

CHICHESTER CATHEDRAL

SUNDAY 19TH JANUARY 2020
SECOND SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY

8.00 HOLY COMMUNION

Service begins on **page 236** of the Prayer Book. Collect and readings for the Second Sunday after the Epiphany are on **pp 69-70**.

10.00 MATTINS

Byrd - Te Deum (Short Service) Responses: Clucas
Malcolm - Verbum caro factum est

Jeremiah 1: 4-10 Mark 1: 14-20

Psalm: 145: 1-12 Hymn: 200

Preacher: The Reverend Canon Tim Schofield, Precentor

Organ Voluntary: A Fancy
by William Byrd (c. 1540 - 1623)

11.00 SUNG EUCHARIST

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

3.30 EVENSONG

Leighton - Collegium Magdalenae Oxoniense Responses: Clucas
Haynes - Where is this stupendous stranger?

Ezekiel 2: 1 - 3: 4

Galatians 1: 11-end

Psalm: 96

Hymns: 431, 338 (omit*)

Organ Voluntary: Fugue *from* Symphony No. 1
by Louis Vierne (1870 - 1937)

Notices

A memorial service for Neil Simms, a former member of the Cathedral congregation, will be held in Ebernoe Parish Church on Saturday April 25th at 2pm. All are welcome.

This morning Deacon Ish is leading a special all age service at Portsmouth Christian Fellowship.

Chichester Churches Annual Unity Service: Sunday 26th January at 6pm at St Paul's Church, Chichester. The service will focus on the growing challenge of homelessness in our city. We will highlight the work of HEART, which was born in recent years as a Christ inspired response by local churches. All welcome.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity: 18th - 25th January. The theme is 'They showed an unusual kindness', (Acts 27:18 - 28:10). Resources, prepared by the Christian Churches in Malta and Gozo, are available via the Churches Together in Britain and Ireland website: <https://ctbi.org.uk/weekofprayer>

Foodbank news: Thank you so much for the extra support given over the Christmas period, it has been very much appreciated. While Universal Credit is still causing major difficulties our data shows that families in work present the main reason for using our service. It may interest you to know that on the Friday before Christmas we gave food parcels to over a hundred people and a third of them were children. This was a salutary experience for all the volunteers working the Friday shift on that day. We would appreciate your prayers as we go in to 2020 to consider the expansion of our project to cater for greater numbers, especially the need to provide more lunchboxes for children who qualify for free lunches over the holiday weeks. As always the support the Cathedral congregation gives is generous and wonderful for those in need in the Chichester District. You can keep in touch with shortages by accessing our website Chichester District Foodbank. Thank you all. (*Marguerite Saffery.*)

New member of chapter: The Cathedral is seeking a new Lay Member of Chapter to play an active role in its leadership. This is a voluntary 'non-executive' position – rather like being a Trustee – and is an exciting and rare opportunity to be involved at a strategic level, supporting the sustainable development of the Cathedral and the delivery of its mission. For more details please visit the volunteer Vacancies section of the Cathedral website.

We thank everyone for their generous contributions towards the Christmas Flowers, which we hope you all enjoyed. It is a joy to decorate the Cathedral at this time and felt it really looked wonderful this year. Whilst on the subject of flower arranging, if there are any enthusiastic and keen flower arrangers who may be interested in joining our team of arrangers we would be delighted to meet them. Please contact us. (*Carol Hunter 01243 773776 & Yvonne Kelly 01243 776198.*)

Lunchtime Concerts: Our popular classical music concerts, (Tuesday lunchtimes at 1.10pm in the Nave) recommence on 21st January, with Meera Maharaj and

Dominic Degavino on flute and piano, and a programme of Bach, Amirov and Gubaidulina. www.chichestercathedral.org.uk/music/concerts/lunchtime-concerts

Be Still: The next meeting of the Chichester Contemplative Prayer Group is on Tuesday 21st January (7.15pm for 7.30pm start, finishing 8.45pm) in 4 Canon Lane. The focus for the evening will be *'Watching and waiting - Psalm 48: 10; Luke 2: 25-28.'*

La Nativité du Seigneur: The Cathedral's Assistant Organist, Timothy Ravalde, performs Olivier Messiaen's organ work *La Nativite du Seigneur* in this special free performance on Saturday 25th January at 6.30pm after Evensong.

'Chichester Marks Holocaust Memorial Day' has organised a special film screening of *'Enemies of the People'*, depicting the 10-year quest of co-director Thet Sambath to find out the truth about the Killing Fields of Cambodia. Marking Holocaust Memorial Day 2020. Location: New Park Cinema, Chichester at 11am on Sunday 26th January. Includes an introduction and Q&A with the film's other co-director Robert Lemkin. Tickets free, but booking essential via the cinema box office or by <https://chichestercinema.org/film/holocaust-memorial-day-2020>

Spring Lecture Series: 'God and Great Britain: From The Civil War to Brexit'. Examining how religious thought has responded to times of crisis and change in national life, this lecture series invites five speakers to reflect on how religious thinkers have responded to key moments in British history. The Second Lecture will be given by the Chancellor, the Revd Canon Dr Dan Inman. His talk *'Radical Christianity in an Age of Revolution: The Prophetic Visions of William Blake and Mary Wollstonecraft'* takes place on Thursday 30th January at 6.30pm in Vicars' Hall. These are free events, but booking still advisable via Cathedral website. Retiring collection.

The Sussex Snowdrop Trust invites you to PUSH, an opera by Howard Moody. PUSH is the true story of 11 year-old Simon Gronowski, who was pushed from a train to Auschwitz by his mother to save his life. Performed by Chichester area community choirs and schools and the University of Chichester on Saturday 15th February at 7pm at Westbourne House School Theatre. An uplifting and powerful story of hope, forgiveness and the strength of the human spirit. Tickets £25 (plus admin fees) available from www.eventbrite.co.uk

'Christianity in Sussex since the Emperor Diocletian'. A talk by Christopher Robson covering Selsey Abbey, founded by Saint Wilfrid; the role of Chichester Cathedral since 1075; and the role of the Anglican Church in the area since the early 16th century. All welcome. Come for a cup of tea beforehand! Any money collected will support Churches Together in Sussex. Saturday 22nd February at 2pm, in the Lower Hall, Arundel Cathedral.

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 February monthly leaflet is today - 19th January. Please email copy to Charlotte Rattray at: lmassistant@chichestercathedral.org.uk

Services, Events and Prayer Calendar

In residence: The Chancellor

Monday 20th January

Richard Rolle, spiritual writer, 1349

7.30am *Mattins (said)*
8.00am *Holy Communion - Order 1 (Chapel of St Mary Magdalene)*
5.30pm *Evensong sung by the Lay Vicars*
Cowden: vacant

Tuesday 21st January

Agnes, child martyr, 304

7.30am *Mattins (said)*
8.00am *Holy Communion - Order 1 (Chapel of St John Baptist)*
1.10pm *Lunchtime Concert - Meera Maharaj & Dominic Degavino*
5.30pm *Evensong*
Crawley, St John the Baptist: Stephen Burston: incumbent; Jimmy Young, associate vicar; Martin Walker, assistant curate

Wednesday 22nd January

Vincent of Saragossa, deacon, martyr, 304

7.30am *Mattins (said)*
8.00am *Holy Communion - Order 1 (Chapel of St George)*
8.40am *Prebendal School Eucharist*
1.10pm *Holy Communion (Lady Chapel)*
5.30pm *Evensong sung by the Cathedral Voluntary Choir*
Three Bridges, St Richard: Christine Spencer, priest in charge

Thursday 23rd January

7.30am *Mattins (said)*
8.00am *Holy Communion - Order 1 (Shrine of St Richard)*
10.30am *Holy Communion - BCP (Lady Chapel)*
5.30pm *Evensong*
West Green, St Peter: Paul Welch incumbent; Jonathan Baldwin, associate vicar; David Howland, assistant curate

Friday 24th January

Francis de Sales, bishop, teacher of the faith, 1622

7.30am *Mattins (said)*
8.00am *Holy Communion Order 1 (Chapel of St Thomas and St Edmund)*
5.30pm *Evensong*
Crawley Down: Christine Keyte, incumbent; Sandra Bale, associate priest; Crawley Down Village CE School: Oliver Burcombe, head teacher; Steve Warr, chair of governors

Saturday 25th January

Conversion of Paul

8.00am *Mattins (said)*
12.00pm *Holy Communion Order 1 (Lady Chapel)*
5.30pm *Evensong*
6.30pm *Timothy Ravalde - La Nativité du Seigneur (Messiaen)*

Sunday 26th January

**THIRD SUNDAY OF
EPIPHANY**

8.00am *Holy Communion (Lady Chapel)*
10.00am *Mattins*
11.00am *Sung Eucharist*
3.30pm *Evensong*

The readings at the Sung Eucharist next week

Isaiah 9: 1-4
1 Corinthians 1: 10-18

Resp. Psalm: 27: 1, 4-11
Matthew 4: 12-23