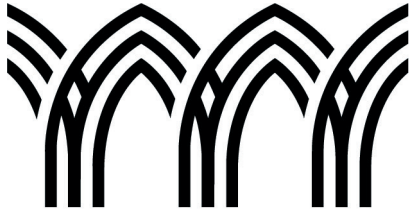


CHORAL EVENSONG



TRINITY CATHEDRAL

¶ *The People stand when the procession enters the Cathedral*

¶ *The People's responses are in **bold***

THE PRECES & RESPONSES

¶ *Sung by the choir*

O Lord, open thou our lips.

And our mouth shall show forth thy praise.

O God, make speed to save us.

O Lord, make haste to help us.

Glory be to the Father, and to the Son, and to the Holy Ghost;

As it was in the beginning, is now, and ever shall be, world without end. Amen.

Praise ye the Lord.

The Lord's Name be praised.

OFFICE HYMN (SEE HANDOUT)

¶ *Sung by everyone*

THE PSALTER

¶ *The People sit. The Choir sings the appointed psalm(s)*

FIRST LESSON

¶ *following the reading*

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

Thanks be to God.

MAGNIFICAT *The Song of Mary*

¶ *Sung by the choir*

My soul doth magnify the Lord, and my spirit hath rejoiced in God my Savior. For he hath regarded the lowliness of his handmaiden. For behold from henceforth all generations shall call me blessed. For he that is mighty hath magnified me, and holy is his Name. And his mercy is on them that fear him throughout all generations. He hath showed strength with his arm; he hath scattered the proud in the imagination of their hearts. He hath put down the mighty from their seat, and hath exalted the humble and meek.

He hath filled the hungry with good things, and the rich he hath sent empty away. He remembering his mercy hath holpen his servant Israel, as he promised to our forefathers, Abraham and his seed for ever. *Gloria patri.*

SECOND LESSON

¶ *following the reading*

Hear what the Spirit is saying to God's people.

Thanks be to God.

NUNC DIMITTIS *Song of Simeon*

¶ *Sung by the choir*

Lord, now lettest thou thy servant depart in peace, according to thy word. For mine eyes have seen thy salvation, which thou hast prepared before the face of all people. To be a light to lighten the Gentiles, and to be the glory of thy people Israel. *Gloria patri.*

¶ *The People stand to say the Creed*

APOSTLE'S CREED

¶ *Spoken by all*

I believe in God, **the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth;**

And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord;

who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, born of the Virgin Mary,

suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead, and buried.

He descended into hell.

The third day he rose again from the dead.

He ascended into heaven, and sitteth on the right hand of God the Father almighty.

From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost, the holy catholic Church,

the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins,

the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen.

PRECES, RESPONSES, & COLLECTS

¶ *Sung by the choir*

The Lord be with you.

And with thy spirit.

Let us pray.

Lord, have mercy upon us. Christ, have mercy upon us. Lord, have mercy upon us.

Our Father, which art in heaven ... Amen.

O Lord, shew thy mercy upon us.

And grant us thy salvation.

O Lord, save the state.

And mercifully hear us when we call upon thee.

Endue thy Ministers with righteousness.
And make thy chosen people joyful.

O Lord, save thy people.
And bless thine inheritance.

Give peace in our time, O Lord.
Because there is none other that fighteth for us, but only thou, O God.

O God, make clean our hearts within us.
And take not thy Holy Spirit from us.

¶ *After each Collect. Amen.*

¶ *The People sit*

THE HOMILY

THE ANTHEM *(sung by the choir)*

¶ *The People stand*

¶ *Additional Collects and prayers may be offered*

THE GENERAL THANKSGIVING

Almighty God, Father of all mercies,
we your unworthy servants give you humble thanks
for all your goodness and loving-kindness to us and to all whom you have made.
We bless you for our creation, preservation, and all the blessings of this life;
but above all for your immeasurable love
in the redemption of the world by our Lord Jesus Christ;
for the means of grace, and for the hope of glory.
And, we pray, give us such an awareness of your mercies,
that with truly thankful hearts we may show forth your praise, not only with our lips,
but in our lives, by giving up our selves to your service,
and by walking before you in holiness and righteousness all our days;
through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with you and the Holy Spirit,
be honor and glory throughout all ages. Amen.

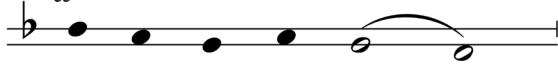
A PRAYER FOR THE CLOSING OF THE OFFICE

¶ *Said by the Officiant*

Almighty God, you have given us grace at this time with one accord to make our common supplication to you; and you have promised through your well-beloved Son that when two or three are gathered together in his Name you will be in the midst of them: Fulfill now, O Lord, our desires and petitions as may be best for us; granting us in this world knowledge of your truth, and in the age to come life everlasting. **Amen.**

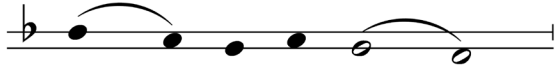
CONCLUDING VERSICLE

Officiant or Cantor



Let us bless the Lord.

People



Thanks be to God.

¶ *The Officiant says a blessing*

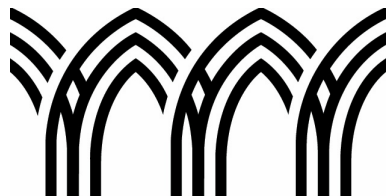
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¶ *Sung by everyone*

¶ *The People remain standing until the procession exits the cathedral*

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CHORAL EVENSONG AT TRINITY CATHEDRAL

April 2026

15 April	Damien, Priest, and Marianne Cope, Monastic
Choir	Choristers from St. Paul's, Cleveland Heights
Homilist	The Rev. Canon Adrienne Koch
Introit	Andrew's Song, Sarah MacDonald (b. 1968)
Responses	Aric Prentice
Hymn	24 The Day Thou Gavest, Lord, is Ended
Psalm	Psalm 32:7-12
Service	Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis in C Minor, George Dyson (1883-1964)
Anthem	The Father's Love, Simon Lole (b. 1957)

As the Father has loved me, so I have loved you. Remain in my love. Remain in my love. This is my commandment: that ye love one another, as I have loved you. God is Love, and those who live in love, live in God and God lives in them. God is Love. If you keep my commandments, love one another, as I have loved you. Then your joy will be complete. If ye keep my commandments and ye love one another, your joy will be complete.

Collect Bind up the wounds of thy children O God, and help us to be bold and loving in service to all who are shunned for the diseases they suffer, following the example of thy servants Damien and Marianne, that thy grace may be poured forth upon all; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who with thee and the Holy Ghost liveth and reigneth, one God, for ever and ever. **Amen.**

Hymn 35 Christ, Mighty Savior, Light of All Creation

Upcoming events:

Monday, April 20 7PM	Evensong with Vox Salvatoris from Church of the Saviour
Wednesday, April 22 6PM	Expansive Evensong with singing bowls
Wednesday, April 29 6PM	Final Choral Evensong until October
Sunday, May 3 4PM	Solemn Eucharist with the Cathedral Choir
Wednesday, May 6 12PM	Brownbag Concert: Journeys in British Art Song
Thursday, May 7 7PM	Evensong Concert: Men of Independence
Friday, May 8 7:30PM	Cleveland Chamber Choir: La Fleur de la Renaissance
Thursday, May 14 6PM	Ascension Day with the Cathedral Choir



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April 2026

29 April Catherine of Siena

Choir Trinity Cathedral Choir
Homilist The Rev. Canon Adrienne Koch
Responses Kenneth Leighton (1929-1988)
Hymn 669 Commit thou all that grieves thee
Psalm Psalm 36
Service New College Service, Herbert Howells (1892-1983)
Anthem Consider the Lilies, Emma Lou Diemer (1927-2024)

Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they toil not, neither do they spin. And yet, I say unto you, that even Solomon in all his glory was not arrayed like one of these. Wherefore, if God so clothe the grass in the field, which today is, and tomorrow is cast into the fire, shall not God clothe you, O ye of little faith? Therefore take no thought, saying, what shall we eat, or what shall we drink, or wherewithal shall we be clothed? But seek ye first the kingdom of God, and all these things shall be added unto you. Take therefore no thought for the morrow, for the morrow shall take thought for the things of itself.

Collect Almighty and everlasting God, who didst kindle the flame of thy love in the heart of thy servant Catherine of Siena: Grant unto us the same strength of conviction and power of love that, as we rejoice in her triumph, we may profit by her example; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Hymn 707 Take my life, and let it be
Voluntary Rhapsody in Db major, Op.17, No. 1, Herbert Howells

This is our final Evensong of the season; Wednesday evening services will return in October. If you have any feedback on our evening programming this year, including our “expansive” offerings, please contact Emily at music@trinitycleveland.org. Thank you for being part of our Wednesday evening community!

Please join the choir for an Ascension Day Choral Eucharist on Thursday, May 14, at 6PM.

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