



The Cathedral Church of the Holy Trinity
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CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL DUBLIN

**DECEMBER
2019**

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(Advent Sunday 1 – New Year’s Eve, Tuesday 31 December 2019: Sheep Trail)

SUNDAY 1 DECEMBER – FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT DECANI WEEK
11.00 Advent Eucharist Preacher: Dr Margaret Daly Denton
Walton, Missa Brevis Psalm 122
Poston, Jesus Christ the Apple Tree
17.00 Advent Procession including music by *Gibbons, Guerrero, Howells, Oades, Praetorius & Victoria*

MONDAY 2 DECEMBER
10.00 Morning Prayer
12.00 Peace Prayers
12.45 Eucharist *(Cathedral closing early – Last Admission 13.45)*

TUESDAY 3 DECEMBER
10.00 Morning Prayer
12.00 Peace Prayers
12.45 Eucharist
13.30 Shoppers’ Carols
17.00 Evening Prayer
19.00 Cathedral Nights: Watching and Waiting Nave

WEDNESDAY 4 DECEMBER
10.00 Morning Prayer
12.00 Peace Prayers
12.45 Eocairist as Gaeilge (Eucharist in Irish)
13.30 Shoppers’ Carols
18.00 Choral Evensong *sung by the Cathedral Girls’ Choir*
Archer responses, Moore Faburdens Psalm 125
Traditional, Tomorrow shall be my dancing day (arr. Carter)

THURSDAY 5 DECEMBER
10.00 Morning Prayer
11.00 Mothers’ Union Service Chapel of St Laurence O’Toole (South Transept)
12.00 Peace Prayers
12.45 Eucharist: Ministry of Healing
18.00 Choral Evensong: *sung by the Cathedral Choir*
Sumson responses, Noble in B minor, Psalm 92: 1-7
Oades, There is no rose

FRIDAY 6 DECEMBER – NICHOLAS, BISHOP OF MYRA, c.326
10.00 Morning Prayer
12.00 Peace Prayers
12.45 Celtic Eucharist
17.00 Evening Prayer

SATURDAY 7 DECEMBER – AMBROSE, BISHOP OF MILAN, TEACHER, 397
12.00 Peace Prayers
14.00 Workshop: Make your own Christmas Decoration (-16.00) South Transept
18.00 Choral Evensong *sung by a Cathedral Consort*
Byrd responses, Blon, Short Service No. 4, Bach, O Jesulein süß Psalm 130
20.00 Concert: Adolf Fredrik’s Chamber Choir, Stockholm ‘Sankta Lucia’

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SUNDAY 8 DECEMBER – SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT (CONCEPTION OF THE BVM) CANTORIS WEEK
11.00 Cathedral Eucharist Preacher: The Ven. David Pierpoint, archdeacon of Dublin
Byrd, Mass for Four Voices Psalm 119: 33-40
Victoria, O Magnum Mysterium

15.30 Choral Evensong *for life of Revd Graham Jones* Preacher: Archbishop Michael Jackson
Howells responses Psalm 11
Howells, St Paul’s Service
Franck, Panis Angelicus
20.00 Concert: Chamber Choir Ireland ‘A Babe is Born’

MONDAY 9 DECEMBER
10.00 Morning Prayer
12.00 Peace Prayers
12.45 Eucharist
17.00 Evening Prayer

TUESDAY 10 DECEMBER
10.00 Morning Prayer
12.00 Peace Prayers
13.15 Peata: Carols for Dogs
17.00 Evening Prayer
20.00 Concert: Cathedral Choir ‘Carols by Candlelight’

WEDNESDAY 11 DECEMBER – FINIAN OF CLONARD, ABBOT, 549 – EMBER DAY
10.00 Morning Prayer
12.00 Peace Prayers
12.45 Eucharist
17.00 Evening Prayer
20.00 Concert: Cathedral Choir ‘Carols by Candlelight’

THURSDAY 12 DECEMBER
10.00 Morning Prayer
12.00 Peace Prayers
12.45 Eucharist: Ministry of Healing
17.00 Evening Prayer
20.00 Concert: Cathedral Choir ‘Carols by Candlelight’

FRIDAY 13 DECEMBER – LUCY, MARTYR AT SYRACUSE, 304 – EMBER DAY
10.00 Morning Prayer
12.00 Peace Prayers
12.45 Eucharist
17.00 Evening Prayer

SATURDAY 14 DECEMBER – JOHN OF THE CROSS, MYSTIC, TEACHER, 1591 – EMBER DAY
12.00 Peace Prayers
18.00 Choral Evensong *sung by a Cathedral Consort*
Radcliffe responses Psalm 170
Whitlock, Faburdens, Weakley, Balulalow
20.00 Concert: New Dublin Voices ‘Carols for Christmas’



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SUNDAY 15 DECEMBER – THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT DECANI WEEK
 11.00 Cathedral Eucharist Preacher: Canon Maurice Elliott
Berkeley, Missa Brevis Psalm 146
Berkeley, I sing of a maiden
 15.30 Choral Evensong Psalm 12
Leighton responses
Bremner, Christ Church Service
Warlock, Bethlehem Down (arr. David Hill)
 20.00 Concert: Park Singers

MONDAY 16 DECEMBER
 10.00 Morning Prayer
 12.00 Peace Prayers
 12.45 Eucharist
 17.00 Evening Prayer

TUESDAY 17 DECEMBER
 10.00 Morning Prayer
 12.00 Peace Prayers
 12.45 Eucharist
 17.00 Evening Prayer
 19.30 ‘A Quiet Christmas’: Taizé Eucharist with Prayers for Wholeness and Healing

WEDNESDAY 18 DECEMBER – FLANNAN, ABBOT OF KILLALOE, c. 640
 10.00 Morning Prayer
 12.00 Peace Prayers
 12.45 Eucharist
 18.00 Choral Evensong *sung by the Cathedral Girls’ Choir*
 St Patrick’s responses (arr. *Nicholson*) Psalm 50: 1-6
Bairstow in E b
Joubert, Torches

THURSDAY 19 DECEMBER
 10.00 Francis Street CBS Carol Service *(Closed to visitors)*
 12.00 Peace Prayers
 12.45 Eucharist: Ministry of Healing
 18.00 Choral Evensong *sung by the Cathedral Choir*
 Smith responses Psalm 80: 1-8
Tomkins, Second Service
Guerrero, Canite Tuba

FRIDAY 20 DECEMBER
 10.30 St Catherine’s National School Carol Service *(Closed to visitors)*
(Cathedral closed for the rest of the day)

SATURDAY 21 DECEMBER – THOMAS THE APOSTLE
 12.00 Peace Prayers
 19.30 Concert: Noël: Mornington Singers

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SUNDAY 22 DECEMBER – FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT CANTORIS WEEK
 11.00 Cathedral Eucharist Preacher: The Revd Abigail Sines, dean’s vicar
Vierne, Messe Solennelle, *Darke*, In the bleak midwinter Psalm 40: 14-21
 15.30 Festival of Nine Lessons & Carols by *Gardner, Mathias, Oades, Poston, Sandström & Warlock*.

MONDAY 23 DECEMBER
 10.00 Morning Prayer
 12.00 Peace Prayers
 12.45 Eucharist
 17.00 Evening Prayer
 20.00 Concert: ‘High Hopes’ in aid of Focus Ireland

TUESDAY 24 DECEMBER – CHRISTMAS EVE
 10.00 Morning Prayer
 12.00 Peace Prayers
 12.45 Eucharist
 23.00 First Eucharist of the Nativity Preacher: The Very Revd Dermot Dunne, dean
Charpentier, Messe de Minuit, Psalm 46
 arr. *Praetorius*, A great and mighty wonder, *Mathias*, A babe is born

WEDNESDAY 25 DECEMBER – CHRISTMAS DAY
 11.00 Festival Eucharist Preacher: The Most Revd Michael Jackson, archbishop
Dove, Missa Brevis, arr. *Willcocks*, I saw three ships, *Rutter*, Nativity Carol Psalm 96
(Cathedral Choirs will resume Sunday 5 January 2020)

THURSDAY 26 DECEMBER – STEPHEN, DEACON, FIRST MARTYR *(Cathedral closed all day)*

FRIDAY 27 DECEMBER – JOHN, APOSTLE AND EVANGELIST
 10.00 Morning Prayer
 12.00 Peace Prayers
 12.45 Eucharist & 17.00 Evening Prayer

SATURDAY 28 DECEMBER – HOLY INNOCENTS
 12.00 Peace Prayers
 17.00 Evening Prayer

SUNDAY 29 DECEMBER – FIRST SUNDAY AFTER CHRISTMAS (THOMAS BECKET, MARTYR, 1170)
 11.00 Cathedral Eucharist *sung by the Voluntary Choir* Preacher: Canon Professor John R. Bartlett
 15.30 Evening Prayer

MONDAY 30 DECEMBER
 10.00 Morning Prayer
 12.00 Peace Prayers
 12.45 Eucharist
 16.15 Christingle Service

TUESDAY 31 DECEMBER – NEW YEAR’S EVE
 10.00 Morning Prayer
 12.00 Peace Prayers
 12.45 Eucharist & 17.00 Evening Prayer
 23.30 Ringing out old year & ringing in new year Belfry