



SUNDAY NOTICES

22 February 2026

The First Sunday of Lent

- 08:00 Holy Communion** CW Order Two, Trinity Chapel
President Canon Kenneth Padley, Chancellor
- 09:15 Morning Prayer** said, Trinity Chapel
Psalm 119: 1–16
- 10:30 The Eucharist*** sung by Sussex Festival Singers
President Canon Anna Macham, Precentor
Preacher Canon Kenneth Padley, Chancellor
Genesis 2: 15–17; 3: 1–7 • Matthew 4: 1–11
Haydn Little Organ Mass • *Bruckner* *Locus iste* 326
Hymns Lent Prose, 67, 383, 420
- 13:00 Baptism of Amelia Potter-Llewelyn** Font
- 16:30 Choral Evensong*** sung by Sussex Festival Singers
Preacher The Very Revd Nicholas Papadopoulos, Dean
Deuteronomy 6: 4–9, 16–end • Luke 15: 1–10
Smith Responses • Psalm 50: 1–15
Stanford in G • *Greene* Lord, let me know mine end 338
Hymn 76



* **Livestreamed services** can be viewed at the times indicated above
<https://www.salisburycathedral.org.uk/live>
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Monday 23

Polycarp. bishop, martyr, c.155

07:30 Morning Prayer Trinity Chapel**07:45 Holy Communion** Trinity Chapel**11:00 Winter Lecture****17:30 Choral Evensong***Clucas* Responses • Psalms 114–115 • Office Hymn 217 (t.235)*Ayleward* Short Service • *Howells* O pray for the peace of Jerusalem 177(1)**19:30 Lent Lecture****20:45 Compline** sung by the Farrant Singers**Tuesday 24****07:30 Morning Prayer** Trinity Chapel**07:45 Holy Communion** Trinity Chapel**12:00 Holy Communion attended by the Mothers' Union** CW Order One, Trinity Chapel**17:30 Choral Evensong***Clucas* Responses • Psalm 119: 1–32*Bevan Secundi Toni* • *Gibbons arr Bairstow* Jesu, grant me this, I pray 284**20:00 An Evening of Remembrance, Resilience and Prayer for Ukraine****Wednesday 25**

Ember Day

07:30 Morning Prayer Trinity Chapel**07:45 Holy Communion** Trinity Chapel**11:00 Winter Lecture****17:30 Choral Evensong** sung by Bournemouth University Choir*Smith* Responses • Psalm 119: 73–88*Dinott Johnson* Second Service*Brahms* How lovely are thy dwellings fair 662**Thursday 26****07:30 Morning Prayer** Trinity Chapel

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07:45 Holy Communion Trinity Chapel**12:00 Holy Communion** BCP 1662, Trinity Chapel**17:30 Choral Evensong***Ayleward* Responses • Psalms 119: 145–176*Watson* in E • *Attwood* Turn thy face 592**Friday 27**

George Herbert, priest, poet, 1633

07:30 Morning Prayer Trinity Chapel**07:45 Holy Communion** Trinity Chapel**09:00 Salisbury Cathedral School Assembly****11:30 Funeral of John O'Reilly Sykes** Trinity Chapel**17:30 Choral Evensong***Plainsong* Responses • Psalms 126–131*Plainsong* Canticles • *Leighton* Drop, drop slow tears 134**Saturday 28**

Ember Day

08:30 Morning Prayer Trinity Chapel**08:45 Holy Communion** Trinity Chapel**17:30 Choral Evensong***Ayleward* Responses • Psalms 136, 137 (omit 9), 138*Humfrey* in E minor • *Ives* Listen, sweet dove 319

Hymn 383

Sunday 1

The Second Sunday of Lent

08:00 Holy Communion CW Order Two, Trinity Chapel
President Canon Anna Macham, Precentor
Preacher The Revd Sophie Ferguson, Assistant Curate

09:00 Font Service

09:15 Choral Mattins

Ayleward Responses • Psalm 74
Bairstow The Lamentation • *Stanford* Benedictus in B flat
Vaughan Williams The Call 170 (4)
Hymn 85

10:30 The Eucharist*

President The Very Revd Nicholas Papadopoulos, Dean
Preacher The Revd Sophie Ferguson, Assistant Curate
Genesis 12: 1–4a • John 3: 1–17
Victoria Missa O quam gloriosum
Vaughan Willams Love bade me welcome 170 (3)
Hymns Lent Prose, 70 (t.i), 439 (t.i), A&M510

13:00 Baptism of Octavia Callegari Font

16:30 Choral Evensong with Chorister Promotions*

Preacher Canon Anna Macham, Precentor
Number 21: 4–9 • Luke 14: 27–33
Ayleward Responses • Psalm 135
Blow in G • *Vaughan Willams* Antiphon 170 (5)
Hymn 357

Residence this week

Canon Kenneth Padley
Saturday 28 February: The Revd Jules Barnes

Intercessions

The Sick: Paul Hannan, Jordan Betts, George Gilling, Thalia Eyers, Jane Singleton.

Recently Departed: Peter Huxham, John O'Reilly Sykes, Nigel Wright, David Waterworth.

Year's Mind: Denise Watkins (2020), Dickon Abbott (2004), Lucy Carpenter (2013).

February Prisoner of Conscience: Dr Hussam Abu Safiya has been detained for speaking out about Gaza's decimated healthcare sector. On 27 December 2024, the Israeli military raided Kamal Adwan hospital in Mashrou' Beit Lahiya and arbitrarily detained its director, Dr Hussam Abu Safiya, along with other medical staff and patients. The raid put the hospital, the last functioning major medical facility in the North Gaza governorate, out of service. For months, Dr Hussam Abu Safiya has been the most prominent voice of Gaza's decimated healthcare sector. Israeli authorities must immediately release him. Pending his release, they must disclose his whereabouts and grant him access to a lawyer and ensure his protection from torture and other ill-treatment, and provide him with adequate healthcare.

Cathedral Notices

TODAY No Font Service Sunday 22 February. Please note there will be no Font Service today. Services will continue as normal on Sunday 1 March. The Revd Ross Meikle, Missioner for Young People.

The Revd Neil Traynor, Associate Vicar of the Holland Park Benefice (London), has accepted the Bishop's offer of appointment as Residentiary Canon and Treasurer of Salisbury. He will be installed at Evensong on Monday 27 April. We look forward to welcoming Neil to the Close. Further information can be found at www.salisburycathedral.org.uk/new-canon-treasurer-2026/

What is Truth? Lent Lectures 2026. Fake news and technological development are rapidly redefining our world so this year's lectures will explore Christian perspectives on the nature and significance of truth. Mondays in Lent, 7.30pm in the Cathedral followed by Compline at 8.45pm.

- February 23 – Anna McNamee **Fact, Fiction and the Media**
- March 2 – Tim Bull **Faith and Artificial Intelligence**
- March 9 – Young people of the Cathedral in conversation with Ross Meikle **Truth for the young**
- March 16 – James Woodward **Truth in older age**
- March 23 – Kenneth Padley **Greenhushing: is sustainability being silenced?**

Entry is free but it would help our planning if you could indicate your intention to attend. Booking arrangements and speakers' biographies are on our website: salisburycathedral.org.uk/arrangements/lent-lectures-2026/

An Evening of Remembrance, Resilience and Prayer for Ukraine. All are welcome at this service on Tuesday 24 February at 8pm in the Cathedral when there will be an opportunity to light candles, pray for all affected by the war and for peace.

GREAT CARD SALE, Saturday 28 February, 10am–12noon at Harnham Parish Hall, Lower Street, Harnham, in aid of our Diocesan Link, The Salisbury/Sudan Medical Fund. A great range of renewed Greetings Cards for every occasion for sale, including Easter and Birthday Cards. Do stock up on Cards for all your family and friends! Coffee and Cakes will be served by Mothers Union members. (Donations invited for The Holiday Scheme to offer a seaside holiday for families in need of a break). Do come and enjoy a social morning! David and Katharine Callard.

Lent Lunches. A dedicated group of volunteers arrange homemade soup and sandwiches during Lent as a chance to get together and raise funds for the Diocese of Salisbury's longstanding link with medical projects in South Sudan. Every Friday 20 February–27 March, 12.30–1.45pm, meeting at 54 The Close, SP1 2EL. Please come and bring a friend.

World Day of Prayer 2026 The annual service to celebrate the World Day of Prayer will be held at Salisbury Baptist Church, Brown Street on Friday 6th March at 2pm. This year's celebration has been written by women in Nigeria and it is a service that reflects on the biblical theme 'I will give you rest'. This day of prayer is a powerful demonstration of global solidarity as it is celebrated in over 120 countries. It begins in Samoa and prayer in native languages travels throughout the world — through Asia, Africa, the Middle East, Europe and the Americas before finishing in American Samoa. In Salisbury this ecumenical occasion has been organised by the local committee who are all members of the city's churches so do come and bring your friends to join this worldwide wave of prayer and enjoy tea afterwards. Felicity Green

Dreams: The Path to Wholeness: Curious about the meaning and purpose of your dreams? The Revd Dr Lisa Cornwell, priest, theological teacher, and author who worships at the Cathedral, leads a workshop at Sarum College on Thursday 12th March 10am-4pm. Details available on the Short Courses page of the College website (www.sarum.ac.uk)

Do you want to listen better? If you do, come to a Training in Listening day at Salisbury Methodist Church on Saturday 21st March 10 – 4. Register for the course at manager@thelisteningplace.org.uk