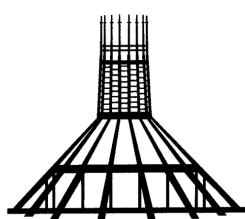




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**Metropolitan Cathedral  
of Christ the King Liverpool**



Archdiocese of Liverpool

**MUSIC**



# Liverpool Metropolitan Cathedral

One of Liverpool's two iconic cathedrals, the Metropolitan Cathedral sits at the beating heart of the city of Liverpool. Its vast circular space and spectacular lantern tower draw visitors in for an array of services, concerts and events each year. Savour the silence. Join us in prayer. Hear our music. Explore and discover. Whatever shape your visit takes, we look forward to welcoming you to Liverpool's Metropolitan Cathedral of Christ the King.

## Regular choral services in the cathedral

Monday–Thursday: Sung Mass at 17.00

Friday: Sung Mass and Choral Evening Prayer at 17.00

Sunday: Solemn Mass at 11.00 and Choral Evening Prayer at 15.00

## Music at the Met 2024

The 2024 'Music at the Met' concert series features organ recitals, choral concerts and a variety of special musical offerings within liturgical services.

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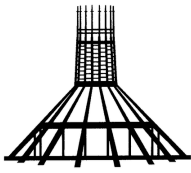
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Sunday	1	11.00	<b>Solemn Mass</b> <i>Cantor</i> Mass VIII (G, S, A) - Gregorian	Be thou my vision H Your words are spirit, Lord G Lord Jesus, think on me H
22nd Sunday of Ordinary Time				

Sunday	8	11.00	<b>Solemn Mass</b> <i>Boys, Girls &amp; Adults</i> Mass in G minor (G, S, A) - Vaughan Williams Let all the world - Vaughan Williams O taste and see - Vaughan Williams Credo III - Gregorian Allegro maestoso (Organ Sonata) - Elgar	All people that on earth H Iustus es Domine (332) I Speak, Lord G Vovete (335) C Immortal, invisible H
23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time				

15.00	<b>Choral Evening Prayer with Presentation of Leadership Medals and Induction of New Probationers &amp; Choir School Principal</b> <i>Boys, Girls &amp; Adults</i> Zadok the priest - Handel The Lord bless you and keep you - Rutter Psalm 150 - Mawby Magnificat in G - Stanford Ave Maria - Bruckner Festive Bells - Rutter		O blest creator, God most high H Sunday Week III P
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Monday 9 **No sung liturgies in the cathedral today**

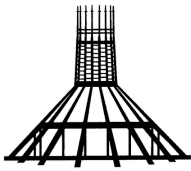
Tuesday	10	17.00	<b>Sung Mass</b> <i>Boys</i> Messe d'Escalquens (K, S, A) - Langlais Exsultate iusti - Viadana The Call - Vaughan Williams	You are just, O Lord E Like the deer that yearns C
St Ambrose Barlow				

Wednesday	11	17.00	<b>Sung Mass</b> <i>Girls &amp; Adults</i> Missa Brevis (K, S, A) - Gabrieli Oculi omnium - Wood Ave verum corpus - Mozart	You are just, O Lord E Like the deer that yearns C
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Thursday	12	17.00	<b>Sung Mass</b> <i>Adults</i> Mass for Three Voices (K, S, A) - Byrd Gloria tibi, Domine - Byrd Jesu, Rex admirabilis - Palestrina	You are just, O Lord E Like the deer that yearns C
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Friday	13	17.00	<b>Sung Mass</b> <i>Adults</i> Missa 'Æterna Christi' (K, S, A) - Palestrina Locus iste - Bruckner Christus factus est - Bruckner	You are just, O Lord E
St John Chrysostom				

17.30	<b>Choral Evening Prayer</b> <i>Adults</i> Iesu, dulcis memoria - Victoria Magnificat Tone VII - Viadana Ave Maria - Gregorian		O God, creation's secret force H Friday Week III (G) P
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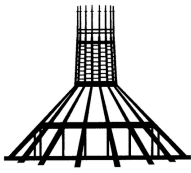
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Sunday	15	11.00	<b>Solemn Mass</b> <i>Girls &amp; Adults</i>		
			Missa Brevis 'Sancta Cecilia' (G, A) - MacDonald	Praise to the holiest	H
24th Sunday of Ordinary Time			Tu es Petrus - Perosi	Da pacem (336)	I
			God be in my head - Walford Davies	I am the way	G
			Sanctus XI - Gregorian	Qui vult venire (484)	C
			Credo I - Gregorian	My song is love unknown	H
			Carillon - Wolff		
		15.00	<b>Choral Evening Prayer</b> <i>Girls &amp; Adults</i>		
			Justorum animæ - Stanford	O Trinity of blessed light	H
			Jubilate Deo - Britten	Sunday Week IV	P
			Magnificat 'Second Service' - Leighton		
			Ave Maria - Arcadelt		
			Ode - Leighton		
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Monday	16		<b>No sung liturgies in the cathedral today</b>		
Ss Cornelius & Cyprian					
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Tuesday	17	17.00	<b>Sung Mass</b> <i>Girls</i>		
			Mass XVI (K, S, A) - Gregorian	Give peace, O Lord	E
			Love divine - Goodall	How precious is your mercy	C
			Litany to the Holy Spirit - Hurford		
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Wednesday	18	17.00	<b>Sung Mass</b> <i>Girls &amp; Adults</i>		
			Spatzenmesse (K, S) - Mozart	Give peace, O Lord	E
			Solo Dios basta - Jeffcoat	How precious is your mercy	C
			Agnus Dei - Mozart		
			Agnus XVI - Gregorian		
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Thursday	19	17.00	<b>Sung Mass</b> <i>Boys &amp; Adults</i>		
			Mass for Four Voices (K, S) - Byrd	Give peace, O Lord	E
			O nata lux - Tallis	How precious is your mercy	C
			Agnus Dei - Byrd		
			Agnus XVI - Gregorian		
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Friday	20	17.00	<b>Sung Mass</b> <i>Adults</i>		
			Mass for Five Voices (K, A) - Byrd	Give peace, O Lord	E
St Andrew Kim Taegon & Companions			Salvator mundi - Tallis		
			Ave verum corpus - Byrd		
			Sanctus XI - Gregorian		
		17.30	<b>Choral Evening Prayer</b> <i>Adults</i>		
			If ye love me - Tallis	Maker of man	H
			Magnificat 'Short Service' - Gibbons	Friday Week IV (G)	P
			Salve Regina - Gregorian		



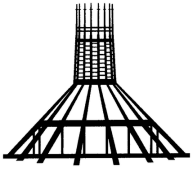
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Sunday	22	11.00	<b>Solemn Mass</b> <i>Boys &amp; Adults</i>		
			Messe Solennelle (G, S) - Langlais	Christ be beside me	H
25th Sunday of Ordinary Time			Beati quorum via - Stanford	Salus populi (339)	I
			Ave verum corpus - Byrd	I am the light	G
			Agnus VIII - Gregorian	Tu mandasti (342)	C
			Credo I - Gregorian	Blest are the pure in heart	H
			Acclamations - Langlais		
		15.00	<b>Pause for Hope</b>		
Monday	23	17.00	<b>Sung Mass</b> <i>Youth Choir</i>		
			Missa Brevis (K, S, A) - Wilton	I am the Saviour of the people	E
St Pius of Pietrelcina			O filii et filiae - Cullen	I am the Good Shepherd	C
			Ave verum corpus - Mozart		
Tuesday	24	17.00	<b>Sung Mass</b> <i>Boys</i>		
			Gloria XV - Gregorian	I am the Saviour of the people	E
Our Lady of Walsingham			Mass XVI (S, A) - Gregorian	I am the Good Shepherd	C
			Ave Maria - Cousins		
			Ave verum corpus - Gregorian		
Wednesday	25	12.15	<b>Capitular Mass</b> <i>Cantor</i>		
			Mass VIII (S, A) - Gregorian	I am the Saviour of the people	E
				I am the Good Shepherd	C
				Alleluia, sing to Jesus	H
		17.00	<b>Sung Mass</b> <i>Girls &amp; Adults</i>		
			Missa Octavi Toni (K, A) - Lassus	I am the Saviour of the people	E
			Locus iste - Bruckner	I am the Good Shepherd	C
			Ave verum corpus - Elgar		
			Sanctus XVI - Gregorian		
Thursday	26	17.00	<b>Sung Mass</b> <i>Boys &amp; Adults</i>		
			Missa Brevis (K, S, A) - Wilton	I am the Saviour of the people	E
			Exsultate Deo - Palestrina	I am the Good Shepherd	C
			Sicut cervus - Palestrina		
Friday	27	17.00	<b>Sung Mass</b> <i>Adults</i>		
			Mass XVI (K, S, A) - Gregorian	I am the Saviour of the people	E
St Vincent de Paul			Crux fidelis - King John IV of Portugal		
			Ubi caritas - Duruflé		
		17.30	<b>Choral Evening Prayer</b> <i>Adults</i>		
			Almighty and everlasting God - Gibbons	Before the light of evening fades	H
			Magnificat 'Second Service' - Gibbons	Friday Week I (G)	P
			Ave maris stella - Hassler		



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Sunday	29	11.00	<b>Solemn Mass</b> <i>Boys, Girls, Youth Choir, Adults &amp; Former Choristers</i>	
			Messe (Op 36) (G, S, A) - Widor	O praise ye the Lord H
26th Sunday of Ordinary Time			Psalm 150 - Mawby	Omnia quæ fecisti (342) I
			Ave verum corpus - Mawby	Your word is truth G
			Credo III - Gregorian	Memento verbi tui (346) C
			Final (Symphonie VI) - Widor	Love divine H
		15.00	<b>Choral Evening Prayer</b> <i>Boys, Girls &amp; Adults</i>	
			Lead, kindly light - Purday	O God, the source H
			Let the people praise thee - Mathias	Sunday Week II P
			Magnificat Tone I - Mawby	
			Ave maris stella - Olsson	
			Jubilate - Mathias	
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Monday	30	17.00	<b>Sung Mass</b> <i>Youth Choir</i>	
			Mass VIII (K, S, A) - Gregorian	All that you have done E
St Jerome			Oculi omnium - Wood	By this we came to know C
			O taste and see - Vaughan Williams	
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# 24-Hour Musicathon

Evening of Friday 27 September  
to evening of Saturday 28 September

Join us in person or virtually for 24 hours of non-stop music to raise money for the cathedral choir's tour to Cologne in November 2024.

The day will include performances from the cathedral choir, children from the Archdiocese of Liverpool Schools' Singing Programme, organ recitals, instrumentalists and special guests.

Highlights will include:

**11.00** – 'Come and Sing' for children

**13.00** – Open rehearsal of the cathedral choir

**15.00** – 'Come and Sing' rehearsal for Fauré *Requiem*

**18.30** – 'Come and Sing' performance of Fauré *Requiem*

*To learn more about the musicathon, keep up to date with the full timetable of performances or to register for one of the 'Come and Sing' events, please visit [liverpoolmetrocdhedral.org.uk/music](https://liverpoolmetrocdhedral.org.uk/music)*



# Bruckner and Saint-Saëns

Saturday 19 October | 19.00

Tickets £15 available from:

[www.ticketsource.co.uk/metcathedral](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/metcathedral)

Symphony No 3 'Organ' – Camille Saint-Saëns (1835–1921)

Locus iste – Anton Bruckner (1824–1896)

Ecce sacerdos magnus – Anton Bruckner

Ave Maria – Anton Bruckner

Te Deum – Anton Bruckner

Liverpool Mozart Orchestra

Liverpool Metropolitan Cathedral Choir

Barbara Ruzsics *Soprano*

Danny Townley *Alto*

David Lee *Tenor*

Jonne Quint *Bass*

Richard Lea *Organ*

Robin Wallington *Conductor*

Christopher McElroy *Conductor*



An opportunity to hear the restored grand organ of Liverpool Metropolitan Cathedral featured in Saint-Saëns' popular *Third Symphony*, affectionately known as the 'Organ Symphony'. And in celebration of Anton Bruckner's 200th anniversary in 2024, the cathedral choir will sing three of Bruckner's best-known motets, before combining with the Liverpool Mozart Orchestra and soloists to complete the programme with his mighty *Te Deum*.

