



HOLY WEEK and EASTER 2019

at
WELLS CATHEDRAL

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during Holy Week and Easter
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PALM SUNDAY, 14 APRIL

- 9.45am CATHEDRAL EUCHARIST (Vicars Choral)
including William Byrd's *Mass for Three Voices* and a setting of the *St Matthew Passion* by Victoria. Please be seated by 9.30am to accommodate the processions
- 3.00pm ST MATTHEW PASSION (Wells Cathedral Choir)
World Premiere Performance. Music by Philip Wilby. Admission: free; retiring collection in aid of Wells Cathedral Music

MONDAY OF HOLY WEEK, 15 APRIL

- 12.30pm MIDDAY OFFICE IN HOLY WEEK (Presbytery)
*As part of the Midday Office in Holy Week (Mon-Thurs) clergy members of Chapter will offer short reflections on "Figures at the Cross"
- 5.15pm EVENSONG (Cantoris Vicars Choral)
including the first part of Thomas Tallis' *Lamentationes Jeremiae prophetae*

TUESDAY OF HOLY WEEK, 16 APRIL

- 10.00am DIOCESAN EUCHARIST WITH BLESSING OF THE OILS
- 12.30pm MIDDAY OFFICE IN HOLY WEEK (Presbytery) *see above
- 5.15pm EVENSONG (Decani Vicars Choral)
including the second part of Thomas Tallis' *Lamentationes Jeremiae prophetae*

WEDNESDAY OF HOLY WEEK, 17 APRIL

- 12.30pm MIDDAY OFFICE IN HOLY WEEK (Presbytery) *see above
- 5.15pm EVENSONG (Vicars Choral)
including a new setting of *Lamentationes* by Stuart Beer

MAUNDY THURSDAY, 18 APRIL

- 12.30pm MIDDAY OFFICE IN HOLY WEEK (Presbytery) *see above
- 7.30pm EUCHARIST OF THE LAST SUPPER with Watch
(Boy Choristers and Vicars Choral)
including Lennox Berkeley's *Missa Brevis, Ubi Caritas et amor* by Maurice Duruflé and César Franck's *Panis angelicus*

GOOD FRIDAY, 19 APRIL

- 10.00am CHORAL MATINS (Vicars Choral)
Including three movements from Victoria's *Tenebrae Responsories for Good Friday*
- 12.00noon THREE HOURS DEVOTION (final hour with Wells Cathedral Choir)
including William Walton's *A Litany*, Barnaby Martin's *Omnes amici mei*, and Gerald Finzi's *Lo, the full, final sacrifice*
Reflections will be led by The Rt Revd Dr Alastair Redfern
- 7.30pm CONCERT: Bath Camerata - Music for Good Friday
Bath Camerata performs Bach's *Der Geist Hilft* and *Komm Jesu*, Komm alongside James MacMillan's *Miserere* and works from the Strathclyde Motets. Admission: free; retiring collection in aid of Wells Cathedral Music

EASTER EVE SATURDAY 20 APRIL

- 9.00pm EASTER VIGIL with Lighting of the Easter Fire (Schola Cantorum and Vicars Choral). A dramatic start to Easter, ending with fireworks and drinks

EASTER DAY SUNDAY 21 APRIL

- 8.00am HOLY COMMUNION (Book of Common Prayer)
- 9.30am CATHEDRAL EUCHARIST (The Great Choir)
including Mozart's *Krönungs-Messe, K. 317* and the *Hallelujah Chorus* from Handel's *Messiah*
- 11.30am CHORAL MATINS (The Great Choir)
including Edward Elgar's *Te Deum* and *Benedictus* and Patrick Hadley's *My beloved spake*
- 3.00pm CHORAL EVENSONG (The Great Choir)
including the *St Paul's Service* by Herbert Howells and *Ye choirs of new Jerusalem* by Stanford

EASTER HOLIDAY FAMILY WORKSHOPS (Education Room)

Wednesday 10 April, 10.30am & 2.00pm "MAKE AN EASTER GARDEN"
Free creative workshop with no need to book. Donations welcome.

CATHEDRAL TOURS

Daily, guided tours (no booking required)
Regular programme of High Parts Tours, bookable via the website



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