

CHICHESTER CATHEDRAL

SUNDAY 1ST DECEMBER 2019
FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

8.00 HOLY COMMUNION

Service begins on **page 236** of the Prayer Book. Collect and readings for the First Sunday in Advent are on **pp 47-49**.

10.00 MATTINS

Archer - Benedicite

Responses: Tomkins

Stanford - Benedictus in C

Joubert - There is no rose

Micah 4: 1-7

1 Thessalonians 5: 1-11

Psalm: 44: 1-8

Hymn: 5

Preacher: The Reverend Dr Irene Smale, Cathedral Deacon

Organ Voluntary: Wachet auf, ruft uns die Stimme BWV 645
by J S Bach (1685 - 1750)

11.00 SUNG EUCHARIST

For full details of this Service please refer to the separate Order of Service.
After the Sung Eucharist this morning, tea, coffee and soft drinks will be served in the South Transept, to which all members of the congregation are warmly invited.

3.30 EVENSONG with the licensing of the Diocesan Director of Ordinands and the Installation of Honorary Canons

Sumsion in G

Responses: Tomkins

Ledger - Adam lay ybounden

Isaiah 52: 7-10

Ephesians 5: 8-20

Psalm: 9: 1-8

Hymns: CP 334, 9

Organ Voluntary: Toccata on Veni Emmanuel
by E C Carter (1908 - 2012)

Notices

Deacon Ish is preaching and leading the music worship this morning at St Mary Magdalene Church, in South Bersted.

Danielle Charbonneau: Everybody will be very sad to hear that Danielle Charbonneau died last Thursday 21st November. Danielle had been a faithful door keeper for many years and will be very much missed by very many people. (*Jeremy Mudford*)

Ned Stidolph: There will be a service of thanksgiving for the life of Ned on Wednesday 11th December at 12 noon in the Quire. All are welcome as we remember Ned and his contribution to the life of the Cathedral.

Chichester Festival Theatre: The Cathedral choir will be taking part in the Christmas concerts at the theatre all this week.

Advent Lunches: As usual in Advent, as well as Lent, the Christian Aid Committee provide soup lunches at Christ Church at the end of South Street on Wednesdays from 12.00 - 1.00 pm. Cathedral representatives are organising the lunch this Wednesday 4th December and we hope you will come then and the other weeks too. There is no set cost but donations are welcomed so we can send a good amount of money to the areas of the world in great need. If you would like to help in any way please contact one of us. Thank you so much in anticipation of your help. (*Julie Schofield, Annabelle Hancock*)

Be Still December Meetings: With a change to the normal venue, the group is moving to the Lady Chapel of St George's on Tuesday 3rd December (and 17th December). It's 7.15pm for 7.30pm start, finishing 8.45pm. Do join us.

In the Christmas Spirit... We need people to help us stuff our Christmas Orders of Service with Gift-Aid envelopes. Two sessions are planned for Wednesday 18th December at 2pm and Friday 20th December at 9.30am for an hour or so. (The more volunteers we have, the quicker it will be!) Meet in the Canons' Vestry. Call Steve Holloway on 01243 792 401 if you can help. Thank you.

Eco-Friendly Christmas Gifts in the Cloisters Shop: Chichester Cathedral's Young Ambassadors for Social Action (YASA) is a group of young people aged 16 - 25 who strive to raise awareness and create change for a better world. YASA is currently focusing on climate change issues and have created eco-friendly gifts and decorations, some of which are available to buy in the Cloisters shop. A film of YASA's Eco-Friendly Christmas is available on the Cathedral website. For more information please contact Luna Russell - contact details in next paragraph.

Children's books needed: The Learning and Engagement team are working in partnership with Family Support Work and Home-Start who offer families in the Chichester Diocese emotional and practical support. They will be visiting us on our next Family Activity Day, 'Terrific Tales,' on 21st February and we are looking for donations of good quality used or new children's books, suitable for 0-11 year-olds, to give to the children. For details contact Luna Russell, Families and Young People's Officer: 01243 812998 luna.russell@chichestercathedral.org.uk

Chichester Cathedral: The Chapels, History and Response, ed. Paul Foster and Rachel Moriarty (University of Chichester 2019). This is the last (no 36) of Paul Foster's Otter Memorial Papers, which have described and interpreted aspects of the Cathedral and its neighbourhood from 1987 until his death in 2014. This one covers the Chapels. Price £15 from the Cathedral Shop and St Olav's Christian Bookshop. The costs have generously been met by the Cathedral Friends, who will receive any profits, and we encourage readers to buy it – it would make an excellent and rewarding Christmas present! (*Rachel Moriarty 01243 789985*
rachel.moriarty@waitrose.com)

The Friends' Christmas Fair: Saturday 7th December from 10am-12pm at Vicars' Hall. Entrance £2. We would be very grateful for donations! Please bring cakes, jam, chutney, prizes and plants on Friday 6th December between 2-4pm to Vicars' Hall. Cakes etc can also be delivered from 9am on Saturday 7th December to the Hall. (*Fenella 07966 874049; Sarah 01243 951092*)

Festival of Chichester: The Festive Jazz Café: Wednesday 11th December, 7.30pm at St John's Chapel, St John's Street, Chichester, PO19 1UR. A programme of seasonal readings, jazz and complimentary mince pies, Tickets £12 (students £10) from the Novium, 01243 816525 www.thenovium.org/boxoffice

Christmas Lunches at 4 Canon Lane: Why not treat yourself and friends to a delicious three-course lunch this festive season in the delightful setting of 4 Canon Lane? They run throughout December, Tuesday – Saturday, from 12 noon - 2pm. £25 per person. The Christmas Lunch Leaflet (available from the Café or Cathedral website) will give you the full list of tasty choices! For reservations call 01243 813585 or email events@chichestercathedral.org.uk

Advent and Christian Stewardship: As the Church begins a new year to-day, is it time for you to consider your financial giving to maintain the work, worship and outreach of our Cathedral? Many of you may still have the forms to change to the Parish Giving Scheme but as yet uncompleted. The Scheme is financially advantageous to the Cathedral, is less costly in time and is commended by our Bishop. If you need another form, please contact the Stewardship Treasurer, John Leslie, stewardship@chichestercathedral.org.uk or leave a note in the Cathedral Office for him. (*Richard Hancock*)

Handel's Messiah. Saturday 14th December at 7.15pm in the Nave. Charles Harrison directs the professional singers *NMH* and the period ensemble *three parts vied* in an intimate performance of Handel's *Messiah*. Proceeds Tickets £20 (or £16 with restricted view) available at the Cathedral Shop or via the Cathedral website.

Pastoral Care: If anyone has a pastoral concern and would like to speak to someone, please contact Canon Tim Schofield, Precentor (813589) or Canon Bruce Ruddock, the Cathedral Chaplain (0791 9092504).

The deadline for the January monthly leaflet is 15th December. Please email copy to Charlotte Rattray at: lmassistant@chichestercathedral.org.uk

Services, Events and Prayer Calendar

In residence: The Precentor

Monday 2nd December	7.30am	<i>Mattins (said)</i>
	8.00am	<i>Holy Communion - Order 1 (Chapel of St Mary Magdalene)</i>
	2.30pm	<i>Carol Service (Dementia-Friendly)</i>
	5.30pm	<i>Evening Prayer (said)</i> Broadwater: Gaz Daly, team rector; Gary Neal, team vicar (St Stephen's & Queen Street Church); Broadwater CEP School: vacant. Head teacher; Elizabeth Crockett, chair of governors
Tuesday 3rd December <i>Francis Xavier, missionary, 1552</i>	7.30am	<i>Mattins (said)</i>
	8.00am	<i>Holy Communion - Order 1 (Chapel of St John Baptist)</i>
	1.45pm	<i>'Our City' Carol Service</i>
	5.30pm	<i>Evensong sung by the Lay Vicars (Lady Chapel)</i> Durrington, St Symphorian: Ben Eadon, incumbent; Ian Edgar, assistant curate
Wednesday 4th December <i>John of Damascus, monk, teacher of the faith, c. 749</i>	7.30am	<i>Mattins (said)</i>
	8.00am	<i>Holy Communion - Order 1 (Chapel of St George)</i>
	1.10pm	<i>Healing Eucharist (Lady Chapel)</i>
	5.30pm	<i>Evening Prayer (said)</i>
	7.00pm	<i>Chichester College Carol Service</i> Ferring, St Andrew: Gary Ingram, incumbent; Jill Simpson, assistant curate. Ferring CEP School: Gillian Silk, head teacher
Thursday 5th December	7.30am	<i>Mattins (said)</i>
	8.00am	<i>Holy Communion - Order 1 (Shrine of St Richard)</i>
	10.30am	<i>Holy Communion - BCP (Lady Chapel)</i>
	2.30pm	<i>West Sussex Federation of Women's Institutes Carol Service</i>
	5.30pm	<i>Evensong</i>
	7.30pm	<i>West Sussex County Council and Fire & Rescue Service Carol Service</i> Findon Valley, All Saints: Beverley Miles, associate priest
Friday 6th December <i>Nicolas, bishop, c. 326</i>	7.30am	<i>Mattins (said)</i>
	8.00am	<i>Holy Communion Order 1 (Chapel of St Thomas and St Edmund)</i>
	5.30pm	<i>Evensong sung by the Prebendal School Chamber Choir</i> Findon, Clapham & Patching: Helena Buqué, priest in charge; Colin Cox, assistant curate. St John the Baptist CEP School: Richard Yelland, head teacher; John Roche, chair of governors; Clapham & Patching CEP School: Jane Jones, head teacher; David Longmore, chair of governors
Saturday 7th December <i>Ambrose, bishop, 397</i>	8.00am	<i>Mattins (said)</i>
	12.00pm	<i>Holy Communion Order 1 (Lady Chapel)</i>
	5.30pm	<i>Evensong</i> Goring-by-Sea, St Mary: Keith Littlejohn, incumbent. Goring-by-Sea CE Primary School; Clare Jee, head teacher; David Rogers, chair of governor; West Park CE School: Caitriona Bull, head teacher; Mark Deacon, chair of governors
Sunday 8th December SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT	8.00am	<i>Holy Communion (Lady Chapel)</i>
	10.00am	<i>Mattins sung by the Lay Vicars</i>
	11.00am	<i>Sung Eucharist</i>
	3.30pm	<i>Evensong</i>
	6.00pm	<i>Light Up a Life: St Wilfrid's Hospice Carol Service</i>

The readings at the Sung Eucharist next week

Isaiah 11: 1-10

Psalm: 72: 1-7

Romans 15: 4-13

Matthew 3: 1-12