



SUNDAY NOTICES

17 December 2023

The Third Sunday of Advent • O Adonai

08:00 Holy Communion CW Order Two, Trinity Chapel

President Canon Nigel Davies, Vicar of the Close

09:15 Family Service Refectory

09:15 Morning Prayer said, Trinity Chapel

Psalms 50: 1–6, 62

10:30 The Eucharist*

President The Very Revd Nicholas Papadopoulos, Dean

Preacher Canon Nigel Davies, Vicar of the Close

Isaiah 6: 1–4, 8–end • John 1: 6–8, 19–28

Mozart in C (K 220) • *Byrd Ave verum corpus* 62

Hymns Advent Prose, 12, A&M327(ii), A&M395(t.448ii), 7

Bach Pièce d'Orgue (BWV 572)

15:00 Confessions Audley Chapel

16:30 Cantata Evensong with instrumentalists

Preacher The Very Revd Nicholas Papadopoulos, Dean

Malachi 3: 1–4; 4 • Philippians 4: 4–7

Smith Responses • Psalm 68: 1–8 • *Bevan* Sexti Toni

Bach Cantata BWV 140 'Wachet auf ruft uns die Stimme'



* **Livestreamed services** can be viewed
at the times indicated above
<https://www.salisburycathedral.org.uk/live>
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your hearing aid to the T position.

Monday 18

O Radix Jesse

07:30 Morning Prayer Trinity Chapel**07:50 Holy Communion** Trinity Chapel**13:00 Symphony Hall Carols at Birmingham Symphony Hall
sung by Salisbury Cathedral Choir****17:30 Evening Prayer** said, Trinity Chapel
Psalms 93–94**19:30 South Wilts Grammar School Carol Service**

Tuesday 19

O Clavis David

07:30 Morning Prayer Trinity Chapel**07:50 Holy Communion** Trinity Chapel**12:00 Holy Communion** CW Order One, Trinity Chapel**15:00 Confessions** Audley Chapel**17:30 Evening Prayer** said, Trinity Chapel
Psalm 57

Wednesday 20

O Oriens

07:30 Morning Prayer Trinity Chapel**07:50 Holy Communion** Trinity Chapel**12:00 Prayers for Justice and Peace** Trinity Chapel**17:30 Evening Prayer** said, Trinity Chapel
Psalm 4

Thursday 21

O Rex Gentium

07:30 Morning Prayer Trinity Chapel**07:50 Holy Communion** Trinity Chapel**12:00 Holy Communion** BCP 1662, Trinity Chapel**17:30 Choral Evensong**

Rose Responses • Psalm 84

Gibbons Short Service • Gibbons O thou the central orb 422

Friday 22

O Emmanuel

07:30 Morning Prayer Trinity Chapel**07:50 Holy Communion** Trinity Chapel**16:00 Evening Prayer** said, Trinity Chapel
Psalm 48**19:00 Carols by Candlelight***

Saturday 23

O Virgo Virginum

08:30 Morning Prayer Trinity Chapel**08:50 Holy Communion** Trinity Chapel**16:00 Evening Prayer** said, Trinity Chapel
Psalm 89: 1–37**19:00 Carols by Candlelight***

Sunday 24**The Fourth Sunday of Advent • Christmas Eve****08:00 Holy Communion** CW Order Two, Trinity Chapel
President Canon Kenneth Padley, Treasurer**09:15 Morning Prayer** said, Trinity Chapel
Psalm 144**10:30 The Eucharist** sung by the Lay Vicars*

President Canon Edward Probert, Chancellor

Preacher Canon Kenneth Padley, Treasurer

2 Samuel 7: 1–11, 16 • Luke 1: 26–38

Byrd Mass for Three Voices • Anon. There is no rose 551

Hymns Advent Prose, 19 (t.ii, omit *), 21, 33 (omit 2–4), 186

Halls Toccata on 'Wachet auf'

13:00 A Family Service for Christmas Eve

14:30 A Family Service for Christmas Eve

17:30 Choral Evensong*

Trad. The Lord at first did Adam make • Rose Responses

Psalm 85 • *Howells* Collegium Regale

Gardner Tomorrow shall be my dancing day 580

Hymns on Order of Service • *Daquin* Noël X

23:00 The First Eucharist of Christmas

President & Preacher The Very Revd Nicholas Papadopoulos, Dean

Isaiah 9: 2–7 • Luke 2: 1–20

Haydn Missa Sancti Nicolai • *Arr. Willcocks* Sussex Carol 502

Hymns on Order of Service • *Vierne* Final (Symphonie I)

Residence this week

Canon Anna Macham

Tuesday 19 December: Canon Kenneth Padley

Intercessions

The Sick: Jane Merian, Rosemary Gainsbury, Natalie Morabito, John Lever, Jessica Cradock, Ben Sampson, Bob Stileman.

Recently Departed: John Tubs, Revd Ray Speck.

Year's Mind: Henry Haig (2007), Robert Joseph 'John' Baker (2013), Robert Blackledge (2006), Amelia Allery (1970), Edward 'Teddy' Gueritz (2008), Jack Branch (1985), John Bird (2019).

December Prisoner of Conscience: Anon Nampa, human rights defender and pro-democracy activist Anon Nampa has received two prison sentences for peacefully exercising his rights and face multiple further charges that could lead to decades' imprisonment. He is currently held in Bangkok remand prison and authorities are denying his right to bail.

Cathedral Notices

TODAY: Bach Cantata Evensong. On Sunday 17 December at 4.30pm Evensong will include J S Bach's Cantata BWV 140 Wachet auf, ruft uns die Stimme performed by the Cathedral Choir, soloists and period instruments. Based on the hymn Wachet auf by Philipp Nicolai, this cantata was first performed in 1731 and is often performed during Advent. All are welcome to attend.

We have had **an outstanding response to September's Giving Campaign** from across our congregations! In summary:

- 16 people have become regular donors to the Cathedral for the first time;
- 35 existing donors have transferred their giving from Standing Order to the more efficient Parish Giving Scheme;
- 18 existing donors have increased their level of giving.

It is still a little early to assess the impact of the campaign on overall levels of giving but the effect will clearly be positive. Thank you to everyone who has got involved. If you have yet to do so or would like further information, please go to 'Regular Giving' under the 'More' tab of our website. Canon Kenneth's sermon from 17th September about Christian giving and the Cathedral's budget is on our Youtube channel, and Kenneth and Development Manager Jilly Wright would love to hear from you if you have questions about this important part of our life together.

This year's **Advent and Christmas art installation** is part of a wider body of work by Shezad Dawood called *Leviathan*. The title comes from the biblical sea monster which Wiltshire-born philosopher Thomas Hobbes later used to describe the state. The exhibition invites reflection on issues faced by the world, in particular climate change and migration. It resonates with this season as a reminder that Jesus was born into the messiness of the real world, not a Christmas of superficial tinsel. Please take a free interpretation leaflet from the back of the cathedral to find out more.

Liturgical Furniture. You may remember that earlier this year we trialled mock-ups of new liturgical furniture for the Spire Crossing and Trinity Chapel. We appreciated the questionnaire responses that we received from the congregation, volunteers and staff at the time. The new altars, daises and clergy chairs are now in the Cathedral and in use. They will be consecrated by Bishop Stephen at a service in January, of which details will follow in due course. This is an exciting moment for the Cathedral being the culmination of many years of discussion, planning and consideration. Jackie Molnar, Chapter Clerk (Chief Operating Officer)

Christian Aid are among the charities responding to the need for essential humanitarian relief and psychological support in the Holy Land at the present time. More information and ways to give are on their website: www.christianaid.org.uk/appeals/emergencies/middle-east-crisis-appeal

Amici, The Friends of Salisbury Cathedral Choristers, will be selling Christmas cards after the Sunday morning Eucharist service every Sunday until Christmas. We have 4 Christmas designs and one design blank for your own message. Cash or card payments accepted. Cards can also be ordered by emailing amici@salisburycathedralschool.com. Proceeds to the Choral Foundation.

New 'Salisbury Christmas' CD out now. We're excited to share that 'Salisbury Christmas', the anticipated new CD from the Cathedral Choir is now on sale. The CD features a mix of traditional favourites and new carols and is available for purchase (£12.50) from the Cathedral Shop. Proceeds from sales of CDs bought in the shop go to the Choral Foundation. An ideal Christmas gift!

St John Singers' Christmas Concert. You are warmly invited to the St John Singers' Magic of Christmas on Wed 20 Dec, at 7.30pm, in St Thomas's Church, and thus to raise funds for Salisbury-based charity, Alabare. Directed by Stephen Abbott and accompanied by Ben Mills (piano/organ) and Gallery Brass, with guest soloist Mary Chelu - Flute, there will be the usual festive mix of traditional and new carols. Tickets (with a glass of wine and mince pie included) are £15, and may be obtained from Casa Fina (62 High Street 01722 326428), from choir members and on the door.

Thursday 21 December midday Communion. The service this week will be taken by John Tarrant who celebrates 60 years as a priest on that day. Please join us if you would like to.

Quiz & Curry Fri 26 Jan 2024 at 7pm at Salisbury Cathedral School. A return of last year's sell out quiz fundraising for Cathedral Choir Tours. Teams of up to six people, music rounds sung by the Cathedral Lay Vicars and a bar will be available. Tickets £22 to include food and are available by emailing devadmin@salcath.co.uk or calling 01722 555122.

An Introduction to the Gospel of Mark. Tues 23 Jan 2024, 7.30–8.45pm in Sarum College. (This is a re-rerun for those unable to get seats at the November session.) Led by Canon Treasurer Kenneth Padley. Mark's gospel, from which most Sunday morning gospel readings will be taken in 2024, is the earliest life of Jesus and so vital to our understanding of his life and mission. This evening will consider the structure of Mark and its core themes – secrecy and proclamation, exorcism and conflict, faith and doubt. Free but limited places so booking essential via the Cathedral website.