

## CHORAL SERVICE SCHEDULE

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SUNDAY 11:00 CHORAL EUCHARIST sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir  
 1 September Service: The Short Service - *Wills*  
*Pentecost 12* Psalm: 112  
**DEC 2** Anthems: By the waters of Babylon - *Wills*  
 Behold, O God our defender - *Moore*

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TUESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir  
 3 September Responses: *Adams*  
 Psalm: 18  
 Service: *Naylor* in D  
 Anthem: Seigneur, Je vous en prie - *Poulenc*

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WEDNESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir  
 4 September Responses: *Adams*  
 Psalms: 22, 23  
 Service: Magnificat Quarti Toni - *Palestrina*  
 Nunc Dimittis Quarti Toni - *de Vento*  
 Anthem: Domine praestolamur - *Byrd*

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THURSDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir  
 5 September Responses: *Adams*  
 Psalms: 27, 28, 29  
 Service: The Magdalen Service - *G. Ives*  
 Anthem: In pace - *G. Ives*

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SUNDAY 11:00 SOLEMN EUCHARIST  
 8 September Service: *Stanford* in B-flat  
*Patronal Feast Day* Psalm: 126  
**CAN 2** Anthems: Eternal God - *Hancock*  
 Ubi Caritas - *Durufle*

4:00 SOLEMN EVENSONG  
 Introit: I was glad - *Ahlyn Surplice*  
 Responses: *Radcliffe*  
 Psalm: 27  
 Service: *Stanford* in C  
 Anthem: The Windows - *Lloyd*

5:15 ORGAN RECITAL  
 Jillian Gardner  
 Huntsville, AL

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TUESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
 10 September Responses: *Radcliffe*  
 Psalms: 53, 54, 55  
 Service: Collegium Regale - *Howells*  
 Anthem: Geistliches Lied - *Brahms*

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WEDNESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
 11 September Responses: *Tomkins*  
 Psalms: 59, 60, 61  
 Service: The Sixth Service - *Weelkes*  
 Anthem: Christe qui lux est et dies - *R. Whyte*

THURSDAY 5:30 FESTAL EVENSONG attended by faculty and alumni  
12 September of St. Stephen's House, Oxford  
*Of St. Stephen,*  
*First Martyr*  
Responses: *Radcliffe*  
Psalm: 86  
Service: Magnificat Octavi Toni - *D. Bevan*  
Nunc Dimittis Tertii Toni - *Malcolm*  
Anthem: Sancte Dei pretiose - *Sheppard*

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SUNDAY 11:00 FESTAL EUCHARIST  
18 September Service: Missa Quarti Toni - *Victoria*  
*Holy Cross Day (tr.)*  
Psalm: 98  
**DEC 1** Anthems: O Sacred Feast - *Tharp*  
Genitori, Genitoque - *Victoria*

4:00 FESTAL EVENSONG  
Responses: *Radcliffe*  
Psalm: 118  
Service: Collegium Regale - *Howells*  
Anthem: The Lord is my light - *Hallock*

5:15 ORGAN RECITAL  
Benjamin Sheen  
*Associate Organist*

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TUESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
17 September Responses: *Leighton*  
*Hildegard of Bingen,*  
*Religious, 1179*  
Psalm: 89  
Service: *Noble* in B minor  
Anthem: *Grace* - *Hayes*

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WEDNESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
18 September Responses: *Tomkins*  
*Edward Bouverie Pusey,*  
*Priest, 1882*  
Psalms: 93, 94  
Service: The Fourth Service - *Batten*  
Anthem: O God, thou art my God - *H. Purcell*

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THURSDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
19 September Responses: *Leighton*  
*Theodore of Tarsus,*  
*Archbishop of Canterbury, 690*  
Psalms: 98, 99, 100, 101  
Service: *Watson* in E  
Anthem: How dear to me - *Hancock*

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SUNDAY 11:00 CHORAL EUCHARIST  
22 September Service: Bright Mass with Canons - *Muhly*  
*Pentecost 15*  
**CAN 1** Psalm: 113  
Anthems: *Grace* - *Hayes*  
*Tantum Ergo* - *Dumflé*

4:00 CHORAL EVENSONG  
Responses: *Smith*  
Psalms: 108, 109  
Service: Magnificat Octavi Toni - *Vinanco*  
Nunc Dimittis Octavi Toni - *Ortiz*  
Anthem: Exaltabo te Domine - *Lassus*

5:15 ORGAN RECITAL  
Alistair Reid  
New York, NY

TUESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
24 September Responses: *Leighton*  
Psalm: 119:1-32  
Service: The Second Service - *Leighton*  
Anthem: O Lorde the maker of al thing - *Joubert*

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WEDNESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
25 September Responses: *Byrd*  
*Sergius, Abbot of Holy Trinity,* Psalm: 119:73-104  
*Moscow, 1392* Service: The Sixth Service - *Tomkins*  
Anthem: My Shepherd is the living Lord - *Tomkins*

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THURSDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
26 September Responses: *Leighton*  
*Lancelot Andrewes,* Psalm: 119:145-176  
*Bishop of Winchester,* Service: *Tustin Baker* in D  
*1626* Anthem: Hail, Gladdening Light - *Wood*

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FRIDAY 7:00 THE WILLIAM R. MILLER GRAND ORGAN RECITAL  
27 September Works by *Wachner, Grunenwald, Hampton, Hancock,* and *Dupré*  
  
Jeremy Filsell, *The Miller-Scott Organ*

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SUNDAY 11:00 FESTAL EUCHARIST  
29 September Service: *Darke* in F  
*Saint Michael and All Angels* Psalm: 103:19-22  
**DEC 2** Anthems: Michael, Archangel - *Hallock*  
In festo Sancti Michaelis Angeli - *Palestrina*

4:00 FESTAL EVENSONG  
Responses: *Leighton*  
Psalm: 34  
Service: The Second Service - *Leighton*  
Anthem: Factum est silentium - *Dering*

5:15 ORGAN RECITAL  
Stefan Kießling  
Leipzig, Germany

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TUESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
1 October Responses: *Moore*  
*Thérèse of Lisieux* Psalms: 6, 7, 8  
*Religious, 1897* Service: *Candlyn* in F-sharp minor  
Anthem: Te lucis ante terminum - *M. Martin*

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WEDNESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
2 October Responses: *Byrd*  
Psalms: 12, 13, 14  
Service: Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis Octavi Toni - *Tallis*  
Anthem: Christe qui lux est et dies - *Byrd*

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THURSDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
3 October Responses: *Moore*  
Psalm: 18  
Service: *Wood* in E-flat  
Anthem: To Serve - *Hancock*

SUNDAY 11:00 SOLEMN EUCHARIST  
6 October Service: Missa Aedis Christi - *Mathias*  
*Feast of Dedication* Psalm: 122  
**CAN 2** Anthems: Lord, make me an instrument - *Paulus*  
Tantum Ergo - *de Séverac*

4:00 SOLEMN EVENSONG AND TE DEUM  
Introit: I was glad - *Alynn Surplice*  
Responses: *Moore*  
Psalm: 132  
Service: *Tustin Baker* in D  
Anthem: I was glad - *C.H.H. Parry*  
Te Deum: *Plainsong* and *Cochereau*

5:15 ORGAN RECITAL  
Sebastian Heindl  
Leipzig, Germany  
*Northern Ireland Organ Competition Prize Recital 2017*

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TUESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
8 October Responses: *M. Martin*  
Psalms: 41, 42, 43  
Service: The Third Service - *Moore*  
Anthem: Lord, I call upon thee - *Bairstow*

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WEDNESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
9 October Responses: *Smith*  
*Robert Grosseteste,* Psalms: 47, 48, 49  
*Bishop of Lincoln, 1253* Service: The Short Service - *Gibbons*  
Anthem: In Pace - *Sheppard*

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THURSDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
10 October Responses: *M. Martin*  
Psalms: 53, 54, 55  
Service: The Harvard Service - *Callaban*  
Anthem: Eternity - *Paulus*

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SUNDAY 11:00 CHORAL EUCHARIST  
13 October Service: Missa Salve Intermerata - *Tallis*  
*Pentecost 18* Psalm: 111  
**DEC 1** Anthems: Ego sum panis - *Byrd*  
Ad te levavi - *R. Whyte*

4:00 FESTAL EVENSONG with Admission of Choristers  
Responses: *M. Martin*  
Psalm: 69:1-22, 30-37, 70  
Service: *Kelly* in C  
Anthem: O be joyful - *M. Martin*

5:15 ORGAN RECITAL  
Edward Hewes  
London, UK

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TUESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
15 October Responses: *Rose*  
*Teresa of Ávila,* Psalm: 78  
*Religious, 1582* Service: *Kimsey* in C  
Anthem: Cherubic Hymn - *Gretchaninov*

WEDNESDAY	5:30	CHORAL EVENSONG
16 October		Responses: <i>Tomkins</i>
<i>Hugh Latimer and</i>		Psalms: 82, 83, 84, 85
<i>Nicholas Ridley, Bishops, 1555,</i>		Service: The Sixth Service - <i>Tomkins</i>
<i>and Thomas Cranmer,</i>		Anthem: Lord, we beseech thee - <i>Batten</i>
<i>Archbishop of Canterbury, 1556</i>		
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THURSDAY	5:30	FESTAL EVENSONG
17 October		Responses: <i>Rose</i>
<i>Eve of Saint Luke</i>		Psalm: 19
		Service: <i>Murrill</i> in E
		Anthem: Strengthen Ye the weak hands - <i>Harris</i>
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SATURDAY	3:00	GRAND ORGAN SERIES RECITAL II
19 October		Works by <i>Frank, Vierne, Tournemire, Duruflé</i> and <i>Messiaen</i>
<i>Henry Martyn, Priest,</i>		
<i>and Missionary to India</i>		Christophe Mantoux, <i>The Miller-Scott Organ</i>
<i>and Persia, 1812</i>		
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SUNDAY	11:00	CHORAL MATTINS AND CHORAL EUCHARIST
20 October		Responses: <i>Rose</i>
<i>Pentecost 19</i>		Psalm: 121
<b>CAN 1</b>		Canticles: Coventry Te Deum - <i>Noble</i>
		Jubilate Deo - <i>Hancock</i>
		Service: Missa Brevis - <i>Berkeley</i>
		Anthem: O Salutaris - <i>Elgar</i>
	4:00	CHORAL EVENSONG
		Responses: <i>Rose</i>
		Psalm: 104
		Service: <i>Wood</i> in E-flat
		Anthem: Great Spirit - <i>Paulus</i>
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TUESDAY	5:30	FESTAL EVENSONG
22 October		Responses: <i>Rose</i>
<i>Eve of Saint James</i>		Psalm: 48
		Service: The St. Thomas Service - <i>Hancock</i>
		Anthem: We will give thanks unto the Lord - <i>Noble</i>
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WEDNESDAY	5:30	FESTAL EUCHARIST
23 October		Service: Missa Resurrectionis - <i>Hancock</i>
<i>Saint James of Jerusalem</i>		Psalm: 1
		Anthem: Kindle the gift - <i>Hancock</i>
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SUNDAY	11:00	CHORAL EUCHARIST sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir
27 October		Service: Messe Cum Jubilo - <i>Duruflé</i>
<i>Pentecost 20</i>		Psalm: 86:1-7
<b>DEC 2</b>		Anthems: O Salutaris - <i>Widor</i>
		Salut, Dame Sainte - <i>Poulenc</i>
	4:00	CHORAL EVENSONG
		Responses: <i>Suter</i>
		Psalms: 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131
		Service: Magnificat, SWV 426 - <i>Schütz</i>
		Nunc Dimittis, SWV 432 - <i>Schütz</i>
		Anthem: Übers Gebrig Maria geht - <i>Eccard</i>
	5:15	ORGAN RECITAL
		Shean Bowers
		Bath, UK

TUESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir  
29 October Responses: *Suter*  
*James Hamnington,* Psalms: 142, 143  
*Bishop of Eastern Equatorial* Service: The Magdalen Service - *G. Ives*  
*Africa, and his Companions,* Anthem: Justorum animae - *M. Martin*  
*Martyrs, 1885*

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WEDNESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir  
30 October Responses: *Suter*  
Psalms: 147, 148, 149, 150  
Service: Magnificat - *Gilbertson*  
Nunc Dimittis Tone IV - *Plainsong*  
Anthem: O Praise the Lord - *Millington*

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THURSDAY 5:30 FESTAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir  
31 October Responses: *Suter*  
*Eve of all Saints* Psalm: 34  
Service: Magnificat Octavi Toni - *Marenzio*  
Nunc Dimittis Tertii Toni - *Palestrina*  
Anthem: Absterge Domini - *Tallis*

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SUNDAY 11:00 SOLEMN EUCHARIST  
3 November Service: Bright Mass with Canons - *Muhly*  
*All Saints' Sunday* Psalm: 149  
**CAN 2** Anthems: Give us the wings of faith - *Bullock*  
O Quam Gloriosum - *Victoria*

4:00 SOLEMN EVENSONG  
Responses: *Smith*  
Psalm: 148  
Service: Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis Octavi Toni - *Tallis*  
Anthem: There is a balm in Gilead - arr. *Dawson*

5:15 ORGAN RECITAL  
Justin Bischof  
New York, NY

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THURSDAY 7:30 CONCERT  
7 November SAINT THOMAS CHOIR SCHOOL AT 100  
The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys with Orchestral of St. Luke's  
Works by *Rachmaninov, Noble and Paulus*  
  
Jeremy Filsell, *piano and conductor*

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SUNDAY 11:00 SOLEMN REQUIEM EUCHARIST  
10 November Service: Requiem - *Fauré*  
*Remembrance Sunday* Psalm: 27:1-7  
**DEC 1**

4:00 CHORAL EVENSONG with an Act of Remembrance  
attended by Members of the Patriotic Societies  
Introit: Lord thou has been our refuge - *Wachner*  
Responses: *Leighton*  
Psalm: 23  
Service: The St. Thomas Service - *Hancock*  
Anthem: For the Fallen - *Blatchly*  
Benediction: Sanctus, from 'Requiem' - *Fauré*

TUESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
12 November Responses: *Leighton*  
*Charles Simeon, Priest, 1836* Psalms: 65, 66, 67  
Service: *Wood* in D  
Anthem: Greater Love Hath No Man - *Ireland*

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WEDNESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
13 November Responses: *Smith*  
Psalms: 69:1-22, 30-37, 70  
Service: The Fifth Service - *Tomkins*  
Anthem: *Justi in perpetuum* - *Sheppard*

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THURSDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
14 November Responses: *Leighton*  
*Consecration of Samuel Seabury,* Psalms: 73, 74  
*First American Bishop, 1784* Service: *Hovells* in B minor  
Anthem: Grant that we may love - *Paulus*

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SUNDAY 11:00 CHORAL EUCHARIST  
17 November Service: Communion Service - *Felciano*  
*Pentecost 23* Psalm: 98  
**CAN 1** Anthems: Draw us in the spirit's tether - *Friedell*  
Steal Away - arr. *White*

4:00 CHORAL EVENSONG  
Responses: *Leighton*  
Psalm: 89  
Service: *Murrill* in E  
Anthem: The glory of the Lord - *Coke-Jephcott*

5:15 ORGAN RECITAL  
Marco d'Avola  
Sicily, Italy

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TUESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
19 November Responses: *Locklair*  
*Elizabeth, Princess of Hungary,* Psalms: 98, 99, 100, 101  
*1231* Service: *Bairstow* in D  
Anthem: *Beati quorum via* - *Stanford*

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WEDNESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
20 November Responses: *Tomkins*  
*Edmund,* Psalm: 104  
*King of East Anglia, 870* Service: The First Service - *Weelkes*  
Anthem: Rejoice in the Lord - *Sheppard*

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THURSDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
21 November Responses: *Locklair*  
Psalm: 106  
Service: The Edington Service - *G. Ives*  
Anthem: There is a land of pure delight - *G. Ives*

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SUNDAY 11:00 FESTAL EUCHARIST  
24 November Service: Missa Aedis Christi - *Mathias*  
*Christ the King* Psalm: 46  
**DEC 2** Anthems: Judge Eternal - *Hancock*  
The King of love - *McCarthy*

4:00 FESTAL EVENSONG  
Responses: *Locklair*  
Psalm: 145  
Service: *Stanford* in G  
Anthem: King of Glory - *Candlyn*

5:15 ORGAN RECITAL  
Vincent Carr  
Bloomington, IN

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TUESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
26 November Responses: *Radcliffe*  
Psalm: 119:145-176  
Service: Collegium Regale - *Howells*  
Anthem: Sing ye praises to our King - *Copland*

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WEDNESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir  
27 November Responses: *Suter*  
Psalms: 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131  
Service: The Short Service - *Batten*  
Anthem: Lord, who shall dwell in thy tabernacle - R. *Whyte*

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THURSDAY 11:00 SOLEMN EUCHARIST  
28 November Service: Intercession Mass - *Hurd*  
*Thanksgiving Day* Psalm: 100  
Anthem: Jubilate Deo - *Hancock*

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SUNDAY 11:00 AN ADVENT PROCESSION AND CHORAL EUCHARIST  
1 December Works of *Charlston, Byrd, Trepte, Stanford* and *M. Martin*  
*Advent 1* Service: Intercession Mass - *Hurd*  
**CAN 2** Anthem: The Lord will surely come - *Hancock*

4:00 AN ADVENT PROCESSION  
Works of *Charlston, Byrd, Trepte, Stanford* and *M. Martin*

5:15 ORGAN RECITAL  
Nicholas Quardokus  
*Assistant Organist*

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WEDNESDAY 5:30 CHORAL EVENSONG  
4 December Responses: *Tomkins*  
*John of Damascus, Priest, c. 760* Psalms: 22, 23  
Service: The Short Service - *Gibbons*  
Anthem: Vigilate - *Byrd*

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SUNDAY 11:00 LITANY AND CHORAL EUCHARIST  
8 December Litany: *Tallis*  
*Advent 2* Psalm: 72:1-7, 18-19  
**DEC 1** Service: Missa Brevis - *Seiber*  
Anthems: This is the record of John - *Gibbons*  
A tender shoot - *Goldschmidt*

4:00 CHORAL EVENSONG  
Responses: *Rose*  
Psalms: 41, 42, 43  
Service: The Edington Service - *G. Ives*  
Anthem: Amen, from 'Messiah' - *Handel*



5:15 ORGAN RECITAL  
Jennifer Pascual  
New York, NY

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TUESDAY and 7:30  
THURSDAY  
10 and 12 December

CONCERT  
MESSIAH - *George Frideric Handel*

The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys  
with New York Baroque Incorporated  
Wen Yang, *artistic director*

Sherazade Panthaki, *soprano* Roger Isaacs, *alto*  
Rufus Müller, *tenor* Jonathan Woody, *bass*

Jeremy Filsell, *conductor*

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SUNDAY 11:00  
15 December  
*Advent 3*  
*Gaudete*  
**CAN 1**

FESTAL EUCHARIST  
Service: Missa Brevis - *Gabrieli*  
Psalm: 146  
Anthems: O Oriens - *M. Martin*  
As dew in Aprille - *Britten*

4:00

FESTAL EVENSONG  
Responses: *Leighton*  
Psalm: 78  
Service: *Bairstow* in D  
Anthem: I am Wisdom - *Hallock*

5:15

ORGAN RECITAL  
Benjamin Sheen  
*Associate Organist*

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THURSDAY 5:30  
17 December  
*O Sapientia*

THE BLESSING OF THE CRËCHE  
*A service for children and their families*  
Works of *Britten, Head, Caldwell* and *Litaize*

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WEDNESDAY 12:10  
18 December  
*O Adonai*

A SERVICE OF CHRISTMAS LESSONS AND CAROLS  
Works of *Prendergast, Preston, Robinson, Hawkins, Scott, Adams,*  
*Hough* and *Baker*

5:30

CHORAL EVENSONG sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir  
Responses: *Adams*  
Psalms: 93, 94  
Antiphon: 'O Adonai' - *Plainsong*  
Service: The Magdalen Service - *G. Ives*  
Anthem: Ecce Virgo concipiet - *Morales*

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THURSDAY 5:30  
19 December  
*O Radix of Jesse*

CONCERT  
A CEREMONY OF CAROLS, Opus 28 - *Britten*  
The Boys of the Saint Thomas Choir with Sara Cutler, *harp*

Jeremy Filsell, *conductor*

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SATURDAY 4:00  
21 December  
*Saint Thomas the Apostle*  
*O Oriens*

A SERVICE OF CHRISTMAS LESSONS AND CAROLS  
Works of *Prendergast, Preston, Robinson, Hawkins, Scott, Adams,*  
*Hough* and *Baker*

SUNDAY 11:00 CHORAL EUCHARIST sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir  
22 December Service: Missa Inter Vestibulum - *Guerrero*  
*Advent 4* Psalm: 80:1-7, 17-19  
*O Rex: Gentium* Anthems: O magnum mysterium - *Byrd*  
**DEC 2** Ave Maria - *Morales*

4:00 A FESTIVAL OF NINE LESSONS AND CAROLS  
Works of *Prendergast, Litaize, Robinson, Scott, Preston, Hawkins, Adams,*  
*Hancock, M. Martin, Filsell and Baker*

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TUESDAY 4:00 A FESTIVAL OF NINE LESSONS AND CAROLS  
24 December Works of *Prendergast, Litaize, Robinson, Scott, Preston, Hawkins, Adams,*  
*Christmas Eve Hancock, M. Martin, Filsell and Baker*

10:30 CHRISTMAS MUSIC FOR ORGAN  
Benjamin Sheen and Nicholas Quardokus, *organ*

11:00 THE SOLEMN EUCHARIST OF THE NATIVITY  
(MIDNIGHT MASS)  
Introit: Behold - *Prendergast*  
Service: Messe 'Salve Regina' - *Castagnet*  
Psalm: 96  
Anthem: Tomorrow shall be my dancing day - *Filsell*  
Carols: O Oriens - *M. Martin*  
Infant Holy - *Hancock*

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WEDNESDAY 11:00 SOLEMN EUCHARIST OF THE NATIVITY  
25 December Service: Messe 'Salve Regina' - *Castagnet*  
*Christmas Day* Psalm: 98  
Anthem: The snow lay on the ground - *Wachner*  
Carols: What songs were sung - *Adams*  
This is the truth - *Robinson*  
King Jesus hath a garden - *Scott*  
Infant Holy - *Hancock*

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SUNDAY 11:00 FESTAL EUCHARIST sung by the Gentlemen of the Choir  
29 December Service: Missa de Beata Virgine - *Guerrero*  
*Christmas 1* Psalm: 147  
**CAN 2** Anthems: Jubilate Deo in chordis - *Schütz*  
O Magnum mysterium - *Willaert*

## THE CHOIR

The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys is considered to be the leading ensemble of its kind in the Anglican choral tradition in the United States. While its primary *raison d'être* is to sing five choral services each week, the Choir also performs regularly with Orchestra of St. Luke's and New York Baroque Incorporated as part of St. Thomas Church concert series. Live webcasts of choral services and further information concerning recordings, tours and concerts given by the Choir can be found at [www.SaintThomasChurch.org](http://www.SaintThomasChurch.org).

Over recent years, the Choir has toured throughout the U.S., Europe and Scandinavia with performances at Westminster Abbey and St. Paul's Cathedral in London, King's College, Cambridge, Windsor, Edinburgh, St. Albans, the Aldeburgh Festival and the Vatican. In 2012, the Boys of the Choir traveled to Dresden to give the premiere of Lera Auerbach's *Dresden Requiem* with the Dresden Staatskapelle in the Frauenkirche and Semper Oper and the full choir performed later that year in the Thomaskirche at the Leipzig *BachFest*. Domestically, the Choir most recently toured the Southern United States.

Besides the annual performances of Handel's *Messiah*, concerts at Saint Thomas Church have included Requiems by Fauré, Brahms, Mozart, Duruflé, Victoria and Howells; J.S. Bach's *Passions*, *Mass in B Minor* and *Motets*; the lesser-known *St. John Passion* of C.P.E. Bach; the U.S. premiere of John Tavener's *Mass*; the U.S. premiere of Nico Muhly's work *My Days* with viol consort Fretwork; Handel's *Israel in Egypt* and James MacMillan's *Seven Last Words from the Cross*. In 2014, the Boy Choristers performed in Bach's *Saint Matthew Passion* at the Park Avenue Armory as part of Lincoln Center's White Light Festival with the Berliner Philharmoniker under the direction of Peter Sellars and conductor Sir Simon Rattle. In 2016, a concert in memory of John Scott was performed with Orchestra of St. Luke's under the direction of Sir Simon Rattle.

The Gentlemen of the Saint Thomas Choir are professional singers; the Boy Choristers attend the Saint Thomas Choir School and The Saint Thomas Choir of Men and Boys is represented by Karen McFarlane Artists, Inc. ([www.concertorganists.com](http://www.concertorganists.com)).

## ABOUT THE ORGANS

The *Irene D. and William R. Miller Chancel Organ in memory of John Scott* was completed in September 2018, built and installed by Dobson Pipe Organ Builders Ltd, from Lake City, Iowa. Comprising 102 speaking stops, the instrument is situated on both sides of the church, above the choir stalls. Offering a fully 'American' and eclectic palette of colors, from the softest sounds to the ear-splittingly loud, the instrument has been designed to showcase both the solo and choral-liturgical repertoire for which Saint Thomas Church is justly famed. As the brain-child of the late John Scott, the instrument reflects something in sound of the detailed beauty seen elsewhere in the Church's stone and glass. The new case seen to the left of the reredos was designed in collaboration with Dennis Collier of Pennsylvania; the ornate carvings and the inscription 'Soli Deo Gloria' reflect the ethos of the Church, and all the music that is offered within our liturgies to the greater glory of God.

In the spring of 1996 the gallery instrument was dedicated as the *Loening-Hancock Organ*. The firm of Taylor & Boody of Staunton, Virginia, built the instrument which contained twenty-one stops over two manuals and pedal. In January 2016, the organ was expanded to three manuals and pedal, with the addition of ten new stops. The instrument is inspired by the tradition of organ building which was active in the Netherlands and North Germany in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries. Stop and key action are mechanical and the temperament is Kellner.

The *Martha J. Dodge Continuo Organ* was built and initiated in December, 2001. This superb portable instrument, consisting of 4 ranks of pipes, was built by the firm of Taylor & Boody.

## THE SAINT THOMAS CHOIR OF MEN AND BOYS

	<b>Trebles</b>	
++Wells Alling G.	Elias J.	Benjamin Patrick O.
Harrison Davis B.	Ethan K.	Jovon P.-B.
Jonathan Matthew B.	Constantin L.	William P.
David Antonio C.	William L.	**Max Jamison S.
Leighton Tsc Him C.	Eduardo M.	Dominic S.
Grayson Reese H.	+Fernando M.	Francis Manalili S.
Francisco H.	Nathan M.	Mich Wayne S.
Rocco H.	Gioni Michael M.	*Quinn Cohen V.
Noah Cameron H.	James Aurelius O'B.	Christopher V.

### Countertenor

Eric Brenner  
Padraic Costello  
Corey-James Crawford  
Patrick Fennig  
Jeffrey Freuler

### Tenor

Nathaniel Adams  
Mark Bleeke  
Lawrence Jones  
John Ramseyer  
Emerson Sievertz

### Bass

Elijah Blaisdell  
Richard Lippold  
Andrew Padgett  
Charles Perry Sprawls  
Christopher Trueblood

\*The John G. Scott Memorial Choristership

+Richard Heschke Choristership

\*\*Francis S. Falconer Choristership

++T. Tertius Noble

The Saint Thomas Choir School is a residential school for Boys in grades three through eight. All Boys in the school sing in the Choir of Saint Thomas Church. The student body, drawn principally from the East Coast, is quite diversified. Though they come from a wide variety of economic and cultural backgrounds, the Boys all share an involvement in music and a high level of academic ability.

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**STEFAN KIEBLING**  
LEIPZIG, GERMANY

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