BIRKENHEAD SCHOOL CHAPEL



Sunday Services: Lent Term i 2023

SUNDAY 8 JANUARY

The Baptism of Christ (The First Sunday of Epiphany)

Choral Evensong at 6.30pm

Responses: John Sanders Psalm 29 (Thomas Attwood)

Lessons: Acts 10 vv 34-43, Matthew 3 vv 13-end Magnificat and Nunc dimittis in F *George Dyson* Anthem: Breathe on me, breath of God *Philip Willoy*

Hymn 58 The sinless one to Jordan came

Preacher: Revd Canon Dr Philip Anderson, Precentor, Liverpool

Cathedral

Hymn 52 O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness

Dismissal: Bernard Rose

SUNDAY 15 JANUARY

The Second Sunday of Epiphany

Choral Evensong at 6.30pm

Responses: Richard Ayleward Psalm 40 vv 1-12 (George Cooper)

Lessons: 1 Corinthians 1 vv 1-9, Matthew 6 vv 25-34 Magnificat and Nunc dimittis in B flat *Charles Villiers Stanford* Anthem: O for a closer walk with God *Charles Villiers Stanford*

Hymn 341 Blest are the pure in heart

Preacher: Revd (Wg Cdr) Ashley Mitchell, Senior Chaplain, RAF

Halton

Hymn 352 Crown him with many crowns

Dismissal: Edward Naylor Ferial

SUNDAY 22 JANUARY

The Third Sunday of Epiphany

Choral Evensong at 6.30pm

Responses: John Sanders

Psalm 27 vv 1, 4-12 (John Stainer/Charles Hylton Stewart) Lessons: 1 Corinthians 1 vv 10-18, Matthew 4 vv 12-23

Magnificat and Nunc dimittis in C *Bryan Kelly* Anthem: Beati quorum via *Howard Skempton OB* Hymn 374 How sweet the name of Jesus sounds

Preacher: Revd Gill Foster, Associate Rector, Ellesmere Port

Parish

Hymn 490 Judge eternal, throned in splendour

Dismissal: Edward Naylor Ferial

SUNDAY 29 JANUARY

The Presentation of Christ in the Temple

Choral Evensong at 6.30pm

Responses: Richard Ayleward Psalm 24 (Joseph Barnby)

Lessons: Hebrews 2 vv 14-end, Luke 2 vv 22-40

Fourth Service Magnificat and Nunc dimittis *Adrian Batten* Anthem: When to the temple Mary went *Johannes Eccard*

Hymn Angels from the realms of glory

Preacher: Revd Paul Bentley OB, Vicar, Birkenhead Priory

Hymn 408 Love divine, all loves excelling

Dismissal: Bernard Rose

SUNDAY 5 FEBRUARY

The Third Sunday before Lent

Choral Evensong at 6.30pm

Responses: John Sanders Psalm 1 (Thomas Turton)

Lessons: Ephesians 4 vv 17-end, Mark 1 vv 29-39 First Service Magnificat and Nunc dimittis *Adrian Batten*

Anthem: Locus iste Anton Bruckner

Hymn 467 Through all the changing scenes of life

Preacher: Revd Josie Tuplin, Assistant Curate, Holy Cross

Woodchurch

Hymn 486 We have a gospel to proclaim

Dismissal: Edward Naylor Ferial

Sunday services in Chapel resume on 26 February at 6.30pm.