



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

Collect

O God, who by the leading of a star manifested your only Son to the peoples of the earth: mercifully grant that we, who know you now by faith, may at last behold your glory face to face; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Gospel

Matthew 2:1-12

In the time of King Herod, after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, asking, ‘Where is the child who has been born king of the Jews? For we observed his star at its rising, and have come to pay him homage.’ When King Herod heard this, he was frightened, and all Jerusalem with him; and calling together all the chief priests and scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Messiah was to be born. They told him, ‘In Bethlehem of Judea; for so it has been written by the prophet: “And you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; for from you shall come a ruler who is to shepherd my people Israel.”’ Then Herod secretly called for the wise men and learned from them the exact time when the star had appeared. Then he sent them to Bethlehem, saying, ‘Go and search diligently for the child; and when you have found him, bring me word so that I may also go and pay him homage.’ When they had heard the king, they set out; and there, ahead of them, went the star that they had seen at its rising, until it stopped over the place where the child was. When they saw that the star had stopped, they were overwhelmed with joy. On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure-chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they left for their own country by another road.

Pastoral Care Contact: if you wish to contact the clergy about a pastoral need please email pastoral.care@exeter-cathedral.org.uk or call Canon Chris Palmer



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The Festivals marked in italics are those from the lectionary of Bishop John Grandisson, Bishop of Exeter 1327-1369. These festivals are included as part of our commemoration of the 650th Anniversary of his death.

Sunday 5

		THE EPIPHANY	
0800	Holy Communion <i>BCP p107 for Collect, Epistle and Gospel</i>	Quire	
0915	Morning Prayer <i>DP</i>	Grandisson Chapel	
1000	Choral Eucharist CW Order 1 <i>sung by the St Peter's Singers</i> What cheer? <i>William Walton</i> Missa Brevis 'Capella Regalis' <i>Anthony Caesar</i> The Three Kings <i>Peter Cornelius</i>	Nave	
1600	Choral Evensong <i>BCP sung by the St Peter's Singers</i> <i>Daniel Purcell</i> in E minor What child is this <i>Brian Chapple</i>	Hymns 84, 85, 87, 89 CP	
		Psalm 98	Quire
1900	Sundays@7	Hymns 51, 47 NEH Responses	
		Humphrey Clucas	
		Lady Chapel	

Monday 6

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
1730	Evening Prayer <i>BCP</i>	Lady Chapel

Tuesday 7

	<i>St Brannoc, Abbot and Confessor</i>
0800	Morning Prayer <i>DP</i>
0820	The Eucharist <i>CW Order 1</i>
1730	Evening Prayer

Wednesday 8

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>	Lady Chapel
1730	Choral Evensong <i>BCP</i>	Quire Responses
		Psalms 41-43

The Very Reverend Jonathan Greener Dean

5-12 January 2020

Thursday 9

0800	Morning Prayer DP	Lady Chapel
0820	The Eucharist CW Order 1	Lady Chapel
1730	Choral Evensong BCP <i>Herbert Brewer in D</i> Lo star-led chiefs – William Crotch	Quire Responses <i>Bernard Rose</i>

Friday 10

0800	Morning Prayer DP	Lady Chapel
0820	The Eucharist CW Order 1	Lady Chapel
1730	Choral Evensong BCP <i>Short service Philip Stopford</i> Bethlehem down Peter Warlock	Quire Responses <i>Bernard Rose</i>

Saturday 11

0800	Morning Prayer DP	Lady Chapel
0820	The Eucharist CW Order 1	Lady Chapel
1600	Choral Evensong BCP <i>Herbert Sumsion in D</i> A New Year Carol Benjamin Britten	Quire Responses <i>Timothy Noon Hymn</i>

Sunday 12

THE BAPTISM OF CHRIST		
0800	Holy Communion BCP p109 for Collect, Epistle and Gospel	Quire
0915	Morning Prayer DP	Grandisson Chapel
1000	Choral Eucharist and Baptisms CW Order 1 Illuminare Jerusalem Judith Weir Messe Solennelle Jean Langlais Lullay, lulla Philip Lawton	Nave Hymns 610, 34, 90, 591 CP
1600	Choral Evensong and Installation of Choristers BCP Collegium Regale John Taverner Videte Thomas Tallis	Quire Hymns 51, 52 NEH Responses <i>Bernard Rose</i> Nave
1900	Holy Ground	

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Readings for 1000 Choral Eucharist next Sunday 12 January:

Acts 10:34-43; Matthew 3:13-end

For the sick: Rob McLarin, John Thompson, Yve Taylor, Steven, Faith Woollacott, Sandra Ellis, Brian Mooney, Valerie Shepard, Mona Harrison, Ilya, Baby Logan, Philippa

Rest in peace: Margaret Fairfield, Graham Stones, Nick Horton, Anne Hughes, David Coles.

Thank you: to everyone from our Cathedral Community, staff, volunteers, and worshippers, who worked so hard to support, enrich, and uplift our Christmas activities and worship. From the Crib service on Christmas Eve, through to Choral Evensong on Christmas Day, we welcomed 4190 worshippers to the Cathedral, and increase of 12% from the same services in 2018.

Entry by donation: entry to the Cathedral is free until today. All donations are very welcome.

Holy Ground: Sunday 12 January 2020; 1900. The theme is 'Holocaust Memorial Day, two weeks early. A Christian response to the Holocaust, then and now.' The speaker will be the Dean of Exeter.

Candlelight Concert: Friday 14 February 2020; 1900. Join the Choristers, Lay Vicars and Choral Scholars of Exeter Cathedral Choir for a special evening of seasonal music. The Quire of Exeter Cathedral will be lit by beautiful candles for the return of one of our most popular choral celebrations. Tickets available from the Events office, 01392 285983 and via the Cathedral website.

Big Green Event: Saturday 22 February 2020; 10:00. A one-day festival of thought and action to join up faith and the environment – and inspire us to make a difference. Keynote speaker: Bishop Nick Holtam, Bishop of Salisbury and lead bishop for environmental affairs. Workshops – science, theology, food, direct action, buildings & echochurch, biodiversity, global perspective & the Lent Book – creative corner, seminars, panel discussions and more. For further details and booking, see the Cathedral News or www.exeter.anglican.org/events