

# St Edmundsbury Cathedral

Following in the footsteps of Edmund, King and Martyr



## Music Diary

### Easter Term 2017

#### **Assumptions and Abbreviations**

- Probs = Probationers.
- Lay Clerks = Lay Clerks & Choral Scholars.
- Where no choir is indicated, the duties are for the Full Choir (Choristers and Lay Clerks).
- Entries in smaller print and brackets are for information only.
- Probs only sing Thursdays (all day), Fridays (am only), Sundays (am only) and Tuesdays (when Colts & Probs sing evensong). If required at other times “(incl Probs)” will make this clear.
- Times given are always start times, so please ensure you arrive before them.
- “Normal Routine” may be supplemented or altered by subsequent lines on the same day.

“Quis cantat, bis orat”

St Augustine of Hippo

## **Normal Routine**

### **Sunday**

0915	Full Choir (incl Probs)	Song School
1000	Sung Eucharist	Nave
1130	See relevant entry	
1445	Full Choir (no Probs)	Song School
1530—1630	Evensong	Quire

### **Tuesday**

0800—0835	Choristers	Song School
1600—1635	Colts	Song School

### **Wednesday**

0800—0835	Choristers	Song School
1600—1700	St Cecilia Juniors	Edmund Room
1645	Wednesday Men	Song School
1730—1800	Evensong (Wednesday Men)	Quire
1915—2030	St Cecilia Chorale	Song School

### **Thursday**

0800—0835	Choristers and Probs	Song School
from 1530	Tea	Pilgrims' Kitchen
1615	Practice & Theory	Song School/Edmund Room
1730—1815	Evensong (Boys' voices)	Quire

### **Friday**

0800—0835	Colts and Probs	Song School
from 1530	Tea (no Probs)	Pilgrims' Kitchen
1645	Lay Clerks	Song School
1730	Evensong (Full Choir)	Quire
1815—1900	Full Choir	Quire
1900—1930	Lay Clerks	Song School

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**All entries are subject to change.**

**If in doubt, please check with a member of staff.**

**Please see the front cover for Assumptions and Abbreviations used throughout the Diary.**

## APRIL/MAY

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### Thursday 20

1930—2100 St Edmundsbury Singers Song School

### Tuesday 25 Mark the Evangelist

Normal Routine starts at 0800

1645 St Edmundsbury Singers Quire

1730 Solemn Eucharist Quire

followed by diary meeting and drinks

### Wednesday 26 Normal Routine

### Thursday 27 Normal Routine

### Friday 28 Normal Routine

## SUNDAY 30 THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Normal Routine

1130—1215 Mattins Quire

## MAY

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### Tuesday 2 Normal Routine

1645 St Cecilia Chorale Quire

1730—1815 Evensong (St Cecilia Chorale) Quire

### Wednesday 3 Normal Routine

**No St Cecilia Chorale practice**

### Thursday 4 Normal Routine

1815 Chorister and Probationer Edmund Room

Parents' Meeting

1930—2100 St Edmundsbury Singers Song School

### Friday 5 Normal Routine

### Saturday 6

1400 Bishop's Chorister Award Song School  
recipients and any current holders who  
would like to sing

1445 Lay Clerks Quire

1530—1630 Bishop's Chorister Award Evensong Quire

## MAY

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### **SUNDAY 7 THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

Normal Routine  
1130—1215 Rehearsal

**Tuesday 9** Normal Routine  
1645 St Edmundsbury Singers Quire  
1730—1815 Evensong (St Edmundsbury Singers) Quire  
1815—1900 St Edmundsbury Singers Song School

**Wednesday 10** Normal Routine

**Thursday 11** Normal Routine  
1930—2100 St Edmundsbury Singers Song School

**Friday 12** Normal Routine

### **Saturday 13**

(1700 Organ Recital: Dan Soper Nave)  
(FOCC: Starry Night)

### **SUNDAY 14 THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

Normal Routine  
1130—1215 Mattins  
1215 Lay Clerks' Meeting Edmund Room  
1530 Solemn Evensong Quire

**Tuesday 16** Normal Routine  
1530 Tea (Colts and Probs) Pilgrims' Kitchen  
1610 Colts and Probs Quire  
1730—1800 Evensong (Colts and Probs) Quire

**Wednesday 17** Normal Routine

**Thursday 18** Normal Routine

**Friday 19** Normal Routine

### **SUNDAY 21 THE SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

Normal Routine  
1130 Mattins Quire  
1700 Cathedral Choir Concert for Bury Festival Nave

## MAY/JUNE

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**Tuesday 23** Normal Routine  
1645 St Cecilia Chorale Quire  
1730—1800 Evensong (St Cecilia Chorale) Quire

**Wednesday 24** Normal Routine (am only)  
1530 Tea (St Cecilia Juniors) Pilgrims' Kitchen  
1610 St Cecilia Juniors Quire  
1730—1800 Evensong (St Cecilia Juniors) Quire  
**No St Cecilia Chorale practice**  
1930 Rehearsal (Lay Clerks) Song School  
2000 Compline (Lay Clerks) Cathedral

**Thursday 25** **Ascension Day**  
Normal Routine  
1815—1915 St Edmundsbury Singers Song School  
1930 (Tallis Scholars Concert) Nave

**Friday 26** Normal Routine (am only)  
1645 Lay Clerks Song School  
1730 Evensong (Lay Clerks) Quire  
1815—1845 Lay Clerks Song School

**Saturday 27** St Edmundsbury Singers at St Peter's, Milden  
1600 Rehearsal NOT MILDENHALL!  
1730—1830 Evensong (St Edmundsbury Singers) Milden

**[Half term: Saturday 27 May to Saturday 3 June inclusive]**

## JUNE

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**SUNDAY 4** **PENTECOST**  
No morning duties for Full Choir  
0900 St Cecilia Chorale and St Cecilia Juniors Rehearsal  
1000 Sung Eucharist (St C C & St C J) Nave  
1130 No Mattins/no Practice  
1445 Normal Routine for Full Choir

**Tuesday 6** Normal Routine  
1645 St Edmundsbury Singers Quire  
1730 Evensong (St Edmundsbury Singers) Quire  
1815—1900 St Edmundsbury Singers Song School

## JUNE

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<b>Wednesday 7</b>	Normal Routine	
<b>Thursday 8</b>	Normal Routine	
1930—2100	St Edmundsbury Singers	Song School
<b>Friday 9</b>	Normal Routine	
<b>Saturday 10</b>		
(1330—1530)	Church Organists' Day	Cathedral and Song School)
(1700)	Organ Recital: Alexander Binns	Nave)
<b>SUNDAY 11</b>	<b>TRINITY SUNDAY</b>	
	Normal Routine	
1130	Mattins	Quire
<b>Tuesday 13</b>	Normal Routine	
1530	Tea (Colts and Probs)	Pilgrims' Kitchen
1610	Colts and Probs	Quire
1730—1800	Evensong (Colts and Probs)	Quire
<b>Wednesday 14</b>	Normal Routine	
<b>Thursday 15</b>	<b>Corpus Christi</b>	
	Normal Routine	
1730—1830	Solemn Eucharist	Quire
<b>Friday 16</b>	Normal Routine	
1900—2000	St Edmundsbury Singers and Lay Clerks	Song School
<b>SUNDAY 18</b>	<b>THE FIRST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY/ SEA SUNDAY</b>	
	Normal Routine (am only)	
1130	Mattins	Quire
1430	St Edmundsbury Singers and Lay Clerks	Song School/Nave
1530—1645	Reader's Eucharist (St Edmundsbury Singers and Lay Clerks)	Nave

## JUNE

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<b>Tuesday 20</b>	Normal Routine	
1645	St Cecilia Chorale	Quire
1730—1815	Evensong (St Cecilia Chorale)	Quire
<b>Wednesday 21</b>	Normal Routine <i>(No further Wednesday Men duties this term)</i> <b>No St Cecilia Chorale practice</b>	
<b>Thursday 22</b>	Normal Routine	
1930—2100	St Edmundsbury Singers	Song School
<b>Friday 23</b>	Normal Routine	
<b>Saturday 24</b>	<b>Birth of John the Baptist</b>	
1000	Full Choir	Song School
1100—1230	Ordination of Priests	Nave
1230	Chorister's Pizza Outing	Pizza Express
1500—1630	Ordination of Deacons	Nave
<b>SUNDAY 25</b>	<b>THE SECOND SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY</b> <b>NO DUTIES</b> (all day)	
<b>Tuesday 27</b>	Normal Routine	
1645	St Edmundsbury Singers	Quire
1730	Evensong (St Edmundsbury Singers)	Quire
1815—1900	St Edmundsbury Singers	Song School
<b>Wednesday 28</b>	Normal Routine	
1630	Concert (St Cecilia Juniors)	Nave
<b>Thursday 29</b>	<b>Peter the Apostle</b> Normal Routine	
<b>Friday 30</b>	Normal Routine	

## JULY

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### SUNDAY 2

### THE THIRD SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Normal Routine

1130—1230

Rehearsal with the Song School  
Boys and girls of the Choir of Trinity Church,  
New Haven on the Green,  
Connecticut, USA (referred to as TCC)

1530

Solemn Evensong for the Quire  
Eve of Thomas with TCC

### Monday 3

### Thomas the Apostle

1730

Evensong/Eucharist sung by TCC alone Quire

### Tuesday 4

Normal Routine

1530

Tea (C&P & TCC boys) Song School

1610

Colts, Probs & TCC boys Quire

1730

Evensong (Colts, Probs and TCC boys) Quire

1810—1830

Concert (Colts, Probs and TCC boys) Nave  
*(No further Colts and Probs duties this term)*

### Wednesday 5

Normal Routine

1645

St Cecilia Juniors Sharing Concert  
St Cecilia Chorale with TCC girls Quire

1730—1815

Evensong (St Cecilia Chorale & TCC girls) Quire  
*(No further St Cecilia Chorale duties this term)*

### Thursday 6

Normal Routine

1615

Concert Rehearsal

1730

Evensong as usual Quire

1815—1900

Choristers in Concert Nave

All Choristers and Probationers who play an instrument should be prepared to perform.  
All those not performing should stay for the concert to help and encourage those who are.

1930—2100

St Edmundsbury Singers Song School

### Friday 7

Normal Routine



## JULY

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<b>SUNDAY 9</b>	<b>THE FOURTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY</b>	
	Normal Routine	
1130	Mattins	Quire
<b>Tuesday 11</b>	Normal Routine	
1645	St Edmundsbury Singers	Quire
1730	Evensong (St Edmundsbury Singers)	Quire
1815—1900	St Edmundsbury Singers	Song School
<b>Wednesday 12</b>	Normal Routine (am only)	
1530	Tea (St Cecilia Juniors)	Pilgrims' Kitchen
1610	St Cecilia Juniors	Quire
1730—1800	Evensong (St Cecilia Juniors)	Quire
<b>Thursday 13</b>	Normal Routine	
1930—2100	St Edmundsbury Singers (who are involved with Friends' Concert)	Song School
<b>Friday 14</b>	Normal Routine	
<b>Saturday 15</b>		
1030	Full Choir	Song School
1130—1230	Friends' Eucharist	Nave
1300	St Edmundsbury Singers (12 singers only)	Song School
1430—1500	Friends' Concert (St Edmundsbury Singers)	Marquee
<b>SUNDAY 16</b>	<b>THE FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY</b>	
	Normal Routine	
1130—1215	Mattins	Quire
1530—1630	Evensong (Probationers welcome) followed by FOCC BBQ <i>(No further Full Choir duties this term)</i>	Quire
<b>Wednesday 19</b>	No duties except St Cecilia Juniors' Annual Summer Picnic <i>(No further St Cecilia Juniors duties this term)</i>	Abbey Gardens

## JULY

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<b>Thursday 20</b>	No duties	
<b>Friday 21</b>		
1800—2000	St Edmundsbury Singers and Lay Clerks followed by Pimm's	Song School
<b>Saturday 22</b>		
(1700	Organ Recital: Roger Judd	Nave)
<b>SUNDAY 23</b>	<b>PATRONAL FESTIVAL (St JAMES)</b>	
0900	St Edmundsbury Singers and Lay Clerks	Nave
1000	Solemn Eucharist	Nave
1130—1215	Mattins	Quire
1430	St Edmundsbury Singers and Lay Clerks	Nave
1530—1630	Solemn Evensong <i>(No further St Edmundsbury Singers or Lay Clerks duties this term)</i>	Quire

**Monday 28 to Wednesday 30 August: Outward Bound**

### Michaelmas Term 2017

<b>Choristers and Probationers</b>	Thursday 7 September at 0800
<b>Lay Clerks</b>	Friday 8 September at 1700
<b>Wednesday Men</b>	Wednesday 13 September at 1645
<b>St Edmundsbury Singers</b>	Thursday 7 September at 1930
<b>Colts</b>	Friday 8 September at 0800
<b>St Cecilia Chorale</b>	Wednesday 6 September at 1915
<b>St Cecilia Juniors</b>	Wednesday 6 September at 1600

## Future Dates

(Please note: this list is not exhaustive and all dates are subject to change.)

Thu 14 Sep	Chorister & Prob Parents' Meeting at 1815
Sat 30 Sep	Luther 500 International Symposium (Full Choir)
Sat 7 Oct	Diocesan Choirs' Festival at Cathedral
Sun 8 Oct	Suffolk Harvest Festival
Sat 21 to Sat 28 Oct	Half Term
Sat 28 Oct	Wedding for St Eds Singers and Lay Clerks
Sun 29 Oct	Evensong with Grand Lodge of Suffolk
Sun 5 Nov	All Souls' Requiem
Sun 13 Nov	Evensong sung by St Eds Singers and Lay Clerks
Sun 19 Nov	Evensong and Installation of Canons
Thu 23 Nov	EACH Carols for Choristers and Probs at 1800
Sun 3 Dec	Advent Carols at 1700
Thu 7 Dec	Mayor's Carols (Full Choir) at 1900
Fri 8 Dec	Messiah Rehearsals 1800—2000
Sat 9 Dec	Messiah at 1900
Sun 4 Dec	Morning Service sung by St Cecilia Chorale
Sat 16 Dec	Carols by Candlelight at 1900
Sat 23 Dec	Nine Lessons and Carols at 1900
Sun 24 Dec	Midnight Mass (St Eds Singers and Lay Clerks)
Mon 25 Dec	Christmas Morning Eucharist at 1000
Tue 26 Dec to Tue 2 Jan	Christmas Holiday

## 2018

Sat 3 Feb	St Eds Singers Evensong at Southwark Cathedral
Sat 10 to Fri 16 Feb	Half Term
Sat 17 Feb	Possible Wedding Blessing
Sun 11 Mar	Evensong with St Eds Singers and Lay Clerks
Mon 26 Mar to Sun 1 Apr	Usual Holy Week duties
Mon 2 to Mon 16 Apr	Post-Easter Holiday to include Choir Tour
Sat 26 May to Sat 2 Jun	Half Term
Sun 15 Jul	Last Sunday of Cathedral Choir Term With FOCC BBQ
Sun 22 Jul	Services sung by St Eds Singers and Lay Clerks

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