

5 Sunday SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT

10.00am SUNG FAMILY MASS & HOLY BAPTISM (Parish Choir)

Sprinkling Rite: Give us Lord a new heart - *Bernadette Farrell*
 Responsorial Psalm 72 (vv 1-7) - *David Rooke*
 Gospel Acclamation: *Laurence Bevenot B*
 Offertory: Advent Prose - *Plainsong mode i (v 2)*
 Setting: The Boddington Eucharist - *Father Colin Hewitt*
 Communion: Adam lay ybounden - *Philip Ledger*
 Hymns: NEH 15 495 305 10
 Organ: Hark the glad sound - *Andrew Wright (SS)*

3.00pm BRENTWOOD CHORAL SOCIETY CONCERT

6.30pm SAINT FRANCIS HOSPICE CAROL SERVICE (Parish Choir)

Hymns: NEH 34 42 22 30(omit vv 5 & 7) 35
 Choir carols: The Angel Gabriel - *Old Basque arr Edgar Pettman*
 In the bleak mid-winter - *Harold Darke*
 The Sussex Carol - arr *Philip Ledger*

11 Sunday

3.00pm ST JOHN OF JERUSALEM CAROL SERVICE (Becket Singers Ladies)

Hymns: NEH 30 "Ding! Dong! merrily on high" 34 32 22 36
 "We three kings" 29 26 489
 Organ: Tuba Tune - *Craig Sellar Lang (DR)*

12 Sunday THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

10.00am SUNG MASS (Girls' Choir & Men)

Sprinkling Rite: Water of life - *Stephen Dean*
 Responsorial Psalm 146 (vv 4-10) - *David Rooke*
 Gospel Acclamation: *Laurence Bevenot C*
 Intercessions: Come Lord Jesus, maranatha - *Christopher Walker*
 Offertory: Advent Prose - *Plainsong mode i (v 3)*
 Setting: Mass of the Quiet Hour - *George Oldroyd*
 Communion: How lovely are the messengers – *Felix Mendelssohn*
 Hymns: NEH 12 5 6 3(ii)
 Organ: Postlude on 'Wachet auf' - *Sigfrid Karg-Elert (DR)*

6.30pm CHORAL EVENSONG & BENEDICTION (Parish Choir)

Responses: *Thomas Tomkins*
 Psalm 12
 Canticles: *William Byrd fauxbourdons*
 Anthem: E'en so, Lord Jesus, quickly come - *Paul Manz*
 Hymns: NEH 1(i) 17
 O salutaris Hostia: NEH 269(i) Part 2
 Tantum ergo Sacramentum: NEH 268 Part 2

19 Sunday FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT

10.00am SUNG MASS (Becket Consort of Voices)

Sprinkling Rite: Water of life - *Stephen Dean*
 Responsorial Psalm 80 (vv 1-8) - *Carl Turner*
 Gospel Acclamation: *Laurence Bevenot D*
 Offertory: Advent Prose - *Plainsong mode i (v 4)*
 Setting: *William Harris* in F
 Communion: Ave Maria gratia plena - *Tomas Luis da Vittoria*
 Hymns: NEH 11(omit v 2 & 7) 'The Angel Gabriel' 161(385) 186
 Organ: Fantasia on "Veni Emmanuel" - *Cuthbert Harris (DR)*

6.30pm FESTIVAL OF NINE LESSONS AND CAROLS (Parish Choir)

The truth from above - *Herefordshire Carol arr Vaughan Williams*
 Adam lay ybounden - *Philip Ledger*
 No small wonder - *Paul Edwards*
 A spotless rose - *Herbert Howells*
 The Angel Gabriel - *Old Basque arr Edgar Pettman*
 The Sussex carol - *Philip Ledger*
 Ding! Dong! merrily on high - *Mack Wilberg*
 Hymns: NEH 34 39 32 (omit *) 42 30 (vv 1, 2 & 6) 26 (omit *)
 Organ: Chorale Prelude on 'In Dulci Jubilo' (BWV 729)
 - *Johann Sebastian Bach (SS)*

24 Friday CHRISTMAS EVE

4.30pm CHRISTINGLE SERVICE I (Girls' Choir)

Hymns: NEH 34(omit vv 3 & 4) 22 35 "It's rounded like an orange"
 Choir carol: And they shall protect thee - *Peter Nardone*

6.00pm CHRISTINGLE SERVICE II (Orchestra of St Thomas')

Hymns: NEH 34(omit vv 3 & 4) 22 35 "It's rounded like an orange"

11.30pm BLESSING OF THE CRIB AND SOLEMN MASS

(Becket Singers & Parish Choir Gentlemen)
 Setting: *Herbert Sumsion* in F
 Gloria: A New People's Mass – *Gregory Murray*
 Responsorial Psalm 96 (vv 1-6) - *David Rooke*
 Gospel Acclamation: *Philip Duffy*
 Offertory: All my heart this night rejoices - *Johann Georg Ebeling*
 Communion: Nativity Carol - *John Rutter*
 Hymns: NEH 32 29 35 30 (v 1, 2, 6 & 7)
 Organ: Prelude on 'God rest you merry, gentlemen' - *John Rutter (SD)*



25 Saturday THE NATIVITY OF OUR LORD

10.00am PARISH SUNG MASS (Parish Choir)
Setting: Mass of Saint Thomas - *David Thorne*
Gloria: Coventry Gloria - *Peter Jones*
Responsorial Psalm 98 - *Gregory Murray* (NEH 535)
Gospel Acclamation: Salisbury Alleluia - *Christopher Walker*
Offertory: Ding! Dong! merrily on high - *Mack Wilberg*
Communion: I saw three ships - *Philip Marshall*
Hymns: NEH 34 [22] 30 (omit *vv) 42 26 (omit v 4)
Organ: God rest ye merry gentlemen - *Wilbur Held* (SS)

26 Sunday SAINT STEPHEN, Deacon, First Martyr

10.00am PARISH MASS
Setting: A New People's Mass - *Gregory Murray*
Hymns: NEH 201(271) 28 No communion hymn "Good King Wenceslas"
Organ: Good King Wenceslas - *William Lloyd Webber* (SD)

Services are sung by the Parish Choir unless otherwise stated



Music at St Thomas'

Parish Choir Girls' Choir Becket Singers Becket Consort of Voices Orchestra of St Thomas'
SongCycle Reflection Neville Mansel Memorial Organ Scholarship Lunchtime Music

Reverend Colin E Hewitt BA(Hons) MA(Cantab) PGCE RAF(Ret'd) • Vicar
Very Reverend Ossie Trellis SSC • Honorary Assistant Priest

David Rooke ACertCM FRSA FLSM FN SCM FCSM FGMS FASC FSCO • Director of Music
Sarah Stonehouse GLCM(Hons) LLCM(TD) ARCO LTRCO • Assistant Organist & Girls' Choir Director
Brian Lynn LRAM • Director of the Orchestra of St Thomas
Stephen Darkin BEd • Organist Emeritus
Peter Best BA • Sub Organist
John Gowlett BSc(Econ) (Hons) PGCE FRGS • Deputy Organist
Joanna Bishop BA(Hons) • Second Assistant Organist
Sam Adams BMus(Hons) Cert RSCM • Third Assistant Organist
Emma Sharp • Neville Mansel Memorial Senior Organ Scholar
George Ford • Neville Mansel Memorial Junior Organ Scholar