

The Parish Church of St John-at-Hampstead

Music List ~ December 2024

Sunday 1st December – Advent Sunday

10.30 am. All-Age Holy Communion

Introit Hymn	12	
Mass setting (K/S&B/AD)	<i>Missa O quam gloriosum</i>	T. L. da Victoria
Gradual Psalm	25. 1-9	Tone i/1
Offertory Hymn	‘Kum ba yah’	
Communion Anthem	<i>The truth from above</i>	arr. Ralph Vaughan Williams
Post-Communion Hymn	‘This little light of mine’	
Organ Voluntary	<i>Nun komm, der Heiden Heiland</i> (BWV 659)	J. S. Bach

5 pm. Advent Carol Service

Organ Prelude	<i>O Oriens</i>	Cecilia McDowall
Organ Postlude	<i>Wie schön leuchtet der Morgenstern</i> (BuxWV 223)	Dieterich Buxtehude

Sunday 8th December – 2nd Sunday of Advent

10.30 am. Holy Communion

Introit Hymn	6	
Mass setting (K/S&B/AD)	<i>Missa Sancta Maria</i>	Duarte Lobo
Gradual	Benedictus	Martin How
Offertory Hymn	7	
Communion Motet	<i>Jerusalem surge</i>	G. B. Martini
Post-Communion Hymn	18	
Organ Voluntary	<i>Veni Redemptor gentium</i> (vv. 1 & 5)	Samuel Scheidt

5 pm. Evensong

Organ Prelude	<i>Vom Himmel hoch</i> (BWV 606)	J. S. Bach
Introit	<i>Nun komm der Heiden Heiland</i>	Johannes Eccard
Preces & Responses		Plainchant
Psalm	75	Tone vi
Canticles	<i>Fauxbourdon Service</i>	H. Walford Davies
Anthem	<i>Komm, Jesu, komm</i> (BWV 229)	J. S. Bach
Hymn	494	
Final Amen		Johann Naumann
Organ Postlude	<i>Sleepers Wake</i>	Miles l'A. Martin

Sunday 15th December – Third Sunday of Advent

10.30 am. Holy Communion

Introit Hymn	499	
Mass setting (K/S&B/AD)	<i>Mass in A minor</i> (Op. 197)	Josef Rheinberger
Gradual Psalm	146. 4-end	Joseph Barnby
Offertory Hymn	280	
Communion Motet	<i>Audivi vocem de caelo</i>	Thomas Tallis
Post-Communion Hymn	500	
Organ Voluntary	<i>Es ist ein Ros' entsprungen</i> (Op. 122/7)	Johannes Brahms

7.30 pm

Handel's MESSIAH

Sunday 22nd December – Fourth Sunday of Advent

10.30 am. Holy Communion with Baptism

Introit Hymn	5	
Mass setting (K/S&B/AD)	<i>Communion Service in G</i>	Francis Jackson
Gradual Psalm	80. 1-8	William Croft
Offertory Hymn	11	
Communion Motet	<i>Benedixisti Domine (Advent-Motetten, Op. 176)</i>	Josef Rheinberger
Post-Communion Hymn	15	
Organ Voluntary	<i>Wachet auf, ruft uns die Stimme (BWV 645)</i>	J. S. Bach

5 pm. Christmas Carol Service

Organ Prelude	<i>La Vierge et l'Enfant (La Nativité du Seigneur)</i>	Olivier Messiaen
Organ Postlude	<i>In dulci jubilo (BWV 729)</i>	J. S. Bach

Tuesday 24th December – Christmas Eve

11.30 pm. Holy Communion

Introit Hymn	29	
Mass setting (G/S/AD)	<i>Messe solennelle</i>	Louis Vierne
Gradual Hymn	31	
Offertory Hymn	42	
Communion Anthem	<i>Wither's Rocking Hymn</i>	Ralph Vaughan Williams
Post-Communion Hymn	30 (omit vv. 3-5)	
Organ Voluntary	<i>Final (Symphonie No. 1)</i>	Louis Vierne

Wednesday 25th December – Christmas Day

10.30 am. Holy Communion

Introit Hymn	26 (omit *)	
Gloria in excelsis	<i>Communion Service (Collegium Regale)</i>	Herbert Howells
Gradual Hymn	22	
Offertory Hymn	36	
Sanctus	<i>Mass of St Cecilia</i>	José Nunes Garcia
Agnus Dei	<i>Missa Puer natus est nobis</i>	Thomas Tallis
Post-Communion Hymn	32 (omit *)	
Organ Voluntary	<i>Dieu parmi nous (La Nativité du Seigneur)</i>	Olivier Messiaen

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