

CHICHESTER CATHEDRAL

SUNDAY 13 APRIL: PALM SUNDAY

SERVICES THIS WEEK AT THE CATHEDRAL

Sunday

- 8.00am **Holy Communion** (BCP)
9.15am **Eucharist** for children, families & caregivers
10.15am **Choral Mattins**
11.15am **Choral Eucharist**
3.00pm **Choral Evensong**

Monday-Saturday

- 7.45am **Morning Prayer**
8.00am **Holy Communion**
5.30pm **Evening Prayer** (said, Monday-Friday)

Thursday only

- 10.30am Holy Communion (BCP)

Please note: No Evening Prayer on Holy Saturday:
please come to the Easter Vigil.

HOLY WEEK AT THE CATHEDRAL

Palm Sunday, 13 April

The usual pattern of Sunday services, including Procession of Palms at the 11.15 Eucharist

Monday and Tuesday in Holy Week, 14 & 15 April

14 & 15 April, 8.00pm Choral Compline

Wednesday in Holy Week, 16 April

12.00pm Diocesan Chrism Eucharist *livestreamed*
8.00pm Tenebrae—The Liturgy of Shadows

Maundy Thursday, 17 April

7.00pm Eucharist of the Last Supper *livestreamed*

Good Friday, 18 April

9.30am The Easter Story Retold: A Service for Children, Families & Caregivers
12.00pm Three Hours' Devotion *livestreamed*
1.30pm The Liturgy of the Passion *livestreamed*

Holy Saturday, 19 April

7.30pm Easter Vigil with Baptism and Confirmation

Easter Day, 20 April

The usual pattern of Sunday services as we celebrate Jesus' glorious resurrection from the dead.

Please see the separate flyer for full details.

Please note there is no Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on Wednesday 16 April.

Reading of St Luke's Gospel

Tuesday 15 April, 11.00am-1.30pm, George Bell House. You are warmly invited to join members of the Cathedral ministry team to read aloud the entirety of St Luke's Gospel together. Please bring a Bible (whichever English translation you use is fine) and a packed lunch. Please register with chris.george@chichestercathedral.org.uk

Foot washing for Maundy Thursday We are looking for twelve members of the congregation who would be willing to have their feet washed by the Bishop during the Eucharist of the Last Supper 7.00pm on Thursday 17 April. If you would like to take part, please contact Chris George: chris.george@chichestercathedral.org.uk or 01243 812 488



Easter Vigil The congregation is invited to bring along anything which can make a loud noise cymbals, bells, drums, rattles - for the triumphant moment we recall Jesus's resurrection.



Easter Day The 11.15 Eucharist on Easter morning will be celebrated at the **High Altar**. The congregation is invited to sit in the Quire & Presbytery as space allows.

CONTACT INFORMATION

If you have a **notice relevant to the ministry and mission of the Cathedral** that you would like to submit for this notice sheet, please contact: chris.george@chichestercathedral.org.uk by 5pm on Tuesday.

If you have any **safeguarding concerns** in relation to the Cathedral, please contact safeguarding@chichestercathedral.org.uk or speak to a member of our Safeguarding team [please see the website or our Safeguarding posters for more details].

NOTICES

Canon Jack Dunn's last service at the Cathedral will be on **4 May 2025**.

The Cathedral Chapter has agreed that we will advertise for the post of **Canon Chancellor** in Eastertide.

Electoral Roll—last call The deadline for returning your Electoral Roll form is **Wednesday 16 April**. This year we are required to compile a wholly new Roll, so without a form you will not be included. See the box to the right for further details.

Easter Garden On Easter Eve, 19 April, from 10.00am we will be creating an Easter Garden in the St Mary Magdalene Chapel with the help of our families and young children. If you are interested in taking part or have any questions please contact Sarah Castle-Smith on 07989476754.

Easter Lilies in Memory of the Departed If you would like a relative to be remembered this Easter, alongside the Easter Lilies, please email the names to Chris.George@chichestercathedral.org.uk. Donations towards the cost of the flowers may be made in the Cathedral or online at thyg.uk/CUU074438

Bell Ringers' News The Chichester Cathedral bell ringers held their first bell tower open day in March, which went very well with over forty visitors up the tower during the afternoon, and many having a go on our training bell. The August open day is fully booked but there are still places available in October.

On Saturday 5 April, the cathedral ringers rang a quarter peal of six spliced surprise major methods, to celebrate the retirement of Colin Spencer as ringing master at the cathedral, a post he has held for over forty years. Colin conducted this challenging quarter peal and continues to be actively involved in the ringing at the cathedral as deputy ringing master, swapping roles with Katharine Firman, our new ringing master.

Chichester District Foodbank: we extend our deepest gratitude for your recent donations of food from January 1st to March 31st 2025. These donations weighed in at an amazing 219.5 kilos, that's the equivalent of 548 meals. Your support means we can continue providing vital help to families and individuals in crisis across the Chichester District. This includes not just food but also practical and

compassionate support when it's needed most. As a charity that relies totally on donations your contribution is highly appreciated, thank you so much.

SUBMISSIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Cloisters Kitchen & Garden

Easter Sunday Lunch, 20 April, 12.30-3.00pm, George Bell House. For more details and to book please see www.cloisterskitchengarden.co.uk/special-events

Chichester Cathedral Friends

The Friends currently have four volunteer vacancies: Friends Secretary, Communications Volunteer, Event Organiser, Joint Membership Secretary. For more information about any of these roles please contact John Gardner (johngardner@chichestercathedral.org.uk)

SUPPORT CHORAL MUSIC AT THE CATHEDRAL

Double Your Impact – Save the Music at Chichester Cathedral

In this milestone 950th year, your donation will be matched pound for pound! Support the Platinum Endowment Trust for Music to protect the Cathedral's music for generations to come.

Every note matters. Donate now!

To donate either use the QR code or make a bank transfer to Chichester Cathedral Restoration & Development Trust CIO. Bank account: Barclays Bank, Account number: 53716384, Sort code: 20-20-62. (Please add your name as a reference, so that we can thank you), visit <https://cafdonate.cafonline.org/27733>, or contact the Chichester Cathedral Restoration and Development Trust for more information trust@chichestercathedral.org.uk



Electoral & Community Rolls: Notice of Enrolment to the Electoral & Community Rolls

Notice is hereby given that the (Parish Equivalent) Electoral and Community Roll of the Cathedral Church of the Holy Trinity (Chichester Cathedral) will be revised between Wednesday 16 April – Friday 25 April 2025. Application forms for enrolment can be obtained from the Vergers' Office or from the Visitors' Desk. Please note that **everyone** who wishes to be on the Roll will have to complete a form. Full instructions are included on the form itself. Forms must be returned no later than Wednesday 16 April. The Roll will be published on Friday 25 April. The Annual Community Meeting will take place on Sunday 11 May (following Sunday Eucharist).

If you are able to make a donation to the Cathedral... The Parish Giving Scheme (PGS) is a secure and simple way of giving to the Cathedral by Direct Debit on a regular monthly, quarterly or annual basis. If eligible, you can opt to add Gift Aid and PGS claims this on our behalf, passing it directly back to the Cathedral.

- Online: Visit www.parishgiving.org.uk and search for 'Chichester Cathedral', or scan the QR code.
- By phone: 0333 002 1271, Monday to Friday, 9.00 to 5.00
- By post: Using the PGS application form. A copy is available to collect from the Visitors' Desk or the Vergers' Office.

