MUSIC AT SAINT THOMAS CHURCH

Fifth Avenue at Fifty-Third Street New York



JANUARY – EASTER 2025

CHORAL SERVICE SCHEDULE

SUNDAY	11:00	SOLEMN EUCHARIST		
5 January		sung by the Ge	ntlemen of the Choir	
Epiphany (tr.)		Service:	Missa Sancti Thomae – Harlow	
DEC 1		Psalm:	72:1-7, 10-14	
		Anthems:	Seek him that maketh the seven stars – Elgar	
			Die Könige – Cornelius	
TUESDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVE	ENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir	
7 January		Responses:	Byrd	
<i>y</i>		Psalm:	37	
		Service:	Evening Service – Batten	
		Anthem:	Magi viderunt stellam – Victoria	
WEDNESDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVE	ENSONG	
8 January		Responses:	Smith	
· j		Psalms:	41, 42, 43	
		Service:	Magnificat Tertii toni – Palestrina	
			Nunc dimittis – <i>Plainsong</i>	
		Anthem:	Omnes de Saba – <i>Handl</i>	
THURSDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVE	ENSONG	
9 January	3.30	Responses:	Leighton	
January		Psalms:	47, 48, 49	
		Service:	The Third Service – Moore	
		Anthem:	Wassail Carol – Mathias	
		Anthem.	w assan Carot – Iviumus	
SUNDAY	11:00	FESTAL EUC	HARIST AND RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL VOWS	
12 January		Service:	Bairston in D	
The Baptism		Psalm:	29	
of our Lord		Anthems:	Epiphany– Chavez-Mélo	
CAN 1			Vidi Aquam – McCarthy	
			Christe Redemptor Omnium – M. Martin	
	4:00	EPIPHANY PI		
		Music of Bra	udley, Handl, McCarthy, Warlock, M. Martin, Mathias	
TUESDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVE	ENSONG	
14 January		Responses:	Leighton	
		Psalms:	73, 74	
		Service:	Candlyn in F#	
		Anthem:	Bethlehem down – Warlock	
WEDNESDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVE	ENSONG	
15 January		Responses:	Smith	
- J y		Psalm:	78	
		Service:	The Second Service – Gibbons	
		Anthem:	My beloved spake – <i>Tomkins</i>	
THURSDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVE	ENSONG	
			Leighton	
		Kesponses:	1_ktg/ston	
16 January		Responses: Psalms:	· ·	
			82, 83, 84, 85 <i>Wood</i> in D	

SATURDAY 3:00 18 January	GRAND ORGAN SERIES: CYCLES THROUGH TIME Kimberly Marshall, <i>organ</i>
SUNDAY 11:00 19 January Epiphany 2 DEC 2	FESTAL EUCHARIST AND COMMEMORATION OF MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. Service: Missa Christi – Leighton Psalm: 36:5-10 Anthems: Rivers of living water – Weston My heart be brave – M. Garrett
4:00	A CELEBRATION OF MARRIAGE TO INCLUDE RENEWAL OF MARRIAGE VOWS Psalm: 67 Anthems: My beloved spake – Tomkins Listen, sweet dove – Ives
TUESDAY 5:30 21 January Agnes	CHORAL EVENSONG Responses: Lxighton Psalm: 106 Service: K. Rose in E minor Anthem: Keep watch dear Lord – Bolena
WEDNESDAY 5:30 22 January Vincent of Saragossa	CHORAL EVENSONG Responses: Tomkins Psalms: 108; 109:1-4, 20-30 Service: The Second Service – Byrd Anthem: Justi in perpetuum vivent – Sheppard
THURSDAY 5:30 23 January Phillips Brooks	CHORAL EVENSONG Responses: Tomkins Psalms: 114, 115 Service: Magnificat Tertii toni – Palestrina Nunc dimittis Tertii toni – Victoria Anthem: Sicut cervus – Palestrina
SUNDAY 11:00 26 January Epiphany 3 Religions Life Sunday CAN 2	FESTAL EUCHARIST Service: The Saint Thomas Mass – Gauster-Filek Psalm: 19 Anthems: Strengthen for Service – French You are one in Christ Jesus – Hancock
4:00	FESTAL EVENSONG AND ADMISSION OF CHORISTERS Introit: O praise the Lord of heaven – Alnyn Surplice Responses: Leighton Psalm: 119:161-176 Service: Kelly in C Anthem: Strengthen for Service – French
5:15	THE AAM GERRE HANCOCK MEMORIAL ORGAN RECITAL Ezechiel Daos – <i>Atlanta, GA</i> 2024-2025 AAM Gerre Hancock Intern

TUESDAY 28 January Thomas Aquinas	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG Responses: Tomkins Psalms: 136, 137:1-6 Service: The Short Service – Gibbons Anthem: O salutaris hostia – Byrd
WEDNESDAY 29 January	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG Responses: Pott Psalms: 142, 143 Service: The Third Service – Jeffcoat Anthem: A new song – Macmillan
THURSDAY 30 January	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG Responses: Pott Psalms: 147, 148, 149, 150 Service: Collegium Magdalenae Oxoniense – Leighton Anthem: Beneath these alien stars – Bingham
SUNDAY 2 February The Presentation of Our Lord (Candlemas) DEC 1	11:00	BLESSING OF CANDLES, PROCESSION, AND SOLEMN EUCHARIST Service: Missa Brevis in D, K. 194 – Mozart Psalm: 84 Anthems: Senex puerum portabat – Byrd When to the temple Mary went – Eccard Nunc dimittis à 8 – Holst
	4:00	FESTAL EVENSONG WITH THE BLESSING OF LIGHT Responses: Pott Psalm: 48 Service: Magnificat Octavi toni – Bevan Nunc dimittis à 8 – Holst Anthem: Hail, gladdening light – Wood
	5:15	CHAMBER RECITAL Players from the Historical Performance program at The Juilliard School – New York, NY
TUESDAY 4 February Cornelius the Centre	5:30 urion	CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Responses: Leighton-Jones Psalms: 22, 23 Service: The First Service – Moore Anthem: O sing unto the Lord – Leighton
WEDNESDAY 5 February Martyrs of Japan	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG Responses: Pott Psalms: 27, 28, 29 Service: Magnificat – Hampton Nunc dimittis – Drakett Anthem: Long since in Egypt's pleasant land – Parry

SUNDAY 9 February Epiphany 5 CAN 1	11:00	FESTAL EUCH Service: Psalm: Anthems:	HARIST Missa Capella Regalis – <i>Caesar</i> 138 A new song – <i>Macmillan</i> Grace – <i>Hayes</i>
	4:00	FESTAL EVEN Introit: Responses: Psalm: Service: Anthem:	NSONG O praise the Lord of heaven – Alnyn Surplice Pott 2 Collegium Regale – Howells Be thou my guardian – Tustin Baker
TUESDAY 11 February	5:30	CHORAL EVE Responses: Psalms: Service: Anthem:	ENSONG Pott 59, 60, 61 Noble in B minor I will give thanks – Li
WEDNESDAY 12 February	5:30	CHORAL EVE Responses: Psalms: Service: Anthem:	ENSONG Tomkins 65, 66, 67 The Fifth Service – Tomkins Salvator mundi – Tallis
THURSDAY 13 February Absalom Jones	5:30	CHORAL EVE Responses: Psalms: Service: Anthem:	ENSONG Pott 69:1-22, 30-37; 70 Bairstow in Eb O fear the Lord – Leighton
SUNDAY 16 February Epiphany 6 (Septuagesima) DEC 2	11:00	FESTAL EUCH Service: Psalm: Anthems:	HARIST Missa Christi – <i>Leighton</i> 1 My shepherd will supply my need – <i>Thomson</i> Like as the hart – <i>Leighton</i>
	4:00	FESTAL EVEN Introit: Responses: Psalm: Service: Anthem:	NSONG O praise the Lord of heaven – Alnyn Surplice Pott 6 Collegium Magdalenae Oxoniense – Leighton Through the day thy love has spared us – Moore
	5:15	ORGAN RECI Connor Fluh	TAL arty – Princeton, NJ
WEDNESDAY 19 February	5:30	CHORAL EVE Responses: Psalms: Service: Anthem:	ENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Suter 98, 99, 100, 101 Wood in E To the supreme being – Hallock

THURSDAY 20 February	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG Responses: Moore Psalm: 104 Service: Caracciolo in A
		Anthem: Jubilate Deo – M . Martin
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SATURDAY	3:00	GRAND ORGAN SERIES
22 February		FRANZ LIST – THE GREATER ORGAN AND PIANO WORKS
· ·		Jeremy Filsell, piano and organ
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SUNDAY	11:00	MATINS & FESTAL EUCHARIST
23 February		Responses: Moore
Epiphany 7		Psalm: 37:1-9, 40-41
(Sexagesima)		Canticles: Festival Te Deum – Britten
CAN 2		
CAIN 2		Jubilate Deo – M. Martin
		Service: Mass of Smoke and Light – Castellanos
		Anthem: Behold, O God our defender – Scott
	4:00	FESTAL EVENSONG
		Introit: I will give thanks – Camara
		Responses: Moore
		Psalm: 147
		Service: Tustin Baker in D
		Anthem: O Deus, ego amo te – Rorem
	5:15	CHAMBER RECITAL
	5.15	Teryn Kuzma, bandura and voice – New York, NY
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TUESDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG
25 February		Responses: Moore
		Psalm: 119:1-32
		Service: In tempore enim pestilencia – Filsell
		Anthem: Sing my soul, his wondrous love – Rorem
WEDNESDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG
	5.50	
26 February		r
		Psalm: 119:145-176
		Service: The Sixth Service – <i>Tomkins</i>
		Anthem: Give ear, O Lord – Weelkes
THURSDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG
27 February		Responses: Moore
George Herbert		Psalms: 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131
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		Service: The Ely Service – Filsell
		Anthem: Vertue – Weir

SUNDAY 2 March The Last Sunday after the Epiphany (Quinguagesima) DEC 1	11:00	FESTAL EUCHARIST Service: Mass for Four Voices – <i>Byrd</i> Psalm: 99 Anthems: Laudate pueri – <i>Monteverdi</i> In splendenti nube – <i>Philips</i>
DEC 1	4:00	FESTAL EVENSONG AND BENEDICTION Introit: Turn thy face from my sins – Prendergast Responses: Moore Psalm: 89:1-18 Service: The Ely Service – Filsell Anthems: Alleluia, Amen – Leighton O salutaris hostia – Plainsong Tantum ergo – Bonis Psalm 117 – J. Smith
	5:15	CHAMBER RECITAL Benjamin Howard – Baritone and Gentleman of the Choir
TUESDAY 4 March	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG Responses: Byrd Psalms: 22, 23 Service: Magnificat Tertii toni – Palestrina Nunc dimittis Tertii toni – Lassus Anthem: Exsurge Domine – Byrd
WEDNESDAY 5 March Ash Wednesday (Lent Begins)	12:00 & 5:30	THE SOLEMN LITURGY OF ASH WEDNESDAY Introit: Misereris omnium, Domine – Plainsong Service: Missa Orbis factor – Plainsong Psalm: 103:8-14 Tract: Domine, non secundum peccata nostra – Plainsong Ashing: Miserere mei – Allegri Anthem: Salvator mundi – Tallis
THURSDAY 6 March	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Responses: Leighton-Jones Psalms: 32, 33, 34 Service: Magdalen Service – Ives Anthem: Kyrie eleison from Messe Cum Jubilo – Duruflé
SUNDAY 9 March Lent 1 CAN 1	11:00	LITANY AND SOLEMN EUCHARIST sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Litany: Tallis Service: Messe Cum Jubilo – Duruflé Psalm: 91:1-2, 9-16 Anthems: Cantique de Jean Racine – Bonis Notre Père – Duruflé
	4:00	SOLEMN EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Responses: Millington Psalm: 119:73-88 Service: St. Mark's Service – French Anthem: Te lucis ante terminum – Lesemann-Elliott
	5:15	ORGAN RECITAL Eugene Lavery – <i>Waco, TX</i>

TUESDAY 11 March	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Responses: <i>Millington</i> Psalms: 59, 60, 61 Service: The Second Service – <i>Moore</i> Anthem: The seasons of his mercies – R. R. <i>Bennett</i>
WEDNESDAY 12 March Gregory the Great Ember Day	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Responses: Tallis Psalms: 65, 66, 67 Service: Magnificat Octavi toni – Anerio Nunc dimittis Octavi toni – Lassus Anthem: Lamentations I – Bermúdez
THURSDAY 13 March	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Responses: Tallis Psalms: 69:1-22, 30-37; 70 Service: Magnificat Secundi toni – Morales Nunc dimittis Secundi toni – Lassus Anthem: Emendemus in melius – Morales
SUNDAY 16 March Lent 2 DEC 2	11:00	SOLEMN EUCHARIST Service: Missa Pange lingua – Josquin des Prez Psalm: 27 Anthems: In jejunio et fletu – Tallis Richard de Castre's prayer to Jesus – Terry
	4:00	SOLEMN EVENSONG Responses: M. Martin Psalm: 135 Service: Mount St. Alban Service – Hogan Anthem: Like as the hart – Howells
	5:15	CHAMBER RECITAL Aisslinn Nosky, <i>violin</i> – <i>New York</i> , <i>NY</i>
TUESDAY 18 March Eve of Saint Joseph	5:30	FESTAL EVENSONG Responses: M. Martin Psalm: 132 Service: Wood in Eb Anthem: O Deus, ego amo te – Rorem
WEDNESDAY 19 March Saint Joseph	5:30	SOLEMN EUCHARIST Introit: Justus ut palma – Plainsong Service: Missa Brevis – Walton Psalm: 89:1-4, 27-30 Anthem: Cherry Tree Carol – arr. Cleobury
THURSDAY 20 March Cuthbert	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG Responses: Smith Psalm: 104 Service: The Second Service – Tomkins Anthem: Lord, let me know mine end – Greene

SUNDAY 23 March Lent 3 CAN 2	11:00	SOLEMN EUCHARIST Service: Missa Brevis – Walton Psalm: 63:1-9 Anthems: Lovely tear of lovely eye – Chilcott Deep River – Hancock
	4:00	SOLEMN EVENSONG Responses: M. Martin Psalms: 12, 13 Service: The Windsor Service – Glasser Anthem: Lovely tear of lovely eye – Chilcott
	5:15	ORGAN RECITAL Colin Andrews – Bloomington, IN
SUNDAY 30 March Lent 4 DEC 1	11:00	SOLEMN EUCHARIST sung by the Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys and the Choir of Somerville College, Oxford, UK Service: Missa Bel' Amfitrit' altera – Lassus Psalm: 32 Anthems: Et incarnatus & Crucifixus from Mass in B Minor – J. S. Bach Ave Verum – Byrd
	4:00	SOLEMN EVENSONG Responses: Byrd Psalm: 30 Service: Magnificat Octavi toni – Vivanco Nunc dimittis Octavi toni – Lassus Anthem: Dona nobis pacem from Mass in B Minor – J. S. Bach
	5:15	ORGAN RECITAL Jerrick Cavagnaro – Boston, MA
TUESDAY 1 April	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Responses: Byrd Psalms: 6, 7, 8 Service: The Short Service – Tallis Anthem: Absterge Domine – Tallis
WEDNESDAY 2 April	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG Responses: Smith Psalms: 12; 13; 14:1-4, 8-11 Service: The Fourth Service – Batten Anthem: Nolo mortem peccatoris – Morley

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SUNDAY	11:00	11:00 LITANY AND SOLEMN EUCHARIST		
6 April		Litany:	Loosemore	
Lent 5		Service:	Missa Simile est regnum – Victoria	
CAN 1		Psalm:	126	
		Anthems:	Civitas sancti tui – Byrd	
			Kyrie eleison II from Mass in B Minor – J. S. Bach	
	4:00	SOLEMN EVI	ENSONG	
		Responses:	Tomkins	
		Psalm:	35	
		Service:	Magnificat Tertii toni – Palestrina	
			Nunc dimittis Tertii toni – Lassus	
		Anthem:	Ne irascaris Domine – <i>Byrd</i>	
	5:15	CHAMBER RI	ECITAL	
		Players from	the Historical Performance program	
		at The Juillia	ard School – New York, NY	
THURSDAY	7:30	CONCERT: J.S	S. BACH – MASS IN B MINOR	
10 April			nomas Choir of Men and Boys with	
1		Vasari Singe	rs and New York Baroque Incorporated	
		Jeremy Back	chouse, conductor	
		+ I-	HOLY WEEK +	
Addresse	s by The V	ery Rev. Dr. Andr	ew McGowan, Dean of Berkeley Divinity School at Yale	
SUNDAY	11:00	THE LITURGY OF THE PALMS		
13 April		AND SOLEM	N EUCHARIST OF THE PASSION	

Sunday of the Passion:

Palm Sunday DEC 2

sung by the Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys and

Vasari Singers, London, UK

The Passion according to Luke - Lassus Service: Messe Solennelle - Langlais

Psalm: 31:10-18

Anthems: Pueri Hebraeorum - Victoria

Hosanna to the Son of David - Weelkes

O crux ave - Dubra

O Mensch, bewein dein Sünde groβ – J.S. Bach

4:00 SOLEMN EVENSONG

> Responses: Psalm: 69:1-19

Service: St. Paul's Service - Howells Anthem: Lo, the full, final sacrifice - Finzi

MONDAY 14 April Holy Monday	5:30	SOLEMN EUCHARIST sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Introit: Judica, Domine – <i>Plainsong</i> Service: Missa Orbis factor – <i>Plainsong</i> Tract: Aleph: Quomodo sedet sola civitas – <i>Bermúdez</i>
	6:45	MUSICAL MEDITATION MISERERE – A CHORAL MEDITATION Vasari Singers, London, UK Jeremy Backhouse, conductor
TUESDAY 15 April Holy Tuesday	5:30	SOLEMN EUCHARIST sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Introit: Nos autem gloriari – <i>Plainsong</i> Service: Missa Deus genitor alme – <i>Plainsong</i> Tract: Ghimel: Migravit Judas – <i>Bermúdez</i>
	6:45	MUSICAL MEDITATION J.S. BACH: CELLO SUITES Guy Fishman, cello Nicolas Haigh, organ
WEDNESDAY 16 April Holy Wednesday	5:30	THE OFFICE OF TENEBRAE sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir Psalms for Tenebrae – <i>Plainsong</i> Anthems: Christus factus est – <i>Anerio</i> Miserere mei – <i>A. Scarlatti</i>
THURSDAY 17 April	5:30	THE MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER Service: Missa Simile est regnum – Victoria Anthem at the Foot Washing: Mandatum – Major Psalm: 116:1, 11-16 Anthems: Sive vigilem – Mundy In monte Oliveti – Lassus Tantum ergo – de Séverac
FRIDAY 18 April Good Friday	12:00	THE THREE HOURS' DEVOTION Addresses by The Rev. Dr. Willie J. Hennings, Professor of Systematic Theology and Africana Studies, Yale sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir
	5:30	THE CELEBRATION OF THE LORD'S PASSION The Passion according to Saint John – Filsell Good Friday Anthems – Schulz Widmar Psalm: 22 Agnus Dei: from Mass in B Minor – J.S. Bach Anthems: The Lamentation – Bairstow Give me that stranger – McCarthy Crucifixus etiam pro nobis from Mass in B Minor – J. S. Bach
SATURDAY 19 April Holy Saturday	5:30	THE GREAT VIGIL AND FIRST EUCHARIST OF EASTER Psalms for the Vigil – Plainsong Vidi aquam – McCarthy Service: Missa Resurrectionis – Hancock Anthems: Victimae Paschali laudes – arr. Reid Come, see the place – Thomas Antiphon – Britten

SUNDAY 8:00 PROCESSION AND SOLEMN EUCHARIST

20 April & with Saint Thomas Brass

Easter Day 11:00 Introit: Alleluia, Christ is risen – Hanoock

CAN 2 Service: Missa Resurrectionis – Hanoock

Psalm: 118:1-2, 14-24

Anthems: Et resurrexit from Mass in B Minor – J. S. Bach

Vidi Aquam – McCarthy
Come, see the place – Thomas
Sing to the Lord – Lehmann
This joyful Eastertide – arr. Wood

2:15 EASTER MUSIC FOR ORGAN

Maks Adach, organ

3:00 SOLEMN EVENSONG AND EASTER PROCESSION

Introit: Alleluia, Christ is risen – Hancock

Responses: Leighton
Psalms: 113, 114
Service: Bairston in D

Anthems: This joyful Eastertide - arr. Wood

Sing to the Lord – Lehmann

Antiphon - Britten



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