



## SUNDAY NOTICES

15 March 2026

### The Fourth Sunday of Lent Mothering Sunday

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- 08:00 Holy Communion** CW Order Two, Trinity Chapel  
President The Very Revd Nicholas Papadopoulos, Dean
- 09:00 Font Service**
- 09:15 Choral Mattins**  
*Reading Responses* • Psalm 19: 7–15 • Venite 6  
*Bairstow* The Lamentation • *Stanford* Benedictus in B flat  
*Purcell* Remember not, Lord, our offences 460  
Hymn 82 • *Gibbons* Voluntary in A minor
- 10:30 The Eucharist\***  
President Canon Anna Macham, Precentor  
Preacher The Very Revd Nicholas Papadopoulos, Dean  
Exodus 2: 1–10 • John 19: 25b–27  
*Byrd* Mass for Five Voices • *Bruckner* Ave Maria 58  
Hymns 285, 186, 297, 413 • *Bach* Fugue in E minor (BWV 548)
- 16:30 Choral Evensong\***  
Preacher The Revd Jules Barnes, Vicar of the Close  
Micah 7 • James 5  
*Reading Responses* • Psalm 31: 1–6 • *Noble* in B minor  
*Gibbons arr Bairstow* Jesu, grant me this I pray 284  
Hymn 443 • *Franck* Choral I



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

<b>Monday 16</b>	<p><b>07:30 Morning Prayer</b> Trinity Chapel  <b>07:50 Holy Communion</b> Trinity Chapel  <b>17:30 Choral Evensong</b>  <i>Reading Responses • Psalms 82, 84–85</i>  <i>McDowall St Albans Service • Morley Nolo mortem peccatoris 371</i></p> <p><b>19:30 Lent Lecture</b>  <b>20:45 Compline</b> sung by Bishop Wordsworth's School Chamber Choir</p>	
<b>Tuesday 17</b>	<p>Patrick, bishop, missionary, patron of Ireland, c.460  <b>07:30 Morning Prayer</b> Trinity Chapel  <b>07:45 Holy Communion</b> Trinity Chapel  <b>09:00 Bishop Wordsworth's School Service</b>  <b>12:00 Holy Communion</b> CW Order One, Trinity Chapel  <b>17:30 Choral Evensong</b>  <i>Reading Responses • Psalm 89</i>  <i>Statham in E minor • Bairstow Jesu, the very thought of thee 287</i></p>	
<b>Wednesday 18</b>	<p><b>07:30 Morning Prayer</b> Trinity Chapel  <b>07:50 Holy Communion</b> Trinity Chapel  <b>12:00 Prayers for Justice and Peace</b> Trinity Chapel  <b>17:30 Choral Evensong on the Eve of Joseph of Nazareth</b> sung by the  Badminton School Schola Cantorum  <i>MacDonald Responses • Psalm 132 • Office Hymn 341</i>  <i>Marshall in C • Rheinberger Abendlied 9</i></p>	
<b>Thursday 19</b>	<p>Joseph of Nazareth  <b>07:30 Morning Prayer</b> Trinity Chapel  <b>07:50 Holy Communion</b> Trinity Chapel  <b>12:00 Holy Communion</b> BCP 1662, Trinity Chapel  <b>17:30 The Eucharist for Joseph of Nazareth</b>  President The Revd Ross Meikle, Missioner for Young People  Preacher The Revd Sue Sampson  Romans 4: 13–18 • Gradual Psalm 89: 27–36 • Matthew 1: 18–end  <i>Ireland in C • Anon. Cherry Tree Carol 104 • Hymns 239, 362 (t.185)</i></p>	DECANI
<b>Friday 20</b>	<p>Cuthbert, bishop, missionary, 687  <b>07:30 Morning Prayer</b> Trinity Chapel  <b>07:50 Holy Communion</b> Trinity Chapel  <b>09:00 Salisbury Cathedral School Assembly</b>  <b>12:00 Rosary Prayer Group</b> Chapel of St Edmund and St Thomas  <b>17:30 Choral Evensong</b>  <i>Plainsong Responses • Psalm 104</i>  <i>Plainsong Canticles • Casàls O vos omnes 423</i></p>	
<b>Saturday 21</b>	<p>Thomas Cranmer, archbishop, Reformation martyr, 1556  <b>08:30 Morning Prayer</b> Trinity Chapel  <b>08:50 Holy Communion</b> Trinity Chapel  <b>17:30 Choral Evensong in memory of Dennis Whitehead</b>  <i>Rose Responses • Psalm 121 • Office Hymn 336</i>  <i>Dyson in D • Harris Bring us, O Lord God 93</i>  Hymn 427 • <i>Dubois Toccata</i></p> <p><b>19:30 Salisbury Musical Society Concert: Durufllé Requiem</b></p>	
<b>Sunday 22</b>	<p>The Fourth Sunday of Lent (Passiontide Begins)  <b>08:00 Holy Communion</b> CW Order Two, Trinity Chapel  President Canon Kenneth Padley, Chancellor  <b>09:00 Font Service</b>  <b>09:15 Choral Mattins</b>  <i>Rose Responses • Psalm 86 • Venite 2</i>  <i>Bairstow The Lamentation • Stanford Benedictus in C</i>  <i>Lotti Crucifixus etiam pro nobis 121</i>  Hymn 84 • <i>Reger Passion (Op. 145)</i></p>	

### 10:30 The Eucharist\*

President The Revd Ross Meikle, Missioner for Young People  
Preacher Canon Kenneth Padley, Chancellor  
Ezekiel 37: 1–14 • John 11: 1–45  
Byrd Mass for Four Voices • *Anerio* Christus factus est 109  
Hymns Lent Prose, 83, 376, 84  
*Buxtehude* Präludium in F sharp minor (BuxWV 146)

### 16:30 Choral Evensong\*

Preacher Canon Anna Macham, Precentor  
Lamentations 3: 19–33 • Matthew 20: 17–end  
Rose Responses • Psalm 30  
*McDowall* St Albans Service • *Purcell* Hear my prayer, O Lord 216  
Hymn 92 • *Franck* Choral II

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### Residence this week

Canon Kenneth Padley, Chancellor  
Friday 20 March: Canon Anna Macham, Precentor

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### Intercessions

**The Sick:** Thalia Eyers, Paul Mellor.

**Recently Departed:** Robert Rice, Brendan Foreman, Fresie Fernandez.

**Year's Mind:** Patrick Michael Harrington (2016), Jack Lever (2023), Fay Garey (2025).

**March Prisoner of Conscience:** Moussa Tchangari, Secretary-General of Alternative Espaces Citoyens, is one of Niger's most prominent civil society leaders. He has long worked to promote human rights, civic dialogue, and democratic values. On 3 December 2024, he was arrested, which we believe to be motivated by his public statements on governance and politics in Niger. He has been held in detention and faces charges with no credible evidence, solely for the peaceful exercise of his right to freedom of expression. He has been charged with advocating terrorism and criminal association in connection with terrorism, “infringing on national defence” and “intelligence with enemy countries”. Moussa Tchangari's arrest is a worrying signal for all citizens who wish to participate in public debate and defend democratic principles without fear of repression. We demand the immediate release of Moussa Tchangari, and call upon Niger's authorities to drop all charges against him.

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### Cathedral Notices

**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.

**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.

- 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 intention to attend. Booking and speakers' biographies can be found at [salisburycathedral.org.uk/arrangements/lent-lectures-2026](https://salisburycathedral.org.uk/arrangements/lent-lectures-2026)

**Friends of Salisbury Cathedral** Coffee Morning at the Bell Tower Tea Rooms 10am-12pm, Tues 17 March. This is a free event open to all, donations welcome.

**Prayers For Justice and Peace** Trinity Chapel, 12pm Weds 18 March, led by the Revd Jonathan Plows

**Salisbury Churches celebrate Christian Aid at 80 years.** A short celebration with the pupils of St Martin's and St Osmund's Schools around a tree planted by the Council and paid for by our churches: Thursday 19 March, 14:30, Churchill Gardens, near the car park on Southampton Rd.

**The English Cathedral** is an exhibition of ethereal photographs of each Church of England cathedral. By Peter Marlow (1952-2016). In the North Transept until the end of March.

**Rosary Prayer Group** will meet in the St Edmund & St Thomas Chapel at 2pm on Fri 20 March.

**Seeing Differently: a justice network** Join us for a powerful webinar on Thurs 19 March, 7-8pm to hear from British American journalist Laura Trevelyan, who will be speaking about her family's connection with slavery and their decision to pay reparations. Contact [justice@salisbury.anglican.org](mailto:justice@salisbury.anglican.org) for the Zoom link.

**The Lydians** The next meeting of the Lydians, the Cathedral Ladies Group, will be on Fri 20 March at 14.30 in the common room of St Nicholas Hospital. There will be a guest speaker.

**Concert: Patrick Flanagan and John Reid** Fri 20 March 2026 at 19.30, Salisbury Cathedral School. Enjoy an evening of exceptional music in an intimate setting with two distinguished SCS alumni. Patrick Flanagan, Oboe and Cor Anglais (Royal Philharmonic Orchestra) performs with John Reid, Principal Pianist (Aurora Orchestra), in a programme spanning Baroque, Romantic and contemporary works. Tickets - [www.salisburycathedralschool.com](http://www.salisburycathedralschool.com). £20 (adults) £10 (U18s).

**Salisbury Musical Society** perform Durufé's Requiem, one of the most beautiful works of the 20th-century. Themes of comfort, hope and peace may resonate in response to current global events. The programme also includes Vaughan Williams' Toward an Unknown Region and Stanford's Songs of the Sea. Sat 21 March at 19:30. Tickets via [www.salisburymusicalsociety.org.uk](http://www.salisburymusicalsociety.org.uk)

**Amici** are delighted to offer the opportunity to acquire an original oil painting of Salisbury Cathedral from the Water Meadows by artist Nicola Wakeling. Proceeds will be donated equally between the Friends of Salisbury Cathedral School and Amici. Please scan the QR code to access the online auction site. Bidding closes on 22 March.



**Worshippers' Forum** We shall hold our next quarterly meeting very soon, at which we shall be joined by our newly appointed members, Owain Fitzsimmons, Nicholas Lewis and Chris Howarth. Please be in touch if you have any concerns or items you wish the Forum to consider and bring forward to Chapter. Sonia Woolley, Chair of Forum

**Praying for the Archbishop and all who lead in the Church and the World** On Tuesday 24 March the Cathedral is dedicating an hour to prayer for Archbishop Sarah and for all who are called to the complex demands of leadership in these uncertain times. Join us in the Trinity Chapel between 11.30–12.00 for silent prayer. At 12.00, the Bishop will preside at a celebration of the Eucharist (within which the Dean will offer a homily). Please come and, if you are unable to, please make space on this day to pray for our new Archbishop and for all who lead.

**Easter Flowers in Memory of a Loved one.** Donations may be left with the Cathedral Vestry in an envelope labelled: Easter Flowers. Cash or cheques made payable to 'Salisbury Cathedral' and names to be remembered. Names of the loved ones will be displayed near the Easter Flowers in the Cathedral. Susan Branch, Salisbury Cathedral Flowers.

**Sarum Master Bible.** The Cathedral acquired the Sarum Master Bible in Dec 2024 following a fundraising campaign run by Friends of the Nations' Libraries. The beautifully-illustrated manuscript was made probably in Salisbury in the 1240s or 50s. It will be on display in the Cathedral from 20 Mar–17 Apr. On Friday 17 April at 19.30 there will be a lecture about the Sarum Master Bible given by Professor Michelle P Brown, former Curator of Illuminated Manuscripts at the British Library. Tickets are free but must be booked in advance. More information via the Cathedral Website.

**The Dawn Eucharist** ends with a procession out proclaiming Easter! At The West End, we serve Easter Bucks Fizz, cup of coffee and "something to munch". £5 (adult) and free for children. Trevor & Susan Branch

**Be part of Holy Week** Would you be willing to have a foot washed as part of The Eucharist of the Lord's Supper at 19:30 on Maundy Thursday, 2 Apr? Would you like to be an emblem bearer at The Liturgy of Good Friday at 13:30, 3 Apr? Please contact [t.branchvolunteering@salcath.co.uk](mailto:t.branchvolunteering@salcath.co.uk)

**From the Dean:** our Precentor, Canon Anna Macham, has been granted Extended Ministerial Development (sabbatical) Leave, and will be away from the Cathedral for three months in Eastertide. Her last Sunday will be 26 April, and she will return on Sunday 16 August. During her absence the Vicar of the Close will work an additional day each week. We are grateful to Jules for agreeing to this and wish Anna a refreshing and fulfilling break from her ministry among us.

**Archive Request** We have a document in the Archive written in Bengali which we need translated. If you are able to help please contact the archivist Emily Naish - [e.naish@salcath.co.uk](mailto:e.naish@salcath.co.uk) Thank you.