

# BathAbbey

## Bath Abbey Services & Music List Summer 2024 June - August



**Our regular Weekday services are as follows:**

**8.30am Morning Prayer Monday – Thursday.**

**8.30am Holy Communion Friday.**

**5.30pm Evening Prayer Monday – Friday unless Choral Evensong is taking place.**

**Unless otherwise indicated all services on Weekdays and**

**8am Holy Communion on Sundays are said services.**

**SUNDAY 2 JUNE**

**1<sup>st</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Church Family Communion *Led by the Music Group*

Hymns 357, 193, 589, 263, 777

11.30am Sung Eucharist *Sung by the Lay Clerks and Abbey Consort*

Introit	Ubi caritas <i>Durufié</i>
Setting	Missa Secunda <i>Hassler</i>
Communion	Tantum ergo <i>de Séverac</i>
Hymns	357, 2, 710, 791 (v1, 8, 9, 10)
Voluntary	Toccata in G major <i>Dubois</i>

3.30pm Said Evensong with hymns

Hymns REH 552 (omit v4), 283, 580

6.30pm Informal Service

**TUESDAY 4 JUNE @1.00pm Organ Recital William Forrest, Bristol Cathedral**

**TUESDAY 4 JUNE**

5.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the Abbey Boys and Lay Clerks*

Introit	Holy, holy holy <i>Schubert</i>	Responses <i>Rose</i>
Canticles	<i>Noble</i> in B minor	Psalm 33 v1-12
Anthem	<i>Insanae et vanae curae</i> <i>Haydn</i>	

## THURSDAY 6 JUNE

5.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the Abbey Girls and Lay Clerks*  
*Marking the 80<sup>th</sup> anniversary of D-Day*

Introit	Before the ending of the day <i>Plainsong</i>	Responses	<i>Smith</i>
Canticles	The Short Service <i>Gibbons</i>	Psalm	40
Anthem	Justorum animae <i>Stanford</i>	Hymn	REH 457
Voluntary	Elegy <i>Thalben-Ball</i>		

## SUNDAY 9 JUNE

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am All Together Service *Sung by the Abbey Girls*

Hymns 595, 552, 818

Anthems How can I keep from singing *Trad. arr Scott*  
Lift thine eyes *Mendelssohn*

11.30am Sung Eucharist *Sung by the Abbey Girls and Lay Clerks*

Introit	Justorum animae <i>Stanford</i>
Setting	Cantus Missae <i>Rheinberger</i>
Communion	O sacrum convivium <i>Messiaen</i>
Hymns	593, 631, 806, 814

3.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the Abbey Boys and Lay Clerks*

Introit	Holy, holy holy <i>Schubert</i>	Responses	<i>Rose</i>
Canticles	<i>Stanford</i> in B flat	Psalm	37 v1-11
Anthem	They that go down to the sea <i>Sumsion</i>	Hymns	REH 549, 522

6.30pm Informal Service

**TUESDAY 11 JUNE @1.00pm Organ Recital** Alex Hemple

## TUESDAY 11 JUNE

5.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the Abbey Boys*

Introit Holy, holy holy *Schubert* Responses *Plainsong*  
Canticles *Dyson* in C minor Psalm 147 v1-12  
Anthem He delivereth the poor *Parry*

## THURSDAY 13 JUNE

5.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the Abbey Girls and Lay Clerks*

Introit Jesu, the very thought of thee *Bairstow* Responses *Leighton*  
Canticles *Jackson* in G Psalm 62  
Anthem Hail gladdening light *Wood*

## SUNDAY 16 JUNE

**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Church Family Communion *Sung by the Abbey Boys*

Hymns 394, 700, 450, SOF 851, 827

Anthems Magnificat in C minor *Dyson*  
How beautiful are the feet *Handel*

11.30am Sung Eucharist *Sung by the Abbey Boys and Lay Clerks*

Introit God be in my head *John Rutter*  
Setting Missa Festiva *Gretchaninov*  
Communion O salutaris hostia *Rossini*  
Hymns 506, 99, 607, 676

3.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the Abbey Girls and Lay Clerks*

Introit Jesu, the very thought of thee *Bairstow* Responses *Leighton*  
Canticles Magnificat *Giles Swayne*; Nunc dimittis *Holst*  
Anthem Lord, I call upon thee *Bairstow* Psalm 39  
Hymns REH 580, 483

6.30pm Informal Service

## TUESDAY 18 JUNE @1.00pm Organ Recital

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5.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the Abbey Boys and Lay Clerks*

Introit	God be in my head <i>John Rutter</i>	Responses <i>Clucas</i>
Canticles	The Fourth Service <i>Batten</i>	Psalm 74 v1-16
Anthem	Turn back, O man <i>Holst</i>	

### THURSDAY 20 JUNE

5.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the Abbey Girls and Lay Clerks*

Introit	The Lord is my shepherd <i>Howells</i>	Responses <i>Leighton</i>
Canticles	<i>Samsion</i> in G	Psalm 78 v40-end
Anthem	O pray for the peace of Jerusalem <i>Howells</i>	

### SUNDAY 23 JUNE

**4<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Church Family Communion *Led by the Chamber Choir*

Hymns 828, 388, 800, 654, 494

Anthems *Tantum ergo de Séverac*

*Set me as a seal upon your heart Walton*

11.30am Sung Eucharist *Sung by the Abbey Girls and Lay Clerks*

Introit The Lord is my shepherd *Howells*

Setting Coronation Mass K 317 *Mozart*

Communion Ave verum corpus *Mozart*

Hymns 702, 755, 440, 623

3.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the Abbey Boys and Lay Clerks*

Introit	God be in my head <i>John Rutter</i>	Responses <i>Clucas</i>
Canticles	<i>Murrill</i> in E	Psalm 49 v1- 12
Anthem	O be joyful in the Lord <i>John Rutter</i>	Hymns REH 456, 537

6.30pm Informal Service

## TUESDAY 25 JUNE @1.00pm Organ Recital

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5.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the Lay Clerks*

Introit	If ye love me <i>Tallis</i>	Responses <i>Philip Moore</i>
Canticles	<i>Samsion</i> in G	Psalm 89 v19-36
Anthem	In pace <i>Sheppard</i>	

### John Rutter at Bath Abbey

Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June, 7.00pm

Get ready for an unforgettable evening of beautiful music at Bath Abbey. Featuring talented members of the **Oxford Philharmonic Orchestra**, this concert promises to be a feast for the senses. Renowned composer and conductor **John Rutter** will be leading the orchestra and conducting a thrilling program that includes his own works.

The program includes Rutter's "*For the Beauty of the Earth*", "*A Clare Benediction*", "*Look at the world*," "*Mass of the Children*," "*O Be Joyful in the Lord*" as well as Mozart's *Exultate Jubilate* and Poulenc's *Organ Concerto*, each a masterpiece in its own right.

The concert will feature Soprano Soloist **Lucy Cox**. Baritone Soloist **Jonathan Brown**, and Organist **Huw Williams**, as well as the Abbey Boys and Girls choirs.

**Tickets from Bath Box Office: Pay what you can £35 - £3.50 excl. fees**

## THURSDAY 27 JUNE

5.30pm Said Evening Prayer

## SATURDAY 29 JUNE

5.00pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the Abbey Girls and Lay Clerks and the Brunswick Cathedral Youth Choir*

Introit	Holy is the true light <i>Harris</i>	Responses <i>Leighton</i>
Canticles	The St Paul's Service <i>Howells</i>	Psalm 124, 125
Anthem	I was glad <i>Parry</i>	

6.15pm Concert by the *Brunswick Cathedral Youth Choir* (Admission Free)

## SUNDAY 30 JUNE

**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Church Family Communion *Led by the Melody Makers*

Hymns 362, 712, SOF 804, 661, 477 (t394)

Anthems

11.30am Sung Eucharist *Sung by the Abbey Boys and Lay Clerks*

Introit	Blessed are the pure in heart <i>Walford Davies</i>
Setting	Missa Brevis in F K 192 <i>Mozart</i>
Communion	How lovely are the messengers <i>Mendelssohn</i>
Hymns	506, 321, 497, 296

3.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the Lay Clerks*

Introit	If ye love me <i>Tallis</i>	Responses <i>Tallis</i>
Canticles	Magnificat Secundi toni <i>Suriano</i>	
	Nunc dimittis <i>plainsong</i>	Psalm 53
Anthem	I will lift up mine eyes <i>Walker</i>	Hymns REH 528, 428

6.30pm Informal Service

## TUESDAY 2 JULY @1.00pm Organ Recital

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5.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the Abbey Boys*

Introit Before the ending of the day *Plainsong* Responses *Plainsong*  
Canticles *Dyson* in C minor Psalm 107 v1-16  
Anthem *Panis angelicus Franck*

### THURSDAY 4 JULY

5.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the Abbey Girls and Lay Clerks*

Introit I sat down under his shadow *Bairstow* Responses *Radcliffe*  
Canticles *Gray* in F minor Psalm 116  
Anthem *Cantate Domino Monteverdi*

### SUNDAY 7 JULY

**6<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am All Together Service *Led by the Abbey Girls*

Hymns 595, 704, 741

Anthems For the beauty of the earth *John Rutter*  
How can I keep from singing *Trad. arr Scott*

11.30am Sung Eucharist *Sung by the Abbey Girls and Lay Clerks*

Introit I sat down under his shadow *Bairstow*  
Setting *Missa Brevis Jonathan Dove*  
Communion O salutaris hostia *Ēriks Ešenvalds*  
Hymns 644, 675, 683, 748

3.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the Abbey Boys and Lay Clerks*

Introit Blessed are the pure in heart *Walford Davies* Responses  
Canticles *Dyson* in D Psalm 150  
Anthem Hear my words ye people *Parry* Hymns REH 516, 436

6.30pm Informal Service



**TUESDAY 9 JULY Organ Recital 1.00pm Philip Rushforth**

**SUNDAY 14 JULY**

**7<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Church Family Communion *Led by the Music Group*

Hymns 584, SOF 145, 664, SOF 441, 678

Anthems

11.30am Sung Eucharist *Sung by the Abbey Chamber Choir*

Introit Cantate Domino *Pitoni*

Setting *Darke* in E

Communion O salutaris hostia *Elgar*

Hymns 9, 383, 422, 754

3.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the Abbey Chamber Choir*

Introit O sing joyfully *Batten*

Responses *Ayleward*

Canticles First Service *Weelkes*

Psalm 66

Anthem Set me as a seal *Walton*

Hymns REH 495, 486

6.30pm Informal Service

**SUNDAY 21 JULY**

**8<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Church Family Communion *Led by*

Hymns 4 (omit v3), 592, SOF 782, 144, 739

Anthems

11.30am Sung Eucharist *Sung by a visiting choir*

Setting

Communion

Hymns 223, 769, 621, 721

3.30pm Said Evensong with hymns

Hymns REH 487, 283, 383

6.30pm Informal Service

**TUESDAY 23 JULY Organ Recital 1.00pm Gary Desmond**

**SATURDAY 27 JULY**

5.00pm Choral Evensong *Sung by River Road Church & St Stephen's Church combined choirs*

Canticles Gloucester Service *Kerensa Briggs* Responses *Smith*

Anthem Ubi caritas *David Hurd* Psalm 46

Voluntary Psalm Prelude set 2 no. 1 *Howells*

**SUNDAY 28 JULY**

**9<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Church Family Communion *Led by*

Hymns 422, 648, 587, 358, 502

11.30am Sung Eucharist *Sung by River Road Church & St Stephen's Church combined choirs*

Setting Collegium regale *Howells*

Communion Love bade me welcome *David Hurd*

Hymns 589, 421, 710, 652

Voluntary Psalm Prelude set 1 no. 1 *Howells*

3.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by River Road Church & St Stephen's Church combined choirs*

Canticles Collegium regale *Howells* Responses *Margaret Burk*

Anthem Te Deum *Howells* Psalm 74

Hymns REH 508, 544

Voluntary The tree of peace *Judith Weir*

6.30pm Informal Service

**TUESDAY 30 JULY @1.00pm Organ Recital Michael Stoddart**

**SATURDAY 3 AUGUST**

5.00pm Choral Evensong *Sung by Priory Voices, N. I.*

Canticles	Responses	
Anthem	Psalm	66

**SUNDAY 4 AUGUST**

**10<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Church Family Communion *Led by*

Hymns 754 (omit v3 & 4), 721, 427, 433, 407

11.30am Sung Eucharist *Sung by Priory Voices, N. I.*

Setting

Communion

Hymns 486, 211, 452, 813

3.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by Priory Voices, N. I.*

Introit	Responses
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Canticles	Psalm
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Anthem	Hymns	REH 560, 588
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6.30pm Informal Service

**TUESDAY 6 AUGUST @1.00pm Organ Recital Claire Alsop**

**SUNDAY 11 AUGUST**

**11<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Church Family Communion *Led by the Chamber Choir*

Hymns 765, 485, 800, 431, 652

Anthems *Ave verum Mozart*

*O Lord, give thy Holy Spirit Tallis*

11.30am Sung Eucharist *Sung by the Chamber Choir*

Setting

Communion

Hymns 422, 131, 595, 644

3.30pm Said Evensong with prayers

Hymns REH 363, 283, 440

6.30pm Informal Service

## **TUESDAY 13 AUGUST @1.00pm Organ Recital**

## **SATURDAY 17 AUGUST**

5.00pm Choral Evensong *Sung by St Mary's Church, Ross-on-Wye choir*

Canticles

Responses

Anthem

Psalm 97

## **SUNDAY 18 AUGUST**

**12<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Church Family Communion *Led by*

Hymns 238, 625, 588, 433, 587

11.30am Sung Eucharist *Sung by St Mary's Church, Ross-on-Wye choir*

Setting

Communion

Hymns 589, 362, 453, 477 (t394)

3.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by St Mary's Church, Ross-on-Wye choir*

Introit

Responses

Canticles

Psalm

Anthem

Hymns REH 593, 573

6.30pm Informal Service

**TUESDAY 20 AUGUST @1.00pm Organ Recital RSCM**

**FRIDAY 23 AUGUST**

5.00pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the RSCM Bath Course*

Canticles	<i>Blow in F</i>	Responses	<i>Reading</i>
Anthem	<i>A prayer for charity Wilby</i>	Psalm	130

**SUNDAY 25 AUGUST**

**13<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Church Family Communion *Led by the RSCM Bath Course*

Hymns 507 (omit v2), 703, 669, SOF 145, 237

Anthems *Tantum ergo de Séverac*  
*O sing to the Lord a new song Peter Nardone*

11.30am Sung Eucharist *Sung by the RSCM Bath Course*

Setting	<i>Missa Resurrectionis Hancock</i>
Communion	<i>Ave verum Mawby</i>
Hymns	766, 582, 755, 613

3.30pm Choral Evensong *Sung by the RSCM Bath Course*

Canticles	<i>Collegium regale Howells</i>	Responses	<i>Stanford</i>
Anthem	<i>Let the people praise thee, O God Mathias</i>	Psalm	116
Hymns	REH 481, 470 (t522i)		

6.30pm Informal Service

**TUESDAY 27 AUGUST @1.00pm Organ Recital Dewi Rees**

**SATURDAY 31 AUGUST**

5.00pm     Choral Evensong *Sung by Ex Collegio Cantabrigiense*

Canticles

Responses

Anthem

Psalm

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