
CHORAL SERVICE SCHEDULE

SUNDAY 11:00 CHORAL EUCHARIST sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir
2 September Service: Missa Ancor che col partire - *de Monte*
Pentecost 15 Psalm: 15
CAN 2 Anthems: My voice shalt thou hear - *Tomkins*
To thee, O Lord my God - *Marcello*

TUESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir
4 September Introit: I will lift up mine eyes - *Walker*
Responses: *Scott*
Psalm: 22:1-19; 23
Service: *Sunsion* in G
Anthem: Lord, thou hast been our refuge - *Walker*

WEDNESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir
5 September Introit: O felix anima - *Carissimi*
Responses: *Tallis*
Psalm: 27
Service: Magnificat octavi toni - *G.F. Anerio*
Nunc dimittis octavi toni - *Ortiz*
Anthem: Lucis creator optime - *Asola*

THURSDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir
6 September Introit: Oculi omnium - *Lucas*
Responses: *Scott*
Psalm: 32
Service: Magnificat - *Gilbertson*
Nunc dimittis Tone v - *Plainsong*
Anthem: Cantate Domino - *Croce*

SUNDAY 11:00 SOLEMN EUCHARIST
9 September Service: *Stanford* in C
Patronal Feast Day Psalm: 126
DEC 1 Anthems: O for a closer walk with God - *Stanford*
Be still, my soul - *Whitlock*

4:00 SOLEMN EVENSONG with the Admission of Choristers
Responses: *Moore*
Psalm: 27
Service: *Stanford* in C
Anthem: Te lucis ante terminum - *M. Martin*

TUESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG
11 September Introit: For the fallen - *D. Guest*
Responses: *Stewart*
Psalm: 61
Service: The Third Service - *Moore*
Anthem: They are at rest - *Elgar*

WEDNESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG
12 September Introit: Call to remembrance - *Farrant*
John Henry Hobart, Responses: *Smith*
Bishop of New York, 1830 Psalm: 67
Service: Magnificat octavi toni - *D. Bevan*
Nunc dimittis tertii toni - *Malcolm*
Anthem: Prevent us, O Lord - *Byrd*

THURSDAY 5:30 FESTAL EVENSONG
13 September Introit: O Savior of the world - *Walford Davies*
Eve of Holy Cross Day Responses: *Stewart*
Psalms: 48, 87
Service: *Watson* in E
Anthem: Unser lieben Frauen Traum - *Reger*

SUNDAY 11:00 CHORAL EUCHARIST
16 September Service: Missa brevis Sancti Joannis de Deo - *F.J. Haydn*
Pentecost 17 Psalm: 116:1-9
CAN 1 Anthems: Insane et vanae curae - *F.J. Haydn*
Ave verum - *W.A. Mozart*

4:00 CHORAL EVENSONG
Responses: *Stewart*
Psalm: 82
Service: *F. Jackson* in G
Anthem: Blessed are the men who fear him - *Mendelssohn*

TUESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG
18 September Introit: Let thy merciful ears - *Mudd*
Edward Bouverie Pusey, Responses: *Smith*
Priest, 1882 Psalm: 93
Service: The First Service - *Batten*
Anthem: Laudate Dominum - *Tallis*

WEDNESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG
19 September Introit: Oculi omnium - *Wood*
Theodore of Tarsus, Responses: *Moore*
Archbishop of Canterbury, 690 Psalm: 98
Service: *Noble* in B minor
Anthem: O pray for the peace - *Howells*

THURSDAY 5:30 FESTAL EVENSONG
20 September Introit: Let thy merciful ears - *Mudd*
Eve of Saint Matthew Responses: *Byrd*
Psalm: 84
Service: Magnificat tertii toni - *Palestrina*
Nunc dimittis tertii toni - *Victoria*
Anthem: Glory be to God on high - *Tomkins*

SUNDAY 11:00 CHORAL EUCHARIST
23 September Service: Missa brevis - *Berkeley*
Pentecost 18 Psalm: 54
DEC 1 Anthems: Set me as a seal - *Walton*
Here, O my Lord - *Whitlock*

4:00 CHORAL EVENSONG
Responses: *Radcliffe*
Psalm: 115
Service: Collegium Regale - *Howells*
Anthem: He, watching over Israel - *Mendelssohn*

TUESDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG
25 September		Introit: Prayer of King Henry VI - <i>Ley</i>
<i>Sergius, Abbot of Holy Trinity, Moscow, 1392</i>		Responses: <i>Radcliffe</i>
		Psalm: 119:73-88
		Service: <i>Bairstow</i> in G minor
		Anthem: Holy is the true light - <i>Harris</i>
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WEDNESDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG
26 September		Introit: O come, ye servants of the Lord - <i>Tye</i>
<i>Lancelot Andrewes, Bishop of Winchester, 1626</i>		Responses: <i>Byrd</i>
		Psalm: 119:145-160
		Service: The Short Service - <i>Weelkes</i>
		Anthem: O praise the Lord - <i>Batten</i>
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THURSDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG
27 September		Introit: Prayer of King Henry VI - <i>Ley</i>
<i>Vincent de Paul, Religious, 1660</i>		Responses: <i>Radcliffe</i>
		Psalm: 128
		Service: <i>Dyson</i> in F
		Anthem: There is a land of pure delight - <i>G. Ives</i>
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SUNDAY	11:00	FESTAL EUCHARIST
30 September		Service: Missa brevis - <i>Palestrina</i>
<i>Saint Michael and All Angels</i>		Psalm: 103
CAN 2		Anthems: Factum est silentium - <i>Dering</i>
		Praise the Lord, O my soul - <i>Tomkins</i>
	4:00	FESTAL EVENSONG
		Responses: <i>Moore</i>
		Psalm: 34
		Service: The Chichester Service - <i>Berkeley</i>
		Anthem: For he shall give his angels charge over thee - <i>Mendelssohn</i>
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FRIDAY	7:00	THE IRENE D. AND WILLIAM R. MILLER CHANCEL ORGAN IN MEMORY OF JOHN SCOTT DEDICATION RECITAL
5 October		Daniel Hyde, <i>organ</i>
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SUNDAY	11:00	SOLEMN EUCHARIST and LITURGICAL DEDICATION OF THE IRENE D. AND WILLIAM R. MILLER CHANCEL ORGAN IN MEMORY OF JOHN SCOTT
7 October		Service: Messe Solennelle - <i>Langlais</i>
<i>Feast of Dedication</i>		Psalm: 84
DEC 1		Anthems: Christ, whose glory fills the skies - <i>Candlyn</i>
		Behold, O God our defender - <i>Scott</i>
	4:00	SOLEMN EVENSONG
		Responses: <i>Hancock</i>
		Psalms: 29, 46
		Service: <i>Dyson</i> in D
		Anthem: Blessed city, heavenly Salem - <i>Bairstow</i>
		Te Deum: Tonus Simplex - <i>Plainsong</i>
	5:15	ORGAN RECITAL
		Benjamin Sheen
		<i>Associate Organist</i>

TUESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG
9 October
Introit: Jesu, the very thought of thee - *Bairstow*
Responses: *Hancock*
Psalm: 48
Service: *Ireland* in F
Anthem: O for a closer walk with God - *Stanford*

WEDNESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG
10 October
Introit: Jesu, the very thought of thee - *Bairstow*
Responses: *Hancock*
Psalm: 54
Service: *Sunsion* in A
Anthem: O Lorde, the maker of al thing - *Joubert*

SUNDAY 11:00 CHORAL EUCHARIST
14 October
Pentecost 21
CAN 1
Service: Mass for five voices - *Byrd*
Psalm: 90:12-17
Anthems: Beati quorum via - *Stanford*
O salutaris hostia - *Howells*

4:00 CHORAL EVENSONG
Responses: *Hancock*
Psalm: 73
Service: *Wood* in D
Anthem: Adonai, Adonai - *Bernstein*

5:15 ORGAN RECITAL
Stephen Buzard
Assistant Organist 2013-2015
Acting Organist & Director of Music 2015-2016

THURSDAY 7:30 AT A SOLEMN MUSICK
18 October
Works by *Parry, Janáček, Poulenc, Bernstein, and Barber*
The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys
with Orchestra of St. Luke's

Benjamin Sheen, *organ* Sara Cutler, *harp*
Hyesang Park, *soprano* Daniel Hyde, *conductor*

SUNDAY 11:00 CHORAL EUCHARIST sung jointly with the
21 October Choristers of the Temple Church, London, UK, Mr. Roger Sayer, *Director*
Pentecost 22
DEC 2
Service: Missa Sancti Nicolai - *Haydn*
Psalm: 91:9-16
Anthems: Give unto the Lord - *Elgar*
Ex ore innocentium - *Ireland*

4:00 CHORAL EVENSONG
Responses: *Ayleward*
Psalm: 106:1-27
Service: Magnificat octavi toni - *Vivanco*
Nunc dimittis octavi toni - *Ortiz*
Anthem: Christe, qui lux es et dies - R. *Whyte*

5:15 ORGAN RECITAL
Brian Harlow
Assistant Organist 2002-2004

TUESDAY 23 October <i>Saint James of Jerusalem, Brother of Our Lord Jesus Christ, and Martyr, c. 62</i>	5:30	FESTAL EUCHARIST Service: Missa secunda - <i>Hassler</i> Psalm: 1 Anthem: O Lord, give thy holy spirit - <i>Tallis</i>
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WEDNESDAY 24 October	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG Introit: O most merciful - <i>Wood</i> Responses: <i>Ayleward</i> Psalm: 119:1-18 Service: <i>Breuer</i> in D Anthem: Give us the wings of faith - <i>Bullock</i>
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THURSDAY 25 October	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG Introit: Let thy merciful ears - <i>Mudd</i> Responses: <i>Ayleward</i> Psalm: 119:73-88 Service: Tone vii and Tone i in faburden - <i>Tallis</i> Anthem: Teach me thy way, O Lord - <i>Morley</i>
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SUNDAY 28 October CAN 2 <i>SS. Simon and Jude</i>	11:00	FESTAL EUCHARIST sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Service: Missa quam pulchri sunt - <i>Victoria</i> Psalm: 119:89-96 Anthems: Ego sum panis vivus - <i>Byrd</i> O sacrum convivium - <i>Croce</i>
	4:00	FESTAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Responses: <i>Scott</i> Psalm: 103 Service: <i>Maqpherson</i> in E Anthem: Their sound is gone out - <i>Wills</i>
	5:15	ORGAN RECITAL Thomas Bara <i>Assistant Organist 1999-2002</i>
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TUESDAY 30 October	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Introit: O come in one to praise the Lord - <i>Tallis</i> Responses: <i>Tallis</i> Psalm: 149 Service: Magnificat Tone vi - <i>Andreas</i> Nunc dimittis - <i>M. Praetorius</i> Anthem: Te lucis ante terminum - <i>Palestrina</i>
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WEDNESDAY 31 October <i>Eve of All Saints</i>	5:30	FESTAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Introit: God grant with grace - <i>Tallis</i> Responses: <i>Tallis</i> Psalm: 34 Service: Magnificat quarti toni - <i>de Monte</i> Nunc dimittis quarti toni - <i>de Vento</i> Anthem: Beati mundo corde - <i>Byrd</i>
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THURSDAY 1 November <i>All Saints' Day</i>	5:30	SOLEMN EUCHARIST sung by the Gentlemen of The Choir Service: The French Mass - <i>Sheppard</i> Psalm: 24 Anthem: Audivi vocem de caelo - <i>Tallis</i>

SUNDAY	11:00	SOLEMN EUCHARIST
4 November		Service: Missa O quam gloriosum - <i>Victoria</i>
<i>All Saints' Sunday</i>		Psalm: 119:1-8
DEC 1		Anthems: <i>Timete Dominum - Trombetti</i> O quam gloriosum - <i>Victoria</i>
	4:00	SOLEMN EVENSONG
		Responses: <i>Sunsion</i>
		Psalm: 48
		Service: <i>Stanford</i> in B-flat
		Anthem: <i>Justorum animae - Stanford</i>
	5:15	ORGAN RECITAL
		Judith Hancock
		<i>Associate Organist 1971-1989 & 1997-2004</i>
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TUESDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG
6 November		Introit: Litany to the holy spirit - <i>Ponniab</i>
<i>William Temple,</i>		Responses: <i>Sunsion</i>
<i>Archbishop of Canterbury, 1944</i>		Psalm: 32
		Service: <i>Walmisley</i> in D minor
		Anthem: <i>Save us, O Lord - Bairstow</i>
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WEDNESDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG
7 November		Introit: Litany to the holy spirit - <i>Ponniab</i>
<i>Willibrord, Archbishop of Utrecht,</i>		Responses: <i>Ayleward</i>
<i>Missionary to Frisia, 739</i>		Psalm: 37:1-20
		Service: <i>Wise</i> in F
		Anthem: <i>Behold now, praise the Lord - H. Purcell</i>
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THURSDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG
8 November		Introit: Call to remembrance - <i>Farrant</i>
		Responses: <i>Byrd</i>
		Psalm: 41
		Service: <i>Tonus Peregrinus</i> and <i>Tone i in faburden - Byrd</i>
		Anthem: <i>My shepherd is the living Lord - Tomkins</i>
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SUNDAY	11:00	SOLEMN REQUIEM EUCHARIST
11 November		Service: <i>Requiem - Fauré</i>
<i>Remembrance Sunday</i>		Psalm: 121
CAN 1		
	4:00	CHORAL EVENSONG to commemorate the 100th anniversary of the end of the First World War attended by Members of the Patriotic Societies and the Mountbatten Institute
		Responses: <i>Leighton</i>
		Psalm: 55
		Service: <i>Noble</i> in A minor
		Anthems: <i>And I saw a new heaven - Bainton</i> <i>Peace, gentle peace - Elgar</i>
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TUESDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG
13 November		Introit: <i>For the fallen - D. Guest</i>
		Responses: <i>Leighton</i>
		Psalm: 70
		Service: <i>D. Purcell</i> in E minor
		Anthem: <i>They are at rest - Elgar</i>

WEDNESDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG
14 November		Introit: For the fallen - <i>D. Guest</i>
<i>Consecration of Samuel Seabury,</i>		Responses: <i>Leighton</i>
<i>First American Bishop, 1784</i>		Psalm: 73
		Service: The Short Service - <i>Byrd</i>
		Anthem: <i>Christe, qui lux es et dies - Byrd</i>
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THURSDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG
15 November		Introit: For the fallen - <i>D. Guest</i>
		Responses: <i>Tomkins</i>
		Psalm: 78:1-17
		Service: The First Service - <i>Weelkes</i>
		Anthem: <i>O nata lux - Tallis</i>
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SUNDAY	11:00	CHORAL EUCHARIST
18 November		Service: <i>Darke</i> in F
<i>Pentecost 26</i>		Psalm: 16:6-12
DEC 2		Anthems: <i>There is a land of pure delight - G. Ives</i>
		<i>Ave verum - Hyde</i>
	4:00	CHORAL EVENSONG
		Responses: <i>Hancock</i>
		Psalm: 93
		Service: <i>Bairstow</i> in D
		Anthem: <i>The Lord is my shepherd - Stanford</i>
	5:15	ORGAN RECITAL
		Raymond Nagem
		<i>Cathedral of Saint John the Divine, New York, NY</i>
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TUESDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG
20 November		Introit: <i>God be in my head - Rutter</i>
		Responses: <i>Sumsion</i>
		Psalm: 104:1-23
		Service: <i>Sumsion</i> in G
		Anthem: <i>Lord, I call upon thee - Bairstow</i>
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WEDNESDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG
21 November		Introit: <i>Cantate Domino - Pitoni</i>
		Responses: <i>Tomkins</i>
		Psalm: 106:1-12
		Service: <i>Magnificat octavi toni - Marenzio</i>
		<i>Nunc dimittis tertii toni - Victoria</i>
		Anthem: <i>Glory be to God on high - Tomkins</i>
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THURSDAY	11:00	SOLEMN EUCHARIST
22 November		Service: <i>Missa brevis in F, K.192 - W.A. Mozart</i>
<i>Thanksgiving Day</i>		Psalm: 126
		Anthems: <i>Now heaven in fullest glory shines - F.J. Haydn</i>
		<i>The heavens are telling - F.J. Haydn</i>
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SUNDAY	11:00	FESTAL EUCHARIST
25 November		Service: <i>Stanford</i> in B-flat
<i>Christ the King</i>		Psalm: 93
CAN 2		Anthems: <i>Judge eternal - Hancock</i>
		<i>My soul, there is a country - Parry</i>

4:00 FESTAL EVENSONG
Responses: *Leighton*
Psalm: 145
Service: *Harwood* in A-flat
Anthem: King of Glory - *Candlyn*

5:15 ORGAN RECITAL
Frederick Teardo
Assistant Organist 2006-2007
Associate Organist 2007-2012

WEDNESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG
28 November Introit: God be in my head - *Rutter*
Responses: *Sumsion*
Psalm: 137
Service: Magnificat in C - *C.T. Pachelbel*
Nunc dimittis in B-flat - *Wood*
Anthem: O pray for the peace - *Nicolson*

SUNDAY 11:00 AN ADVENT PROCESSION AND CHORAL EUCHARIST
2 December Works of *Palestrina, Stanford, Parry, Stravinsky* and *Bainton*
Advent 1 Service: Mass XVII - *Plainsong*
DEC 1 Anthem: O thou the central orb - *Gibbons*

4:00 AN ADVENT PROCESSION
Works of *Palestrina, Stanford, Parry, Stravinsky* and *Bainton*

5:15 ORGAN RECITAL
Benjamin Sheen
Associate Organist

TUESDAY and 7:30 CONCERT
THURSDAY MESSIAH - *George Frideric Handel*
4 and 6 December

The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys
with New York Baroque Incorporated
Daniel Hyde, *conductor*
Wen Yang, *artistic director*

Elizabeth Weisberg, *soprano* Meg Bragle, *mezzo-soprano*
Thomas Cooley, *tenor* Alexander Dobson, *bass*

SUNDAY 11:00 LITANY AND CHORAL EUCHARIST
9 December Litany: *Loosemore*
Advent 2 Canticle: Benedictus - *Plainsong Tonus Peregrinus*
CAN 1 Service: Mass for five voices - *Byrd*
Anthems: Prepare ye the way of the Lord - *Wise*
This is the record of John - *Gibbons*

4:00 CHORAL EVENSONG
Responses: *Radcliffe*
Psalm: 49
Service: *Wood* in E-flat
Anthem: How beautiful upon the mountains - *Stainer*

5:15 ORGAN RECITAL
Christian Lane
Assistant Organist 2004-2006

TUESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir
11 December Introit: Beata viscera Mariae virginis - *Anonymous*
Responses: *Tallis*
Psalm: 59
Service: Magnificat primi toni - *Asola*
Nunc dimittis primi toni - *Lassus*
Anthem: Domine praestolamur adventum tuum - *Byrd*

WEDNESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir
12 December Introit: Rejoice in the Lord always - *Causton*
Responses: *Tallis*
Psalm: 67
Service: Tone ii and Tone viii in faburden - *Holmes*
Anthem: Ecce concipies - *Handl*

THURSDAY 5:30 CONCERT
13 December A CEREMONY OF CAROLS, Opus 28 - *Britten*
Saint Lucy, The Boys of Saint Thomas Choir with Sara Cutler, *harp*
Martyr at Syracuse, 304 Daniel Hyde, *conductor*

SATURDAY 4:00 A SERVICE OF CHRISTMAS LESSONS AND CAROLS
15 December Works of *Willcocks, Warlock, Archer, Walford Davies* and *Rutter*

SUNDAY 11:00 FESTAL EUCHARIST
16 December Service: Missa Simile est regnum - *Victoria*
Advent 3 Psalm: 85:6-13
Gaudete Anthems: The Spirit of the Lord - *Elgar*
DEC 2 Canite tuba - *Guerrero*

4:00 FESTAL EVENSONG
Responses: *Moore*
Psalm: 84
Service: The Third Service - *Moore*
Anthem: The Lord will surely come - *Hancock*

5:15 ORGAN RECITAL
Anna Lapwood
Pembroke College, Cambridge, UK

TUESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG
18 December Introit: How shall I fitly meet thee? - *J.S. Bach*
O Adonai Responses: *Morley*
Psalm: 94
Antiphon: "O Adonai"
Service: The Fifth Service - *Tomkins*
Anthem: Ne timeas Maria - *Victoria*

WEDNESDAY 12:10 A SERVICE OF CHRISTMAS LESSONS AND CAROLS
19 December Works of *Willcocks, Warlock, Archer, Walford Davies* and *Rutter*
O Radix Jesse

5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir
Introit: When the Lord comes - *Ferguson*
Responses: *Scott*
Psalm: 101
Antiphon: "O Radix Jesse"
Service: The Evening Service - *W. Mundy*
Anthem: Rejoice in the Lord - *Sheppard*

THURSDAY 20 December <i>O Clavis David</i>	5:30	THE BLESSING OF THE CRËCHE <i>A service for children and their families</i> Works of <i>Britten, Archer</i> and <i>Head</i>
SATURDAY 22 December	3:00	GRAND ORGAN SERIES RECITAL II <i>La Nativité du Seigneur - Olivier Messiaen</i> <i>Daniel Hyde, organ</i>
SUNDAY 23 December <i>Advent 4</i> <i>O Emmanuel</i> CAN 2	11:00	CHORAL EUCHARIST sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Service: Mass for three voices - <i>Byrd</i> Psalm: 80:1-7 Anthems: There is no rose - <i>Anonymous</i> Beata Virgo - <i>Byrd</i>
	4:00	A FESTIVAL OF NINE LESSONS AND CAROLS Works of <i>Britten, Robinson, Walford Davies, Willcocks, Archer, Rutter, Darke</i> and <i>M. Martin</i>
MONDAY 24 December <i>Christmas Eve</i>	4:00	A FESTIVAL OF NINE LESSONS AND CAROLS Works of <i>Britten, Robinson, Walford Davies, Willcocks, Archer, Rutter, Darke</i> and <i>M. Martin</i>
	10:30	CHRISTMAS MUSIC FOR ORGAN <i>Benjamin Sheen, Associate Organist</i>
	11:00	THE SOLEMN EUCHARIST OF THE NATIVITY (MIDNIGHT MASS) with Orchestra Service: <i>Missa brevis in D, K. 194 - W.A. Mozart</i> Psalm: 96 Organ: <i>In dulci jubilo, BWV 729 - J.S. Bach</i> Anthem: <i>Il est né le divin enfant - arr. Rutter</i> Carols: <i>O beatum et sacrosanctum diem - Philips</i> <i>Hereford Carol - Robinson</i> <i>The Shepherd's Carol - Chilcott</i> <i>The infant king - arr. Willcocks</i> <i>Silent Night - arr. Scott</i>
TUESDAY 25 December <i>Christmas Day</i>	11:00	SOLEMN EUCHARIST OF THE NATIVITY Service: <i>Missa O magnum mysterium - Victoria</i> Psalm: 98 Organ: <i>Der Tag, der ist so freudenreich, BWV 605 - J.S. Bach</i> Anthem: <i>Frohlocket, ihr Völker auf Erden - Mendelssohn</i> Carols: <i>O magnum mysterium - Victoria</i> <i>Hereford Carol - Robinson</i> <i>There is no rose - Joubert</i> <i>The infant king - arr. Willcocks</i>
SUNDAY 30 December <i>Christmas 1</i> DEC 1	11:00	FESTAL EUCHARIST sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Service: <i>Missa in Nativitate Domini nostri Jesus Christ - Pitoni</i> Psalm: 147 Anthems: <i>Tui sunt coeli - Byrd</i> <i>Dies sanctificatus - Palestrina</i>

THE CHOIR

The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys is considered by many to be the leading ensemble of its kind in the Anglican choral tradition in the United States. The Choir performs regularly with Orchestra of St. Luke's as part of its own concert series. Its primary *raison d'être* is to provide music for five choral services each week. Live webcasts of all choral services and further information concerning recordings, tours and concerts given by the Choir may be found at www.SaintThomasChurch.org

Alongside its choral services and concert series spanning the past four decades, the Choir has toured throughout the U.S. and Europe with performances at Westminster Abbey and St. Paul's Cathedral in London, King's College, Cambridge, Windsor, Edinburgh, St. Albans, the Aldeburgh Festival and the Vatican. In February 2012, the Boys of the Choir traveled to Dresden to give the premiere of Lera Auerbach's Dresden Requiem with the Dresden Staatskapelle in the Frauenkirche and Semper Oper. Later in 2012, the Choir was invited to perform in the Thomaskirche at the Leipzig BachFest, a highlight of their June 2012 tour to Germany and Copenhagen. Domestically, the Choir most recently toured the Southeastern United States and was a featured performer at the National AGO Convention in Houston, Texas.

In addition to the annual performances of Handel's Messiah, concerts at Saint Thomas Church have included Requiems by Fauré, Brahms, Mozart, Duruflé, Victoria and Howells; J.S. Bach's two Passions, Mass in B Minor and Motets; the lesser-known St. John Passion of C.P.E. Bach; the U.S. premiere of John Tavener's Mass; the U.S. premiere of Nico Muhly's work My Days with viol consort Fretwork; Handel's Israel in Egypt; a program of Handel and Purcell's baroque masters conducted by John Scott and Richard Egarr along with Juilliard 415 and MacMillan's Seven Last Words from the Cross, conducted by David Hill. In 2014, the Boy Choristers performed in Bach's Saint Matthew Passion at the Park Avenue Armory as part of Lincoln Center's White Light Festival with the Berliner Philharmoniker under the direction of Peter Sellars and conductor Sir Simon Rattle. In September 2016, a special concert in memory of John Scott was performed with Orchestra of St. Luke's under the direction of Sir Simon Rattle.

The Gentlemen of the Saint Thomas Choir are professional singers; the Boy Choristers attend the Saint Thomas Choir School. The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys is represented by Karen McFarlane Artists, Inc. (www.concertorganists.com).

ABOUT THE ORGANS

The *Irene D. and William R. Miller Chancel Organ in memory of John Scott* is new this season, having been built and installed by Dobson Pipe Organ Builders Ltd, from Lake City, Iowa. Comprising 102 speaking stops, the instrument is situated on both sides of the church, above the choir stalls. Offering a fully 'American' and eclectic palette of colors, from the softest sounds to the ear-splittingly loud, the instrument has been designed to showcase both the solo and choral-liturgical repertoire for which Saint Thomas Church is justly famed. As the brain-child of the late John Scott, the instrument reflects something in sound of the detailed beauty seen elsewhere in the Church's stone and glass. The new case seen to the left of the reredos was designed in collaboration with Dennis Collier of Pennsylvania; the ornate carvings and the inscription 'Soli Deo Gloria' reflect the ethos of the Church, and all the music that is offered within our liturgies to the greater glory of God.

In the spring of 1996 the gallery instrument was dedicated as the *Loening-Hancock Organ*. The firm of Taylor & Boody of Staunton, Virginia, built the instrument which contains twenty-one stops over two manuals and pedal. The instrument is inspired by the tradition of organ building which was active in the Netherlands and North Germany in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. Stop and key action are mechanical and the temperament is Kellner.

The *Martha J. Dodge Continuo Organ* was built and initiated in December, 2001. This superb portable instrument, consisting of 4 ranks of pipes, was built by the firm of Taylor & Boody.

THE SAINT THOMAS CHOIR OF MEN AND BOYS

Trebles

Harrison B.
Jonathan B.
Leighton C.
Wells Alling G.
Francisco H.
Noah H.

Grayson H.
Ethan K.
William L.
Fernando M.
Eduardo M.
Gioni M.
James O'B.

+Benjamin O.
Max S.
Francis S.
Mich S.
Quinn V.
**Christopher V.

Countertenor

Eric Brenner
Padraic Costello
Corey-James Crawford
Patrick Fennig
Jeffrey Freuler

Tenor

Nathaniel Adams
Mark Bleeke
Nathan Fletcher
Lawrence Jones
Nickolas Karageorgiou

Bass

Richard Lippold
Daniel Moore
Andrew Padgett
Charles Perry Sprawls
Christopher Trueblood

Acolytes

Darin C.
*Samuel J.
Elyot S.
Isaac S.

*The John G. Scott Memorial Choristership

+Ogden Northrop Lewis, Jr. Choristership

**Dr. James L. Tuohy Choristership

The Saint Thomas Choir School is a residential school for Boys in grades three through eight. All Boys in the school sing in the Choir of Saint Thomas Church. The student body, drawn principally from the East Coast, is quite diversified. Though they come from a wide variety of economic and cultural backgrounds, the Boys all share an involvement in music and a high level of academic ability.

The Reverend Charles F. Wallace
Headmaster, The Saint Thomas Choir School
www.ChoirSchool.org

THE REVEREND CANON CARL F. TURNER, *Rector*
DANIEL HYDE,

The Nancy B. & John B. Hoffmann Organist and Director of Music

BENJAMIN SHEEN, *Associate Organist*

LAUREL SCAROZZA, *Music Office Manager*

PATRICK FENNIG, *Concert Series Manager and Music Librarian*

ADAM MACDONALD, *Concert Series Development Manager*

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ORGAN RECITAL SERIES
SUNDAY AFTERNOONS AT 5:15 P.M.
AUTUMN TERM**

October 7

BENJAMIN SHEEN
ASSOCIATE ORGANIST

October 14

STEPHEN BUZARD
ASSISTANT ORGANIST 2013-2015
ACTING ORGANIST & DIRECTOR OF MUSIC 2015-2016

October 21

BRIAN HARLOW
ASSISTANT ORGANIST 2002-2004

October 28

THOMAS BARA
ASSISTANT ORGANIST 1999-2002

November 4

JUDITH HANCOCK
ASSOCIATE ORGANIST 1971-1989 & 1997-2004

November 18

RAYMOND NAGEM
CATHEDRAL OF SAINT JOHN THE DIVINE, NEW YORK, NY

November 25

FREDERICK TEARDO
ASSISTANT ORGANIST 2006-2007
ASSOCIATE ORGANIST 2007-2012

December 2

BENJAMIN SHEEN
ASSOCIATE ORGANIST

December 9

CHRISTIAN LANE
ASSISTANT ORGANIST 2004-2006

December 16

ANNA LAPWOOD
PEMBROKE COLLEGE, CAMBRIDGE, UK