

Music at St Peter's, Harborne

April 2026

Thursday 2nd, Maundy Thursday

7.30 pm	Choral Eucharist with foot washing	Maundy Thursday Book
	Setting: Rutter	Hymn Book: A&M
Organ	Herzlich thut mich verlangen (BWV 727), J.S.Bach (1685-1750)	
First Hymn	448 (i)	I come with joy, a child of God
Gradual	165	An Upper Room did our Lord prepare
Foot washing	Ubi caritas, Maurice Durufle (1902-1986)	
Offertory	166 (ii)	Blest by the sun
Anthem	If ye love me, Thomas Tallis (c.1505-1585)	[NCAB 177]
Communion	460	O thou, who at thy Eucharist didst pray
Psalm	22	

Friday 3rd, Good Friday

2pm	Good Friday Reflection (Choral)	
	The Lamentations, Edward Bairstow (1874-1946)	[AW-E: 55]
5.30 pm	Rehearsal	
7 pm	Requiem by Gabriel Faure	

Sunday 5th, Easter Day

6 am	The Easter Vigil at Dawn.	Easter Vigil Book
	Setting: Rizza	Hymn Book: A&M
Offertory	205	Jesus Christ is risen today descant sheet
Anthem	Now the green blade riseth, Alan Bullard (1947 -)	
Communion	219	This joyful Eastertide
Final Hymn	218	Thine be the glory descant Oxford 54b
Organ	Christ ist erstanden (BWV 627), J.S.Bach (1685-1750)	
10 am	Easter Choral Eucharist	Easter Day Book
	Setting: Coventry Gloria & John Rutter	Hymn Book: A&M (with Trumpet)
Organ		
Introit	This is the day, Anon	
First Hymn	205	Jesus Christ is risen today descant sheet
Gradual	216	The day of resurrection!
Offertory	199	Christ is alive! Let Christians sing.
Anthem	Halleluia Chorus (Messiah), G.F.Handel (1685-1759)	
Communion	212	Now the green blade rises
Final Hymn	218	Thine be the glory descant Oxford 54b

Sunday 12th, Easter II

10 am	Parish Communion	Eastertide book
	Setting: Rizza	Hymn Book: A&M
		(No choir. Organ Bernard Leckie)
Organ	Air & Variation in the Old English Style, Eric H. Thiman (1900-1975)	
First Hymn	209	Love's redeeming work is done
Gradual	207	Jesus lives!
Offertory	194	Alleluia! Alleluia!
Communion	455	My God, and is thy table spread
Final Hymn	221	Ye choirs of new Jerusalem
Organ	Tuba Tune, Paul Fey (1998 -)	

Sunday 19th, Easter III

10 am	Parish Communion	Eastertide Book
	Setting: Rizza	Hymn Book: A&M
Organ	Aria (Op 51), Flor Peeters	
First Hymn	507	We have a gospel to proclaim
Gradual	198	At the Lamb's high feast we sing
Offertory	769	Rejoice! The Lord is King
Anthem	The peace of God, John Rutter (1945 -)	
Communion	466	The love of God comes close
Final Hymn	777	Sing of the Lord's goodness RSCM 23
Organ	Festal Voluntary (Op 87), Flor Peeters	
6.30 pm	Full Choral Evensong	Hymn Book: NEH
First Hymn	112	Jesus lives!
Responses	William Smith	
Psalm	48	
Canticles	Stanford in C	
Anthem	Blessed be the God and Father, S.S.Wesley (1810-1876)	
Final Hymn	124	Ye choirs of new Jerusalem
Organ	Toccatà (Suite Gothique, Op. 25), Léon Boëllmann (1862-1897)	

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Sunday 26th, Easter IV

10 am Parish Communion Eastertide Book
Setting: Rizza Hymn Book: A&M

Organ Siciliano (Concerto in D minor, Op 3), A.Vivaldi arr. J.S.Bach
First Hymn 696 Jesus, where'er thy people meet descant Knapp (A&M)
Gradual 664 How sweet the name of Jesus sounds
Offertory 807 Thine for ever, God of love
Anthem The Lord is my shepherd, Howard Goodall (1959 -)
Communion 794 (i) The King of love my shepherd is descant Oxford 23a
Final Hymn 650 Great is thy faithfulness
Organ Toccata & Fugue, Anon (Italian, 18th century)

6.30 pm Choral Evensong Hymn Book: NEH

First Hymn 345 Christ is the King!
Responses Ferial
Psalm 29:1-10
Canticles Chants D
Anthem The strife is o'er, Henry Ley (1887-1962) [NCAB: 458]
Final Hymn 334 All people that on earth do dwell