

Blackburn Cathedral

Services and Music List: April 2026



Wednesday 1 April

Wednesday of Holy Week

8.30am **Morning Prayer**

11.30am **Eucharist (BCP)**

12.15pm **Organ Concert**

Milkica Radovanovic

5.00pm **Choral Evensong**

Lole St. David's Service

Fairest Lord Jesus-- DeLong

Cathedral Choristers

Responses: *Leighton*

Psalm: 119: 33-56

Thursday 2 April

Maundy Thursday

8.30am **Morning Prayer with Eucharist**

11.00am **Chrism Service**

Stanford in C and F

5.00pm **Evening Prayer**

8.00pm **Maundy Thursday Eucharist**

Darke in F

Ubi Caritas - Gjeilo

A New Commandment - Nardone

Cathedra Voices &
Cathedral Youth Choir

The Cathedral Choir

Psalm: 116.1,10-End

Friday 3 April

Good Friday

8.30am **Morning Prayer**

10.00am **Pilgrimage of Prayer**

Were You There?- Chilcott

O Sacred Head Sore Wounded - arr. MacDonald

Crucifixus a 8 - Lotti

My Song is Love Unknown - Molly iJames

12.00pm **Good Friday Liturgy**

Salvator Mundi - Tallis

Psalm 22

God So Loved the World - Stainer

Reproaches - Sanders

The Cathedral Youth Choir

The Cathedral Choir

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Saturday 4 April

Easter Eve

8.00pm

Easter Vigil

The Cathedral Choir

Vigil Psalmody, Easter Anthems

Ave Verum – Mawby

Ireland in C

Sunday 5 April

Easter Day

9.00am

The Parish Eucharist

The Cathedral Youth Choir

He is Risen – Whitlock

Belfast Centenary Mass – Philip Stopford

Now the Green Blade Riseth – arr. Lindley

10.30am

The Cathedral Eucharist

The Cathedral Choir

Schubert: Mass in G

Lord of the Dance – Bertalot

Psalm: 118.1-2,14-24

4.00pm

Choral Evensong

The Cathedral Choir

Dyson in D

Responses: *Radcliffe*

Blessed be the God and Father – Wesley

Psalm: 105

Monday 6 April

9.00am

Morning Prayer

11.00pm

Bank Holiday Organ Concert

Colin Walsh

4.00pm

Evening Prayer

Tuesday 7 April

8.30am

Morning Prayer with Eucharist

5.00pm

Evening Prayer

Wednesday 8 April

8.30am

Morning Prayer

11.30am

Eucharist (BCP)

5.00pm

Evening Prayer

Thursday 9 April

8.30am

Morning Prayer with Eucharist

5.00pm

Evening Prayer

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Friday 10 April	8.30am	Morning Prayer	
	12.30pm	Eucharist	
	5.00pm	Choral Evensong	St German's Cathedral Choir
		<i>Vann in E Minor</i>	Responses: <i>Radcliffe</i>
		<i>When Christ, Who in Our Life - Roberts</i>	Psalm: 107. 1-10

Saturday 11 April	9.00am	Morning Prayer with Eucharist	
	4.00pm	Choral Evensong	St German's Cathedral Choir
		<i>Ayleward: Short Service</i>	Responses: <i>Reading</i>
		<i>O Sing Joyfully - Batten</i>	Psalm: 145

Sunday 12 April		The Second Sunday of Easter	
	9.00am	The Parish Eucharist	
	10.30am	The Cathedral Eucharist	St German's Cathedral Choir
		<i>Jackson in G</i>	Psalm: 16
		<i>Behold the Tabernacle - Harris</i>	
	4.00pm	Choral Evensong	The Cathedral Choir
	<i>Aston in F</i>	Responses: <i>Sanders</i>	
	<i>Praise to God - Campbell</i>	Psalm: 30, 1-6	

Monday 13 April		George, Martyr, Patron of England	
	8.30am	Morning Prayer	
	5.00pm	Evening Prayer	

Tuesday 14 April	8.30am	Morning Prayer with Eucharist	
	5.00pm	Evening Prayer	

Wednesday 15 April	8.30am	Morning Prayer	
	11.30am	Eucharist (BCP)	
	5.00pm	Evening Prayer	

Thursday 16 April	8.30am	Morning Prayer with Eucharist	
	5.00pm	Evening Prayer	

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Friday 17 April	8.30am	Morning Prayer	
	12.30pm	Eucharist (BCP)	
	5.00pm	Evening Prayer	
Saturday 18 April	9.00am	Morning Prayer with Eucharist	
	4.00pm	Choral Evensong	Choir of St. George's Stockport
		<i>Stanford Evening Service in B Flat</i> <i>The Easter Song of Praise</i>	Responses: Wilby Psalm: 66
Sunday 19 April		The Third Sunday of Easter	
	9.00am	The Parish Eucharist	
	10.30am	The Cathedral Eucharist	Choir of St. George's Stockport
		<i>Greening A Mass for Worthy Abbey</i> <i>Christ the Lord is Risen Again - Fosters</i>	Psalm: 116, 1-3 & 10-end
	4.00pm	Choral Evensong	Choir of St. George's Stockport
	<i>This Joyful Eastertide - Wood</i> <i>Brewer Evening Service in D</i> <i>Most Glorious Lord of Life - Harris</i>	Responses: Rose Psalm: 48	
Monday 20 April	8.30am	Morning Prayer	
	5.00pm	Evening Prayer	
Tuesday 21 April	8.30am	Morning Prayer with Eucharist	
	5.00pm	Choral Evensong	Cathedral Choristers
		<i>Long in F</i> <i>The Call - Vaughan Williams</i>	Responses: Sumsion Psalm: 89, 19-50
Wednesday 22 April	9.00am	Morning Prayer	
	11.30am	Eucharist (BCP)	
	12.15pm	Organ Concert	
		<i>John Robinson (Bach Trio Sonatas 1-3)</i>	
	5.00pm	Choral Evensong	Cathedral Choristers
	<i>Watson in E-Flat</i> <i>Howells My Eyes for Beauty Pine</i>	Responses: Sumsion Psalm: 91 & 93	

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Thursday 23 April	8.30am	Morning Prayer with Eucharist	
	5.00pm	Choral Evensong	Junior Choristers
		<i>Gibbons Short Service</i>	Responses: <i>Smith</i>
		<i>All Things Bright and Beautiful - Anon</i>	Psalm: 94, 1-10
Friday 24 April	8.30am	Morning Prayer	
	12.30pm	Eucharist (BCP)	
	5.00pm	Evening Prayer	
Saturday 25 April		St. Mark the Evangelist	
	9.00am	Morning Prayer with Eucharist	
	4.00pm	Evening Prayer	
Sunday 26 April		The Fourth Sunday of Easter	
	9.00am	The Parish Eucharist	The Cathedral Youth Choir
	10.30am	The Cathedral Eucharist	The Cathedral Choir
		<i>Stanford in C</i>	Psalm: 23
		<i>Goodall- The Lord is my Shepherd</i>	
	4.00pm	Choral Evensong	The Cathedral Choir ATB
		<i>Stanford in B-flat</i>	Responses: <i>Sumsion</i>
		<i>Vaughan Williams - Antiphon</i>	Psalm: 29, 1-10
Monday 27 April	8.30am	Morning Prayer	
	5.00pm	Evening Prayer	
Tuesday 28 April	8.30am	Morning Prayer with Eucharist	
	5.00pm	Choral Evensong	Cathedral Choristers
		<i>Brewer in D</i>	Responses: <i>Reading</i>
		<i>Litany to the Holy Spirit- Hurford</i>	Psalm: 107

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Wednesday 29 April	8.30am	Morning Prayer	
	11.30am	Eucharist (BCP)	
	12.15pm	Organ Concert	
		<i>John Robinson (Bach Trio Sonatas 4-6)</i>	
	5.00pm	Choral Evensong	Cathedral Choristers
		<i>Stanford in C</i>	Responses: <i>Radcliffe</i>
		<i>Weep, Sick and Lonely- Gaffin</i>	Psalm: 119, 129-152
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Thursday 30 April	8.30am	Morning Prayer with Eucharist	
	5.00pm	Choral Evensong	Junior Choristers
		<i>Byrd- Fauxbourdons</i>	Responses: <i>Radcliffe</i>
		<i>Lord of the Dance- Owens</i>	Psalm: 116, 1-10
