



## Sunday 8 December 2019 The Second Sunday of Advent

**A warm welcome to Exeter Cathedral.** *Please note that photography and recordings are not permitted during services.*

### Collect

O Lord, raise up, we pray, your power and come among us, and with great might succour us; that whereas, through our sins and wickedness we are grievously hindered in running the race that is set before us, your bountiful grace and mercy may speedily help and deliver us; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, to whom with you and the Holy Spirit, be honour and glory, now and forever.

### Gospel

Matthew 3:1-12

In those days John the Baptist appeared in the wilderness of Judea, proclaiming, 'Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.' This is the one of whom the prophet Isaiah spoke when he said, 'The voice of one crying out in the wilderness: "Prepare the way of the Lord, make his paths straight."' Now John wore clothing of camel's hair with a leather belt around his waist, and his food was locusts and wild honey. Then the people of Jerusalem and all Judea were going out to him, and all the region along the Jordan, and they were baptized by him in the river Jordan, confessing their sins.

But when he saw many Pharisees and Sadducees coming for baptism, he said to them, 'You brood of vipers! Who warned you to flee from the wrath to come? Bear fruit worthy of repentance. Do not presume to say to yourselves, "We have Abraham as our ancestor"; for I tell you, God is able from these stones to raise up children to Abraham. Even now the axe is lying at the root of the trees; every tree therefore that does not bear good fruit is cut down and thrown into the fire. 'I baptize you with water for repentance, but one who is more powerful than I is coming after me; I am not worthy to carry his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing-fork is in his hand, and he will clear his threshing-floor and will gather his wheat into the granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire.'

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**Sunday 8**

**THE SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

*The Conception of the Blessed Virgin Mary*

0800	Holy Communion <i>BCP p91 for Collect, Epistle and Gospel</i>	Quire
0915	Morning Prayer <i>DP</i>	Grandisson Chapel
1000	<b>Choral Eucharist</b> <i>CW Order 1</i>	Quire
	<i>The Advent Prose Plainsong</i>	Hymns 27, 34, 93 CP
	<i>Mass for Three Voices William Byrd</i>	
	<i>A great and mighty wonder Hieronymus Praetorius</i>	
	<i>Fantasy Jean Langlais</i>	
	Preacher: The Revd Canon Prof Morwenna Ludlow – <i>Canon Theologian</i>	
1730	Evening Prayer <i>BCP</i>	Lady Chapel
1900	<b>Sundays@7</b>	Lady Chapel

**Monday 9**

0800	Morning Prayer <i>DP</i>	Lady Chapel
0820	The Eucharist <i>CW Order 1</i>	Lady Chapel
1300	Prayers for Healing	St Gabriel Chapel
1430	Contemplative Prayer Group	Pearson Education
1730	<b>Choral Evensong</b> <i>BCP</i>	Psalms 47-49 Quire
	<i>Magnificat Quinti Toni David Bevan</i>	Responses
	<i>Nunc Dimittis Tone IV</i>	<i>Thomas Morley</i>
	<i>Bogoróditse Djévo Arvo Pärt</i>	

**Tuesday 10**

0800	Morning Prayer <i>DP</i>	Lady Chapel
0820	The Eucharist <i>CW Order 1</i>	Lady Chapel
1730	<b>Choral Evensong</b> <i>BCP</i>	Psalms 53-55 Quire
	<i>The Short Service Edmund Hooper</i>	Responses
	<i>Adam lay ybounden Philip Ledger</i>	<i>Anthony Piccolo</i>

**Wednesday 11**

0800	Morning Prayer <i>DP</i>	Lady Chapel
0820	The Eucharist <i>CW Order 1</i>	Lady Chapel
1315	The Eucharist <i>CW Order 1</i>	Cloister Garth
1730	<b>Choral Evensong</b> <i>BCP</i>	Psalms 59-61 Quire
	<i>The Magdalen Service Grayston Ives</i>	Responses
	<i>Come thou redeemer of the Earth Andrew Parnell</i>	<i>Philip Moore</i>

# 8-15 December 2019

## Thursday 12

0800	Morning Prayer <i>DP</i>	Lady Chapel
0820	The Eucharist <i>CW Order 1</i>	Lady Chapel
1730	Evening Prayer <i>BCP</i>	Lady Chapel

## Friday 13

		Lucy, martyr, 304
0800	Morning Prayer <i>DP</i>	Lady Chapel
0820	The Eucharist <i>CW Order 1</i>	Lady Chapel
1730	Evening Prayer <i>BCP</i>	Lady Chapel

## Saturday 14

		John of the Cross, poet, teacher, 1591
0800	Morning Prayer <i>DP</i>	Lady Chapel
0820	The Eucharist <i>CW Order 1</i>	Lady Chapel
1730	Evening Prayer <i>BCP</i>	Lady Chapel

## Sunday 15 December

## THE THIRD SUNDAY OF ADVENT

0800	Holy Communion <i>BCP p93 for Collect, Epistle and Gospel</i>	Quire
0915	Morning Prayer <i>DP</i>	Grandisson Chapel
1000	<b>Choral Eucharist</b> <i>CW Order 1</i>	Quire
	The Advent Prose <i>Plainsong</i>	Hymns 33, 41, 362
	Mass for Double Choir <i>Frank Martin</i>	CP
	E'en so, Lord Jesus <i>Paul Manz</i>	
	Preacher: Revd Canon Dr Mike Williams	
	– <i>Canon Treasurer</i>	
	Toccata on Veni Emmanuel <i>Andrew Carter</i>	
1500	<b>Service for The Exeter Nativity</b>	Nave
1615	Evening Prayer <i>BCP</i>	Lady Chapel
1900	<b>Sundays@7</b>	Chapter House

**Safeguarding Representatives:** The Ven Dr Trevor Jones (Chapter Canon):  
Mr Charlie Pitman (Safeguarding Officer) 01392 345909:  
Sheila Green; John Lacey; Ann Rogers

**Readings for 1000 Choral Eucharist next Sunday 15 December:**

Isaiah 35:1-10; Matthew 11:2-11

**For the sick:** Philippa, David Conway, Rob McLarin, John Thompson,  
Yve Taylor, Steven, Anne Hughes, Faith Woollacott, Maureen Clark,  
Alan Drew, Margaret Tebbs, Geoffrey Mitchell, Sandra Ellis, Brian Mooney,  
Mona Harrison, Ilya, Baby Logan

**Rest in peace:** Margaret Fairfield, John Wales, Ann Barter, Graham Stones,  
Nick Horton.

**Entry by donation:** entry to the Cathedral is free until 5 January 2020. All  
donations are very welcome.

**The funeral of Ann Barter:** Wednesday 11 December at 1500 hours in the Quire.

**Handel Messiah (today at 1430):**

**Christmas with the Cathedral Choir**

**Thursday 12 and Friday 13 December at 1900)**

tickets for these concerts are *still available* from 01392 285983 and via the  
Cathedral website.

**Christmas Wreath Workshop:** Wednesday 11 December in the Chapter House  
at 1000 - 1330. Please join the Flower Arrangers for a morning during which  
you will be able to make a beautiful wreath or table centre. No experience  
necessary, please bring scissors and/or secateurs if possible - all materials  
will be provided. There will be tea, coffee and mince pies. You will be most  
welcome. Please book through the Cathedral office or the Cathedral website.  
The all inclusive cost is £35 per person.

**The Wednesday Kitchen Christmas party** for the homeless and vulnerably  
housed of Exeter will take place on 11 December. This year we would like to  
make up bags of new gifts for 60 people. Please ask friends and family, who  
may be interested in donating, to send gifts to the cathedral reception,  
labelled "Wednesday Kitchen gifts", who will pass them on to us. If you would  
prefer to make a financial donation, please send a cheque to Canon Mike  
Williams, payable to Exeter Cathedral but labelled "For Wednesday Kitchen".  
Gift ideas: Roll-on deodorant, socks, boxer-pants, ladies underwear, vests,  
thermals, scarves, gloves, hats, chocolate, dog food/treats, hand-warmers,  
hand-gels, wet-wipes, lip-salve, re-usable mugs, thermos.