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January 2026 Music List

Sunday 4th January — Epiphany

10:30am	**Cathedral Eucharist** *Sung by Lay Clerks*
Setting	*Plainsong Mass for Mean* Shepherd (K,S,B,A)
Gospel acclamation	*Glory to You O Christ*
Anthem	*Ecce advenit* Byrd
Voluntary	*Praise the Lord with Drums & Cymbols* Karg-Elert

4:00pm	**Choral Evensong** *Sung by Lay Clerks*	
Introit	*The Three Kings* Cornelius	
Responses	Walker	**Psalm** 98, 100 (Plainsong)
Canticles	Wood *in E*	
Anthem	*Ave Maria (I)* Cousins	
Voluntary	*Serenade* Bourgeois	

Sunday 11th January — Baptism of Christ

10:30am	**Cathedral Eucharist**
Setting	*Missa Brevis* Dove (G,S,B,A)
Gospel acclamation	*The Heav'ns were opened*
Anthem	*Seek Him that Maketh the Seven Stars* Dove
Voluntary	*Church Bells beyond the Stars* Cecilia McDowall

4:00pm	**Choral Evensong**	
Introit	*Bethlehem Down* Warlock	
Responses	*Clucas*	**Psalm** 46, 47
Canticles	Stanford *in G*	
Anthem	*Lift up your heads, O gates!* Liam Condon	
Voluntary	*Postlude on a theme of Gibbons* Stanford	

Wednesday 14th January

5:15pm	**Choral Evensong**	
Responses	Aston	**Psalm** 47
Canticles	Dyson *in C Minor*	
Anthem	*Lully, Lulla, Lullay* Stopford	

Thursday 15th January

5:15pm	**Choral Evensong**	
Responses	Plainsong	**Psalm** 61
Canticles	Rose *in E*	
Anthem	*Balulalow* Britten	

Sunday 18th January — Second Sunday of Epiphany

10:30am	**Cathedral Eucharist** *Sung by Chamber Choir*
Setting	Darke *in E* (K,S,B,A)
Gospel acclamation	*The Word Became Flesh*
Anthem	*Here is the little door* Howells
Voluntary	*Paean* Leighton

4:00pm	**Epiphany Carol Service**
Anthem	*O Magnum Mysterium* Lauridsen
	Bethlehem Down Warlock
	Lully, Lulla, Lullay Stopford
	A Babe is Born Mathias
	Bogoroditse Devo Rachmaninov
	Of the Father's Heart (H)
	Bethlehem! of noblest Cities (H)
	Unto us is Born a Son (H)
	The First Noel (H)
Voluntary	*Prelude and Fugue in C* BWV547 J.S Bach

Wednesday 21st January

5:15pm	**Choral Evensong**	
Responses	Plainsong	**Psalm** 97
Canticles	Watson *in F*	
Anthem	*Litany to the Holy Spirit* Hurford	

Thursday 22nd January

5:15pm	**Choral Evensong**	
Responses	Nardone	**Psalm** 99
Canticles	Howells *in E Flat*	
Anthem	*Lead me Lord* Wesley	

Sunday 25th January — Conversion of St Paul

10:30am	**Cathedral Eucharist**
Setting	*Missa Festiva* Peeters (K,S,B,A)
Gospel acclamation	*Jesus Proclaimed*
Anthem	*Greater Love* Ireland
Voluntary	*Toccata* Mushel

4:00pm	**Choral Evensong**	
Introit	*Litany to the Holy Spirit* Hurford	
Responses	Clucas	**Psalm** 119 v. 41-56
Canticles	Stanford *in C*	
Anthem	*Ave Verum* Elgar	
Voluntary	*Postlude in D minor* Stanford	

Wednesday 28th January

5:15pm	**Choral Evensong**	
Responses	Aston	**Psalm** 21
Canticles	*Berkshire Service* Archer	
Anthem	*Exsultate Justi* Viadana	

Thursday 29th January

5:15pm	**Choral Evensong**	
Responses	Oxley	**Psalm** 24
Canticles	Harris *in D*	
Anthem	*For the Beauty of the Earth* Rutter	