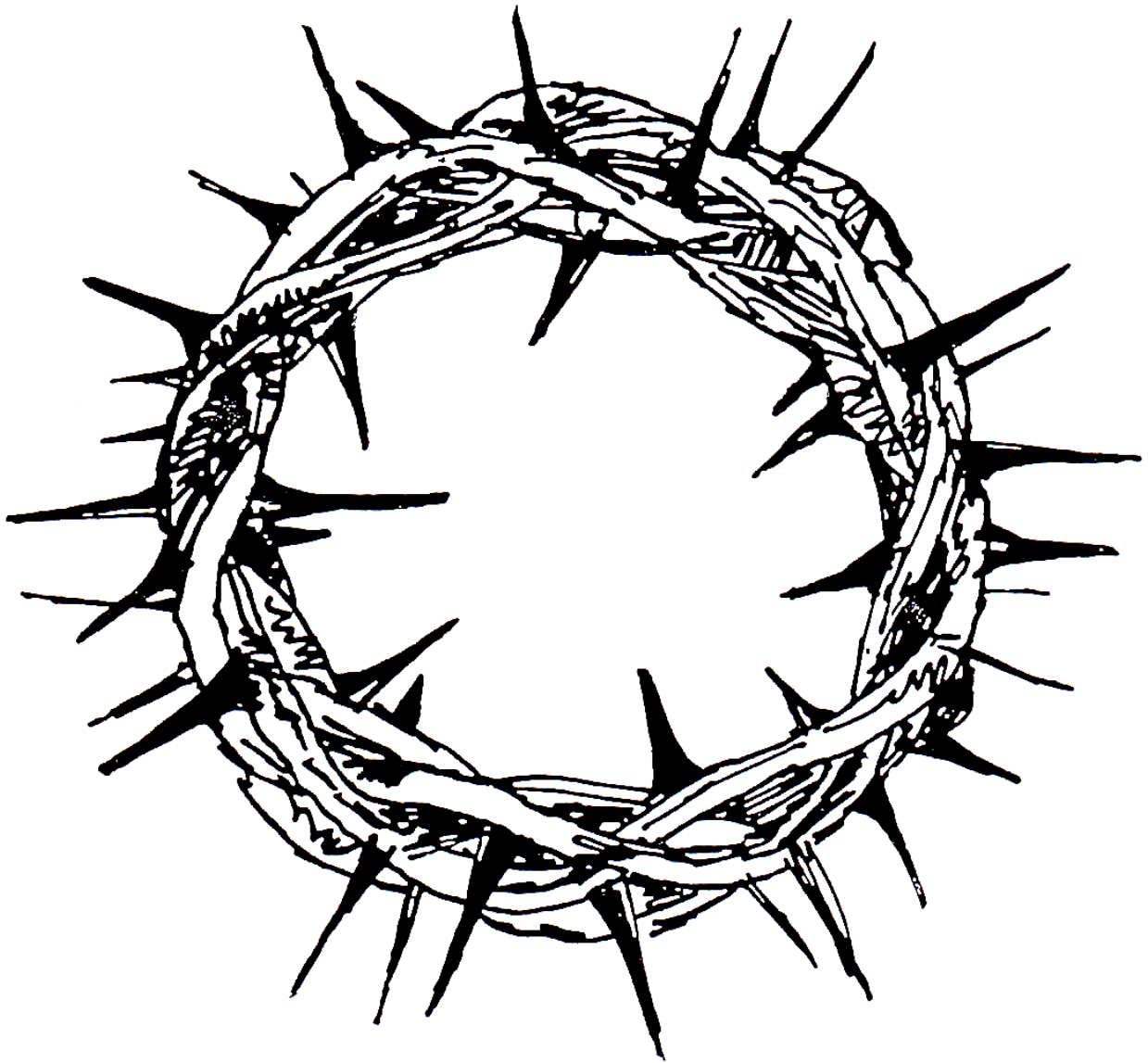


The Parish Church of St Matthew  
Northampton



Lent Term 2012  
Music List

“...I did want to fall on my knees and thank God for the beauty which man has made to the Glory of God in St Matthew’s.”

*John Betjeman in a sermon in St Matthew’s Church, Northampton, 5<sup>th</sup> May 1946*

We welcome you to the worshipping community here at St Matthew’s. Prayer and praise have been offered daily to God since the foundation of the present church in 1893.

Many eminent names within the field of church music have been involved here at St Matthew’s and music continues to play an important part in the worship today. The present church choir sings at two services most Sundays and at many other red letter days. In addition, the St Matthew’s Singers, an adult voluntary choir, will lead our worship at various times over the coming weeks.

St Matthew’s is home to one of the finest parish church organs in the country and this term sees the organ continue to play a prominent role in the musical life of the church. On Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> March, Stephen Moore, Director of Music, will give a performance of Marcel Dupré’s work *Le chemin de la Croix* which describes Jesus’ route from condemnation to death to the cross itself. There will also be an organ recital preceding Choral Evensong on Easter Day. Both of these events are free admission. A new booklet outlining the history of the famous 1895 Walker organ is available from the church, priced at £5.

Regular pattern of Services at St Matthew’s Church:

**Sunday**

9am Said Mass with Homily  
10.15am Parish Mass with Homily  
6.30pm Evensong

<b>Monday</b>	9am 5.30pm 7.30pm	Morning Prayer Evening Prayer Mass	<b>Tuesday</b>	9am 9.30am 5.30pm	Morning Prayer Mass Evening Prayer
<b>Wednesday</b>	9am 9.30am 5.30pm	Morning Prayer Mass Evening Prayer	<b>Thursday</b>	9am 9.30am 5.30pm	Morning Prayer Mass Evening Prayer
<b>Friday</b>	9am 12noon 5.30pm	Morning Prayer Mass Evening Prayer	<b>Saturday</b>	9am 9.30am 5.30pm	Morning Prayer Mass Evening Prayer

# Lent Term 2012



**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> January**

9.00am

10.15am

**THE HOLY NAME**

**Said Mass with Homily**

**The Parish Mass**

Mass of St Thomas *Thorne*

Hymns NEP619, CP54, 28, 495

Angelus Domini

5.30pm

**Evening Prayer**

Psalm 8

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> January**

7.00pm

**EPIPHANY OF THE LORD**

**The Parish Mass with Procession**

Mass of St Thomas *Thorne*

Hymns 50 t.338, 52, NEP603, 47

Angelus Domini

Psalm 72: 10-15

**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> January**

10.15am

**THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD**

**All Age Mass**

Mass of St Thomas *Thorne*

O for a closer walk *Stanford* • *Byrd*

Hymns CP301, Baptized in water, CP470, HO&N506, 272

Organ Voluntary: Toccata (Symphonie V) *Widor*

5.30pm

**Epiphany Carol Service**

Arise, shine *Palestrina* • No small wonder *Edwards*

The shepherds' farewell *Berlioz* • The Three Kings *Cornelius*

Nunc dimittis in Bb *Stanford* • Behold the Lord, the ruler *Palestrina*

Organ Voluntary: Prelude in Eb BWV 552a *Bach*

**Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> January**

9.00am

10.15am

**THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY**

**Said Mass with Homily**

**The Parish Mass**

The Woodard Mass *Shephard*

Psalm 139: 1-5, 12-18

Lead me, Lord *Wesley* • Ave verum *Mozart*

Hymns 200, 216 t.433, 294, NEP647

6.30pm

**Choral Evensong and Congregational Benediction**

Responses *Smith*

Psalm 96

Canticles in Bb *Stanford*

From the rising of the sun *Ouseley*

Hymns 401, 225, 389 t. 472(ii)

Organ Voluntary: Allegro (Concerto in A minor) BWV 593 *Bach*

**Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> January**

9.00am

10.15am

**THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY**

**Said Mass with Homily**

**The Parish Mass**

Salisbury Mass *Ives*

Psalm 128

O taste and see *Vaughan Williams* • Listen sweet dove *Ives*

Hymns 55, 485, NEP623, 494 t. 413

Organ Voluntary: Prelude, Fugue & Chaconne in C BuxWV 137 *Buxtehude*

**Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> January**

9.00am

10.15am

**THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY**

**Said Mass with Homily**

**The Parish Mass**

Woodard Mass *Shephard*

Psalm 111

Otche nash (The Lord's Prayer) *Arensky*

Hymns 324, 56, 391, NEP650 t. NEH485

Organ Voluntary: Choral *Ibert*

6.30pm

**Congregational Evensong and Franciscan Benediction**

Responses *Ferial*

Psalm 34

Canticles *Chant*

Hymns 51, 57, 285(i)

Organ Voluntary: Alla Breve BWV 589 *Bach*

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> February**

**THE PRESENTATION OF CHRIST IN THE TEMPLE**

**Candlemas**

7.30pm

**Procession and Choral Mass** *Sung by the St Matthew's Singers*  
**Beginning in the Parish Centre**

Nunc Dimittis (NEP657)

Missa *Æterna Christi Munera* *Palestrina*

Psalm 24: 7-10

When to the temple Mary went *Eccard*

Hymns 157 [1-3&5], 247, 234(ii)

Organ Voluntary: Prelude & Fugue in C major BWV 545 *Bach*

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> February**

**THE THIRD SUNDAY BEFORE LENT**

**Proper 1**

9.00am

**Said Mass with Homily**

10.15am

**All Age Mass** *Sung by the Choristers*

Mass of St Thomas *Thorne*

Litany to the Holy Spirit *Hurford* • He shall feed his flock *Handel*

Hymns 377, 353, HO&N 53, CP513

6.30pm

**Choral Evensong** *Sung by the Choir Adults*

Responses *Tallis*

Psalm 5

Canticles in G *Wood*

Lead me, Lord *Wood*

Hymns 460, 482, 438 t. 296(i)

Organ Voluntary: Cantilenè (Symphonie III) *Vierne*

**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> February**

**THE SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE LENT**

**Proper 2**

9.00am

**Said Mass with Homily**

10.15am

**The Parish Mass**

The Salisbury Mass *Ives*

Psalm 104: 26-37

Hymns 265, 263 (omit \*), 274, 466

6.30pm

**Congregational Evensong**

Responses *Ferial*

Psalm 65

Canticles *Chant*

Hymns 405 t. 384, 405 t. 365, 400 t. NEP698

**Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> February**

**THE SUNDAY NEXT BEFORE LENT**

**Proper 3**

10.15am

**Combined Parish Mass**

Woodard Mass *Shepherd*

Psalm 50: 1-6

Give us the wings of faith *Bullock*

Hymns 178, Our Saviour Christ t. 458, 308, 234

6.30pm

**A Service of Prayer and Reflection for Lent**

*Special Service Booklet*

Magnificat (3<sup>rd</sup> Service) *Moore*

Hide not thou thy face from us *Farrant* • Call to remembrance *Farrant*

Organ Voluntary: Psalm Prelude Set 2 No.1 *Howells*

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> February**

**ASH WEDNESDAY**

7.30pm

**Choral Mass**

The Lent Prose

Psalm 51: 1-18 [NEH532]

The Short Service *Tallis*

Turn thy face from my sins *Attwood*

Hymns 67, 337, 74

**Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> February**

**THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT**

9.00am

**Said Mass with Homily**

10.15am

**The Parish Mass with Litany**

Mass in D *How*

The Lent Prose

O Saviour of the world *Goss*

Hymns 70, Booklet t. 474, 382, 414 t. 416(ii)

Organ Voluntary: Aus tiefer Not schrei ich zu dir BWV 686 *Bach*

**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> March**

**THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT**

9.00am

**Said Mass with Homily**

10.15am

**The Parish Mass**

Mass in D *How*

The Lent Prose

View me, Lord *Lloyd*

Hymns 238, 410, 73(ii), 450

Organ Voluntary: Prelude (Prelude, Scherzo & Passacaglia) *Leighton*

6.30pm

**Choral Evensong**

Responses *Byrd*

Psalm 135

The Fourth Service *Batten*

Like as the hart *Howells*

Hymns 468, 74, 418

Organ Voluntary: Passacaglia (Prelude, Scherzo & Passacaglia) *Leighton*

**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> March**

9.00am

10.15am

**THE THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT**

**Said Mass with Homily**

**The Parish Mass**

Mass in D *How*

The Lent Prose

If ye love me *Tallis* • O Lord, increase our faith *Loosemore*

Hymns 407, 374, 414 t. 416(ii), NEP628 t. 376

Organ Voluntary: Prélude (Suite op.5) *Durufly*

6.30pm

**Congregational Evensong**

Responses *Ferial*

Psalms 11, 12

Canticles *Chant*

Hymns 379, NEP638, 64

Organ Voluntary: Saraband (In modo Elegiaco) *Howells*

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> March**

9.00am

10.15am

**THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT**

**Mothers' Sunday**

**Said Mass with Homily**

**All Age Mass**

Mass of St Thomas *Thorne*

Ave Maria *Elgar* • The Lord bless you and keep you *Rutter*

Hymns 285(i), Our Father God in heaven t. NEP698, 184, CP535 t. CP376

Organ Voluntary: Allegro maestoso e vivace – Fugue: Allegro Moderato  
(Organ Sonata op.65 no.2 in C minor) *Mendelssohn*

6.30pm

**Choral Evensong and Benediction**

Responses *Morley*

Psalms 13, 14

Canticles in E minor *Statham*

Wash me thoroughly *Wesley*

Hymns 185, 297, 387

Organ Voluntary: Grave – Adagio

(Organ Sonata op.65 no.2 in C minor) *Mendelssohn*

**Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> March**

9.00am

10.15am

**THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT**

**Passion Sunday**

**Said Mass with Homily**

**The Parish Mass**

Mass in D *How*

The Lent Prose

God so loved the world *Chilcott*

Hymns 92, 93 (omit v.6), 91, 95

6.30pm

**Meditation on Stations of the Cross**

Le Chemin de la Croix op.29 *Dupré*

*Stephen Moore, Organ*

**Monday 26<sup>th</sup> March**  
7.30pm

**THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD**

**Choral Mass** *Sung by the St Matthew's Singers*

Gabriel's message *arr. Pettman*

Mass in C&F *Stanford*

Ave Maria *Bruckner*

Hymns 188(ii), 181, Booklet t. NEP700, Booklet t. 408(i)

Angelus Domini

Organ Voluntary: Fanfare *Whitlock*

# Holy Week

**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> April**

9.30am

**PALM SUNDAY**

**Palm Liturgy, Procession and Mass of the Passion**

*Beginning in the Parish Centre*

Hosanna to the son of David *Hutchings*

Processional Hymn 509

Mass in D *How*

A Litany *Walton*

Hymns 511, 86 (omit \*), 88, 79 (omit v.3) t. 128(ii)

Organ Voluntary: Cortège et Litanie op. 19 no.2 *Dupré*

6.30pm

**A Service of Penitence and Forgiveness**

Lord, we beseech thee *Batten*

Solus ad victimam *Leighton*

**Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> April**

7.30pm

**MONDAY IN HOLY WEEK**

**Said Mass with Hymns**

Hymns CP393, NEP625

**Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> April**

7.30pm

**TUESDAY IN HOLY WEEK**

**Said Mass with Hymns**

Hymns 425, 379

**Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> April**

9.30am

**WEDNESDAY IN HOLY WEEK**

**Said Mass with Hymns**

Hymns HoGSoP373 t. 69, 62

7.30pm

**Vigil Office of Tenebrae**

**Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> April**

7.30pm

**MAUNDY THURSDAY**

**Mass of the Last Supper**

Mass for four voices *Byrd*

Ubi caritas *Duruflé* • Pange Lingua - Tantum *Bruckner*

Hymns 512, CP134 t. CP52, CP130, 302, CP132, 268 [parts 1&2]

Psalm 88

**Friday 6<sup>th</sup> April**

10.30am

**GOOD FRIDAY**

**Stations of the Cross for all ages**

**The Solemn Liturgy**

The Lamentation *Bairstow*

Psalm 22: 1-21

Crux fidelis *John IV of Portugal*

God so loved the world *Stainer*

Hymns 90 (omit \*), Cross of Jesus, CP 109, 94

2.00pm

**Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> April**

8.10pm

**HOLY SATURDAY**

**The Paschal Vigil and First Mass of Easter**

Festival Eucharist *Rawsthorne* • Gloria *Lécot*

O Salutaris hostia *Elgar* • Ave verum *Elgar*

Hymns 116, 102, 119

Organ Voluntary: Incantation pour un jour Saint *Langlais*

# *Easter Day*

**Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> April**

9.00am

10.15am

**EASTER DAY IN THE LORD'S RESURRECTION**

**Mass of the Resurrection with Homily and Hymns**

**Procession and Parish Mass of the Resurrection**

This joyful Eastertide *arr. Wood*

Communion Service in E *Darke*

Now the green blade riseth *arr. Lindley*

Hymns CP 149 [1-8 & Doxology], 117, 104, 279 t.305, 120

Regina Caeli

6.00pm

**Organ Recital**

*Stephen Moore, Director of Music*

6.30pm

**Solemn Choral Evensong**

This joyful Eastertide *arr. Wood*

Responses *Clucas*

Psalm 66: 1-11

Canticles in C *Stanford*

Blessed be the God and Father *Wesley*

Hymns 125, 114, 107

Regina Caeli

Organ Voluntary: Psalm Prelude set 2 no.3 *Howells*

***The choir is on holiday until Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> April***

# The Choir of

## St Matthew's Church Northampton



Do you enjoy making new friends?  
Do you enjoy working as part of a team?  
Do you like to have fun?  
**Do you enjoy singing?**

The Director of Music, Stephen Moore, is looking to recruit  
**BOYS from school years 4 to 6, and**  
**GIRLS from school years 6 to 8**  
who are keen to sing and eager to learn.

The Director of Music is also interested in hearing from any potential

### **ADULT MEMBERS of the Choir**

whether pre or post University, or if you're a more experienced singer looking to sing choral music on a regular basis to a high standard.

For further information or to arrange a meeting with the Director of Music, whether for an audition or just an informal chat, please contact:

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