 Let all mortal flesh keep silence - *Edward Bairstow*
 Vesper Responsory - *Giovanni Pierluigi da Palestrina*
 Advent Prose - *Plainsong mode i*
 Hymns: NEH 11 7 12 5
 Organ: Chorale Prelude on 'Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland' (BWV 661)
 - *Johann Sebastian Bach (SA)*

9 Sunday SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

10.00am SUNG MASS (Girls' Choir & Men)

Sprinkling Rite: Water of life - *Stephen Dean*
 Responsorial Psalm 72 (vv 1-8) - *David Rooke*
 Gospel Acclamation: *Laurence Bevenot B*
 Offertory: Advent Prose - *Plainsong mode i (v 2)*
 Setting: *Herbert Sumsion* in F
 Communion: People look east - *trad Besançon* arr *Charles Velu*
 Hymns: NEH 15 14 3(ii) 494(413)
 Organ: Theme and variations - *Hendrik Andriesson (DR)*

3.00pm BRENTWOOD CHORAL SOCIETY CONCERT

5.00pm SAINT FRANCIS HOSPICE CAROL SERVICE

7.00pm SAINT FRANCIS HOSPICE CAROL SERVICE (Becket Singers)

Hymns: NEH 34 42 22 30(omit vv 5 & 7) 35
 Choir carols: The Angel Gabriel - *Old Basque* arr *Edgar Pettman*
 Gaudete, Christus est natus - *16th Century*
 Ding! Dong! merrily on high - arr *David Willcocks/Charles Wood*

16 Sunday THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

10.00am SUNG MASS

Sprinkling Rite: Give us Lord a new heart - *Bernadette Farrell*
 Responsorial Psalm 146 (vv 1-6) - *David Rooke*
 Gospel Acclamation: *Laurence Bevenot C*
 Intercessions: Come Lord Jesus, maranatha - *Christopher Walker*
 Offertory: Advent Prose - *Plainsong mode i (v 3)*
 Setting: Short Service - *Adrian Batten*
 Motet: How beautiful upon the mountains - *John Stainer*
 Hymns: NEH 12 18 6 500
 Organ: Postlude on Sleeper's Wake - *Miles l'A Martin*

6.30pm CHORAL EVENSONG

Responses: *Plainsong*
 Psalm 12
 Advent Antiphon: O Sapientia - *Plainsong mode ii*
 Canticles: *Thomas Morley* fauxbourdons tones viii & v
 Anthem: Zion hears the watchmen's voices - *Johann Sebastian Bach*
 Hymns: NEH 1(i) 170(ii) 17 Amen: *John Hilton*
 Organ: Litanies - *Jehan Alain (FrM)*

23 Sunday FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

10.00am SUNG MASS (Becket Consort of Voices)

Sprinkling Rite: Water of life - *Stephen Dean*
 Responsorial Psalm 80 (vv 1-6) - *David Rooke*
 Gradual: The Angel Gabriel - *Old Basque* arr *Edgar Pettman*
 Offertory: Advent Prose - *Plainsong mode i (v 4)*
 Setting: *Harold Darke* in E
 Communion: Ave Maria gratia plena - *Jacques Arcadelt*
 Hymns: NEH 11(omit v 2 & 7) 161(385) 387 186
 Organ: RC

6.30pm FESTIVAL OF NINE LESSONS AND CAROLS

In the bleak midwinter - *Harold Darke*
 Adam lay ybounden - *Boris Ord*
 Ding! Dong! merrily on high - arr *David Willcocks*
 The holly and the ivy - *English* arr *Henry Walford Davies*
 The Angel Gabriel - *Old Basque* arr *Edgar Pettman*
 Away in a manger - *WJ Kirkpatrick* arr *William Llewellyn*
 A child is born in Bethlehem - *Malcolm Archer*
 Hymns: NEH 34 25 32(omit *) 42 30 26
 Organ: Postlude on Adeste Fideles - *Eric Thiman*

24 Monday CHRISTMAS EVE

4.30pm CHRISTINGLE SERVICE I

Hymns: NEH 34(omit vv 3 & 4) 22 35 "Now praise the Father"

6.00pm CHRISTINGLE SERVICE II (Girls' Choir and Orchestra of St Thomas')

Hymns: NEH 34(omit vv 3 & 4) 22 35 "Now praise the Father"

Choir carol: Star Carol - *John Rutter*

11.30pm BLESSING OF THE CRIB AND SOLEMN MASS

Setting: Festive Eucharist - *Noel Rawsthorne*

Responsorial Psalm 96 (vv 1-6) - *David Rooke*

Gospel Acclamation: *Philip Duffy*

Offertory: Sussex Carol - *English traditional* arr *Philip Ledger*

Communion: Away in a manger - *WJ Kirkpatrick* arr *William Llewellyn*

Hymns: NEH 32 29 35 30 (v 1, 2, 6 & 7)

Organ: Chorale Prelude on 'In Dulci Jubilo' (BWV 729)

- *Johann Sebastian Bach*

25 Tuesday THE NATIVITY OF OUR LORD

10.00am SOLEMN MASS

Setting: Mass of Saint Thomas - *David Thorne*

Responsorial Psalm 96 (vv 1-6) - *David Rooke*

Gospel Acclamation: Salisbury Alleluia - *Christopher Walker*

Offertory: Gaudete, Christus est natus - *16th Century*

Communion: The holly and the ivy - *English* arr *Henry Walford Davies*

Hymns: NEH 34 [22] 30 (omit *vv) 42 26 (omit v 4)

Organ: Fanfare - *Percy Whitlock*

30 Sunday THE HOLY FAMILY

10.00am SOLEMN MASS

Setting: A New People's Mass - *Gregory Murray*

Responsorial Psalm 128 - *David Rooke*

Gospel Acclamation: *Gregory Murray A*

Communion: Infant holy - *Polish* arr *David Willcocks*

Hymns: NEH 33 (omit v 2, 3 & 6) 28 295 40

Organ: God rest ye merry gentlemen - *Wilbur Held*

Services are sung by the Parish Choir unless otherwise stated

Rev'd Canon Bob White SSC • Vicar and Rural Dean

Rev'd Matthew Bemand MMath MA PGCE • Assistant Priest

Very Rev'd Ossie Trellis • Honorary Assistant Priest

David Rooke ACertCM FRSA FLSM FNSCM FCSM FGMS FASC • Director of Music

Sarah Stonehouse GLCM(Hons) LLCM(TD) ARCO LTRCO • Assistant Organist & Girls' Choir Director

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Joanna Bishop BA (Hons) • Second Assistant Organist

Sam Adams • Third Assistant Organist

Richard Cook • Neville Mansel Memorial Organ Scholar

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