

SERVICES AND MUSIC FEBRUARY 2026

1 SUNDAY

PRESENTATION OF CHRIST IN THE TEMPLE (Candlemas)

8.30am	Morning Prayer*
9.00am	Eucharist
	Preacher Canon Wendy Robins, Chancellor
9.30am	Eucharist at St Hugh's
	Preacher The Rev'd Dr Alun Ford Chaplain to the Bishop of Southwark
11.00am	Choral Eucharist* <i>Sung by the Cathedral Choir</i>
	Preacher Canon Wendy Robins, Chancellor
	Setting Howells <i>Collegium Regale</i>
	Psalm 24.7-end
	Anthem Eccard <i>When to the temple Mary went</i>
	Hymns 33 (omit *), 157, 52
	Voluntary Patterson <i>Fluorescence</i>
3.00pm	Choral Evensong <i>Sung by the Cathedral Choir</i>
	Preacher Canon Jeremy Clark-King, Treasurer
	Responses Byrd
	Psalm 132
	Setting Stanford in B flat
	Anthem Rütti <i>I wonder as I wander</i>
	Hymn 44 (t. 282)
	Voluntary Reimann <i>Fantasia on Wie schön leuchtet der Morgenstern</i>
6.00pm	Compline†

2 MONDAY

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
12.30pm	Midday Prayer
12.45pm	Eucharist
1.20pm	Organ Recital
	Recitalist Stefan Donner (Vienna)
5.30pm	Choral Evensong <i>Sung by the Cathedral Choir</i>
	Responses Tomkins
	Psalm 4
	Setting Purcell in G minor
	Anthem Gibbons <i>See, see the Word is incarnate</i>

3 TUESDAY

Anskar, archbishop, missionary, 865

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
9.30am	Eucharist
12.30pm	Midday Prayer

3 TUESDAY (cont.)

12.45pm	Eucharist
5.30pm	Choral Evensong <i>Sung by the Lay Clerks</i>
	Responses Moore
	Psalm 9
	Setting Bennett in D minor
	Anthem Pacey <i>Now the day is over</i>

4 WEDNESDAY

Gilbert, founder of the Gilbertine Order, 1189

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
12.30pm	Midday Prayer
12.45pm	Eucharist
5.30pm	Evening Prayer

5 THURSDAY

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
12.30pm	Midday Prayer
12.45pm	Eucharist
5.30pm	Choral Evensong <i>Sung by the Cathedral Choristers</i>
	Responses Aston
	Psalm 18: 1-22
	Setting Lucas Southwark Service
	Anthem J.S. Bach <i>Ich will dir, mein Herze schenken</i>

6 FRIDAY

Martyrs of Japan, 1597

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
11.00am	Ordination and Consecration of +Taunton and +Grimsby <i>Sung by the Cathedral Consort</i>
	Preacher The Rev'd Canon Jo McKee
	Setting Dove Missa Brevis
	Anthems Stopford <i>Do not be afraid</i>
	Stainer <i>God so loved the world</i>
	Voluntary Vierne <i>Final from Symphony no 1</i>
12.30pm	Midday Prayer with the Litany of Reconciliation
12.45pm	Eucharist
5.30pm	Choral Evensong <i>Sung by the Cathedral Choir</i>
	Responses Byrd
	Psalm 22: 1-13
	Setting Victoria <i>Magnificat quinti toni</i>
	Victoria <i>Nunc dimittis quinti toni</i>
	Anthem Tallis <i>O nata lux</i>

7 SATURDAY

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
9.30am	Eucharist
4.00pm	Evening Prayer
5.30pm	Choral Eucharist for Truth Telling Gathering <i>Sung by the Choir of Croydon Minster</i>
	Preacher The Bishop of Croydon,
	The Rt Rev'd Dr Rosemarie Mallett
	Setting Anthems Wallen <i>Missa Brevis (world premiere)</i>
	Hogan <i>Hear my prayer</i>
	arr. Hogan <i>Joshua fit the battle of Jericho</i>
	Hymns CP 447 (t. 265), 495, 494 (t. 413)
	Voluntary Price <i>Festal March</i>

8 SUNDAY

The Second Sunday before Lent

8.30am	Morning Prayer*
9.00am	Eucharist
9.30am	Eucharist at St Hugh's
11.00am	Choral Eucharist* <i>Sung by the Cathedral Choir</i>
	Preacher The Very Rev'd Dr Mark Oakley, Dean
	Preacher Canon Wendy Robins, Chancellor
	Choral Eucharist*
	<i>Sung by the Cathedral Choir</i>
	Preacher The Very Rev'd Dr Mark Oakley, Dean
	Setting Mozart <i>Missa Brevis in D, KV 194</i>
	Psalm 136: 1-9, 23-end
	Anthem Byrd <i>Ave verum corpus</i>
	Hymns 466, 398 (t. 395), 440 (omit *)
	Voluntary Eben Moto <i>ostinato from Musica Dominicalis</i>
3.00pm	Choral Evensong <i>Sung by the Cathedral Choir</i>
	Preacher Canon Roxanne Eversley, Librarian
	Responses Smith
	Psalm 148
	Setting Wood in D
	Anthem Weelkes <i>Alleluia, I heard a voice</i>
	Hymn 244 (t. 1)
	Voluntary Franck <i>Choral no 3</i>
6.00pm	Compline†

9 MONDAY

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
12.30pm	Midday Prayer
12.45pm	Eucharist
1.20pm	Organ Recital

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9 MONDAY (cont.)

5.30pm	Choral Evensong <i>Sung by the Cathedral Choir</i> Responses B. Parry Psalm 28 Setting Murrill in E Anthem Moore God's wonderful works
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10 TUESDAY

Scholastica, abbess, c. 543

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
9.30am	Eucharist
12.30pm	Midday Prayer
12.45pm	Eucharist
3.15pm	Music Recital Recitalist Thomas Blew (organ)
5.30pm	Choral Evensong <i>Sung by the Lay Clerks</i> Responses Harris Psalm 33 Setting Moore Fauxbourdons Anthem Loosemore O Lord, increase our faith

11 WEDNESDAY

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
12.30pm	Midday Prayer
12.45pm	Eucharist
5.30pm	Choral Evensong <i>Sung by the Choir of Newton Prep School</i> Responses Shephard Psalm 119: 33-56 Setting Bairstow in E flat Anthem Dyson Praise

12 THURSDAY

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
12.30pm	Midday Prayer
12.45pm	Eucharist
5.30pm	Choral Evensong <i>Sung by the Cathedral Choristers</i> Responses Aston Psalm 40: 1-13 Setting Sumson in G Anthem Purcell Evening Hymn

13 FRIDAY

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
12.30pm	Midday Prayer with the Litany of Reconciliation
12.45pm	Eucharist
5.30pm	Choral Evensong <i>Sung by the Cathedral Choir</i> Responses Byrd Psalm 35: 1-9 Setting Batten Fourth Service Anthem Farrant Lord, for thy tender mercy's sake

14 SATURDAY

Cyril and Methodius, missionaries, 869 and 885; Valentine, martyr at Rome, c. 269

15 SUNDAY

The Sunday next before Lent

8.30am	Morning Prayer*
9.00am	Eucharist Preacher Canon Jeremy Clark-King, Treasurer
9.30am	Eucharist at St Hugh's Preacher Canon Kathryn Fleming, Precentor
11.00am	Choral Eucharist* Sung by the Saint John Singers Preacher Canon Jeremy Clark-King, Treasurer Setting Darke in F Psalm 2 Anthem Stainer God so loved the world Hymns 234 (t. ii), 377, 364 (t. 185) Voluntary Belier Toccata
3.00pm	Choral Evensong Sung by the Saint John Singers Preacher The Rev'd Shannon Preston, Succentor Responses Ayleward Psalm 84 Setting Noble in A minor Anthem Balfour Gardiner Evening Hymn Hymn 178 Voluntary Pierné Cantilène from <i>Trois Pièces</i>
6.00pm	Compline†

16 MONDAY

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
12.30pm	Midday Prayer
12.45pm	Eucharist
1.20pm	Organ Recital Recitalist Ben Collyer (Manchester Cathedral)
5.30pm	Evening Prayer

17 TUESDAY

Janani Luwum, archbishop, martyr, 1977

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
9.30am	Eucharist
12.30pm	Midday Prayer
12.45pm	Eucharist
3.15pm	Music Recital Recitalist Catherine Anushka White (viola)
5.30pm	Evening Prayer

18 WEDNESDAY

ASH WEDNESDAY

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
12.30pm	Midday Prayer
12.45pm	Eucharist with the Imposition of Ashes
5.30pm	Choral Eucharist with the Imposition of Ashes* <i>Sung by the Cathedral Consort</i> Preacher Canon Michael Rawson, Sub Dean Setting Palestrina Missa Brevis Antiphon Lent Prose Anthems Allegri Miserere mei Hymns Byrd Emendemus in melius Voluntary 70 (t. i), 76 J.S. Bach Aus tiefer Not schrei ich zu dir, BWV 686

19 THURSDAY

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
12.30pm	Midday Prayer
12.45pm	Eucharist
5.30pm	Evening Prayer

20 FRIDAY

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
12.30pm	Midday Prayer with the Litany of Reconciliation
12.45pm	Eucharist
5.30pm	Evening Prayer

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21 SATURDAY

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
9.30am	Eucharist
4.00pm	Choral Evensong <i>Sung by the Choir of St Lawrence Parish Church, Waltham</i> Responses Sanders Psalm 73 Setting Noble in B minor Anthem Croft Hear my prayer

22 SUNDAY

The First Sunday of Lent

8.30am	Morning Prayer*
9.00am	Eucharist
9.30am	Preacher Canon Kathryn Fleming, Precentor Eucharist at St Hugh's Preacher The Very Rev'd Dr Mark Oakley, Dean
11.00am	Choral Eucharist* <i>Sung by the Cathedral Choir</i> Preacher Canon Kathryn Fleming, Precentor Setting Leighton in D Antiphon Lent Prose Anthem Parry I know my soul hath power Hymns 67, 84, 333 Voluntary J.S. Bach Toccata in D minor, BWV 538i
3.00pm	Choral Evensong <i>Sung by the Cathedral Choir</i> Preacher The Very Rev'd Dr Mark Oakley, Dean Responses Smith Psalm 50: 1-15 Setting Watson in E Anthem Berkeley The Lord is my shepherd Hymn 337 Voluntary Mendelssohn Prelude and Fugue in C minor
6.00pm	Compline & Benediction* <i>Sung by the Merbecke Choir</i> Setting Victoria Nunc dimittis Antiphon Lassus Ave Regina caelorum Anthem Morgan Into thy hands O Lord

23 MONDAY

Polycarp, bishop, martyr, c. 155

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
12.30pm	Midday Prayer
12.45pm	Eucharist

23 MONDAY (cont.)

1.20pm	Organ Recital Recitalist Simon Hogan (Southwark Cathedral)
5.30pm	Choral Evensong <i>Sung by the Cathedral Choir</i> Responses Leighton Psalm 13 Setting Leighton Collegium Magdalene Oxoniense Anthem Daley Upon your heart

24 TUESDAY

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
9.30am	Eucharist
12.30pm	Midday Prayer
12.45pm	Eucharist
5.30pm	Choral Evensong <i>Sung by the Lay Clerks</i> Responses Plainsong Psalm 49 Setting Guerrero Magnificat secundi toni Plainsong Nunc dimittis secundi toni Anthem Lobo Versa est in luctum

25 WEDNESDAY

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
12.30pm	Midday Prayer
12.45pm	Eucharist
5.30pm	Choral Evensong <i>Sung by Thames Philharmonic Choir</i> Responses Tomkins Psalm 28 Setting Forbes L'Estrange King's College Service Anthem S.S. Wesley Wash me throughly Hymn 341

26 THURSDAY

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
12.30pm	Midday Prayer
12.45pm	Eucharist
5.30pm	Evening Prayer

27 FRIDAY

George Herbert, priest, poet, 1633

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
12.30pm	Midday Prayer with the Litany of Reconciliation
12.45pm	Eucharist
5.30pm	Choral Evensong <i>Sung by the Cathedral Choir</i> Responses Rose Psalm 69:1-12 Setting Howells Anthem Collegium Sancti Johannis Cantabrigiense Vaughan Williams Love bade me welcome

28 SATURDAY

9.00am	Morning Prayer*
9.30am	Eucharist
4.00pm	Evening Prayer

1 SUNDAY

The Second Sunday of Lent; St David's Day

8.30am	Morning Prayer*
9.00am	Eucharist
9.30am	Preacher Rev'd Canon Dr Chigor Chike, Archdeacon of Lewisham & Greenwich Eucharist at St Hugh's Preacher The Rev'd Dr Alun Ford, Chaplain to the Bishop of Southwark
11.00am	Choral Eucharist* Sung by the Cathedral Choir Preacher Rev'd Canon Dr Chigor Chike, Archdeacon of Lewisham & Greenwich Setting Berkeley Missa Brevis Antiphon Lent Prose Anthem Rose Surely thou hast tasted Hymns 378, 73 (t.i), 368 Voluntary Hindemith Lebhaft from Organ Sonata II
3.00pm	Choral Evensong Sung by the Cathedral Choir Preacher Rev'd Canon Deacon Frances Hiller, Honorary Minor Canon Responses Smith Psalm 135: 1-14 Setting Noble in B minor Anthem Brahms Geistliches Lied Hymn 158 Voluntary Harwood Allegro appassionato from Sonata no 1
6.00pm	Compline†