



ST PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL

Music List – December 2023

Year B

Saturday 6pm Mass and Sunday 9.30am Mass – Cantor

Sunday 11am Mass – Cathedral Choir*

Sunday 6.30pm Mass – Cathedral Singers†

Sunday 3 December

First Sunday of Advent

11am Solemn Mass

Introit: *To you, O God, I lift up my soul* (plainchant)

Processional: Wake, O wake! The night is dying! (CWB II 252)

Mass Setting: Missa Secunda – Hassler

Communion Motet: Ave Verum Corpus, K.618 – Mozart

Communion Antiphon: *Lord, you have favoured* (plainchant)

6.30pm Solemn Mass

Processional: Wake, O wake! The night ... (CWB II 252)

Mass Setting: Missa in simplicitate – Langlais

Offertory: Wachet auf, ruft uns die Stimme – Mendelssohn

Communion Antiphon: *Dominus dabit* (plainchant)

Communion Hymn: Come, O long expected ... (CWB II 232)

Organ Postlude: Wachet auf, BWV 645 – Bach

Friday 8 December

Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary

1pm Solemn Mass (Cantor)

Processional: Holy light on earth's horizon (CWB II 442)

Communion: *Ave verum* (plainchant)

Recessional: Immaculate Mary (CWB II 416)

Sunday 10 December

Second Sunday of Advent

11am Solemn Mass

Introit: *The Lord will come to save his people* (plainchant)

Processional: O come, O come, Emmanuel (CWB II 242)

Mass Setting: Missa Brevis in D, Op.63 – Britten

Communion Motet: Ecce panis angelorum – Radole

Communion Antiphon: *Behold the joy* (plainchant)

6.30pm Solemn Mass

Processional: O come, O come, Emmanuel (CWB II 242)

Mass Setting: Missa Brevis – Palestrina

Offertory: Canite tuba – Guerrero

Communion Antiphon: *Jerusalem surge* (plainchant)

Communion Hymn: Hark! A herald voice (CWB II 239)

Organ Postlude: Nun komm' der Heiden Heiland – Bach

Sunday 17 December

Gaudete Sunday (Third Sunday of Advent)

11am Solemn Mass

Introit: *Rejoice, rejoice in the Lord; for he comes* (plainchant)

Processional: The voice of God (CWB II 621)

Mass Setting: Mass of St Philip Neri – Jernberg

Communion Antiphon: *Behold, our God* (plainchant)

6.30pm Solemn Mass

Processional: The voice of God (CWB II 621)

Mass Setting: Mass for Four Voices – Byrd

Offertory: Rejoice in the Lord alway – Anon. att. Redford

Communion Antiphon: *Dicite: Pusillanimes* (plainchant)

Communion Hymn: Come, O long expected ... (CWB II 232)

Organ Postlude: Fantasy on 'Veni Emmanuel' – Leighton

Sunday 24 December

Fourth Sunday of Advent

11am Solemn Mass (Cantor)

Processional: O come, O come, Emmanuel (CWB II 242)

Mass Setting: Mass of St Francis – Paul Taylor

Communion Antiphon: *Behold, the Lord our God* (plainchant)

Communion Hymn: The angel Gabriel (CWB II 247)



Sunday 24 December

Christmas Eve

6.30pm Solemn Mass (Cantors)

Processional: O come, all ye faithful (CWB II 267)
Mass Setting: Mass of Christ the Redeemer – Kirkpatrick
Communion 1: Away in a manger (CWB II 256)
Communion 2: What child is this (CWB II 275)
Recessional: Hark! The herald angels sing (CWB II 262)
Organ Postlude: Der Tag, der ist so freudenreich – Bach

Midnight Mass (Cathedral Choir)

Processional: O come, all ye faithful (CWB II 267)
Mass Setting: Missa brevis Sancti Joannis de Deo – Haydn
Offertory: Hodie Christus natus est – Sweelinck
Communion Motet: O magnum mysterium – Lauridsen
Recessional: Hark! The herald angels sing (CWB II 262)
Organ Postlude: Toccata, Op.42, No.1 – Widor

Monday 25 December

Christmas Day

11am Solemn Mass (Cathedral Choir)

Processional: O come, all ye faithful (CWB II 267)
Mass Setting: Missa brevis Sancti Joannis de Deo – Haydn
Communion Motet 1: O magnum mysterium – Lauridsen
Communion Motet 2: In dulci jubilo – Pearsall
Recessional: Hark! The herald angels sing (CWB II 262)
Organ Postlude: Nun danket alle Gott – Elert

Tuesday 26 December

The Feast of Saint Stephen, The First Martyr

11am Solemn Mass (Cantor)

Processional: Glad music fills the Christmas sky (CWB II 260)
Communion: Infant holy, infant lowly (CWB II 263)
Recessional: Angels we have heard on high (CWB II 255)

Wednesday 27 December

The Feast of Saint John, The Apostle and Evangelist

1pm Solemn Mass (Cantor)

Processional: By all your saints still striving (CWB II 423)
Communion: Let all mortal flesh keep silence (CWB II 533)
Recessional: Let all on earth their voices raise (CWB II 420)

Thursday 28 December

The Feast of the Holy Innocents (Childermas)

1pm Solemn Mass (Cantor)

Processional: By all your saints still striving (CWB II 423)
Communion: *Ave verum* (plainchant)
Recessional: Unto us a child is born! (CWB II 273)

Sunday 31 December

The Feast of the Holy Family

11am Solemn Mass (Cantor)

Processional: Once in royal David's city (CWB II 269)
Mass Setting: Mass Shalom – Colin D. Smith
Communion: Infant holy, infant lowly (CWB II 263)
Recessional: Unto us a child is born! (CWB II 273)

6.30pm Solemn Mass (Cantor)

Processional: Once in royal David's city (CWB II 269)
Mass Setting: Mass Shalom – Colin D. Smith
Communion: Infant holy, infant lowly (CWB II 263)
Recessional: Unto us a child is born! (CWB II 273)

* Cantor only for 11am Solemn Masses on the Fourth Sunday of Advent and Feast of the Holy Family.

† Cantor(s) only for the 6.30pm Solemn Mass on Christmas Eve and Feast of the Holy Family.